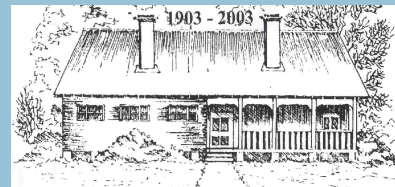




Pelaw Main Public School Newsletter



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TERM 4 WEEK 5

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DATES FOR THE DIARY

15 November

Stanford Orientation
Day

13 November

P&C Meeting 1.30pm
2013 Kindergarten
Orientation

7 December

Year 6 Farewell

14 December

Presentation Day

PLAYGROUP DATES

Term 4

Thursdays in Hall
10.00 to 11.30am
November 15, 29

CANTEEN ROSTER

Mon 12 November

Judy Mayer
Kelly James
Taniwai Frewin

Wed 14 November

Judy Mayer
Pam Webb
John Manderson

Fri 16 November

Judy Mayer
Taniwai Frewin
Deanne McTegg

Principal's Report

Term 4 is always a busy time and this year is no exception! We have a lot on the calendar for next week. We will host our last Kindergarten Orientation session on Tuesday afternoon and Yr 2 from Stanford Merthyr will also participate in a transition program on Thursday. Playgroup will also be on again on Thursday morning.

Try a Skill – Year 6 students

Our Year 6 students have been invited to attend the Try a Skill event at Kurri TAFE on Friday 16th November. This day is attended by both the Year 6 students and their parent or other significant adult. Over 40 activities will be staged, designed to raise students' awareness of career pathways. Every student will get the opportunity to try their hand at each activity, under the guidance of qualified teaching staff. I'm sure the students attending will have a fabulous time and are very fortunate to have this marvellous opportunity.

Thank you to Mrs Moore for her organisation of the event and the parents and adults attending the event for their support and participation.

Bus Behaviour

Please remind all children about appropriate behaviour on the bus while travelling to and from school. While the bus company has a duty of care for children while on the bus, children are also representing our school and will be dealt with under our School Student Welfare Policy. A meeting was held yesterday with bus students to remind them of the serious nature of inappropriate bus behaviour. I will notify parents of any inappropriate behaviour if it comes to my attention. Your support of this important matter is greatly appreciated.

Emergency Contact Details

Each term we like to remind parents and carers about the importance of ensuring that emergency contact details for children are current and up to date.

It is also extremely important that we have your current contact details to assist us in the event of an emergency. If you are unsure about whether we have the most current information, please complete and return the slip on this newsletter to the office. We can then check these with our records and update if necessary.

QUICKSMART News

Congratulations to Summah Mackay for finishing the Quicksmart program. Quicksmart is all about being fast and accurate with addition, subtraction, multiplication and division facts. Quite an achievement. We have 5 new members in the 'Hundreds Club' - Amy, Joel, Jaiden, Teia and Damon. The 'Hundreds Club' is for Year 4 students and to become a member, students have to correctly answer 100 or more questions in a minute. Not easy! I am really impressed with how well our QS children are progressing through the Flash Cards. Most are onto Subtraction with some onto Multiplication and Division.

General Information

Eco Explorers Week 6

Anja-Rose Atkinson 5/6S

Chloe Ballard K/1

Lara Comerford 5/6S

Jordan Holt K/1

Walking or riding a bike can improve your **health**, the **environment**, and your family **budget**.



Merit Awards

Congratulations to the following students who received a Merit Certificate at this weeks assembly: Lilly O, Taia and Reihana.

Congratulations also to Trent Bruce, Daniel Callaghan, Jeorgia Wilson, Eviee Elkins, Harris Bailey, Max Johnson, Marty Williams, Jackson Hooker, Lachlan Todhunter, Georgia Clark, and Tayla Kennedy who received a Certificate of Merit.

Kurri Kurri & District Pre-school

Kindergarten is turning **40.**



Please join us.....

When..... 10th November 2012

Where.... At Kurri Preschool (CNR Tarro Road and Boundary street Spion Kop)

Time ... 2.00pm -photo display and Devonshire tea-
5.00pm-6.30pm-Family disco and BBQ

RSVP 49372110

Merilyn Burton
Relieving Principal

PARENT CONTACT PHONE NUMBER

Parent Name	Home Phone Number	Mobile / Work Number

EMERGENCY CONTACT PHONE NUMBERS

Name	Daytime Phone Number	Mobile