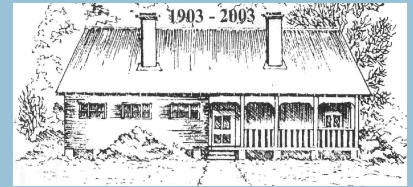




Pelaw Main Public School Newsletter



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DATES FOR THE DIARY

2 April

Girls Soccer Knockout
At Pelaw Main

5 April

Easter Hat Parade
End of term

23 April

SSD Teachers Only

24 April

Term 2 Students
Return

27 April

Zone Cross Country

10 May

Mothers Day Stall

5,6,7 September

Canberra Excursion

24,25,26 October

Aussie Bush Camp

CANTEEN ROSTER

Monday 19 March

Judy Mayer
Jodi Goss
Rowena Boughton

Wednesday 21 March

Judy Mayer
Pam Webb
John Manderson

Friday 23 March

Judy Mayer
Taniwai Frewin
Julie Williams
Tracy Osland

Principal's Report

Last Monday we welcomed our new families at a BBQ held under the cola after school. Mr Lindsell provided games and prizes for students and parents. There were over thirty families represented. Thank you to Mrs Corke and Mrs Prior for their organisation and to all the teachers who stayed after school to assist with the activities.

Every student attended the Questacon science show on Thursday in the hall. The students attended in three class groups. It was a great show with students helping with experiments and having the opportunity to ask questions. Thank you to Mrs Corke for her organisation.

The last day for this term will be Thursday April 5 and this will be our Easter Hat parade. School will be closed for two weeks and teachers will return on

Monday April 23 and students will resume on Tuesday April 24. During the school holidays an electrical upgrade will be implemented across the school. This means we will no longer have the over loading when it is very hot. Some internal painting has also been scheduled during the break.

P&C Annual General Meeting

On Tuesday the P&C held their AGM. Rebecca Parson who has been president for the past two years stood down from the position as did our secretary Vanessa Anderson. Both parents have worked tirelessly for the P&C and Pelaw Main school over the past years and have been involved in implementing many activities as well as setting up the school as an Incorporated body. The staff and students thank them for their work for Pelaw Main Public School. Rebecca has taken on the role of Vice President this year.

At the meeting a new executive was elected unopposed.

President:

Judy Mayer

Vice Presidents:

John Manderson &
Rebecca Parsons

Secretary:

Rowena Boughton

Treasurer:

Sharon O'Driscoll

(Sharon has continued in this role from previous years).

Judy Mayer will continue as canteen manager and Pam Webb and Kelly James will take over as uniform officers.

If any person is interested in helping with fundraising please see any member of the executive or call at the office.

The levy for membership is \$4. If you work at the canteen or assist in any way with the P&C you must be a member. It covers your insurance while at the school. The levy may be paid at the school office.

General Information

School Photos

School photos were taken today. They will be returned next term. The group photos of School Leaders, House Captains and Vice Captains will be sent to school so students may order the photos after they have seen them. The photographer is responsible for all money collection and ordering. If you need extra copies you must contact the photographer.

Easter Hat Parade

Our Easter Hat Parade will be held under the cola on Thursday morning April 5. Usually the Easter Bunny makes an appearance and students parade with hats, masks or posters. Students usually make their items at home but teachers will provide masks for students to decorate if they need one. The P&C provides eggs for students and also hold a raffle. Parents and friends are invited to the parade.

Staff News

Mrs Grant and Miss Skelton attended a New Scheme Teacher course on Wednesday. Mr Lindsell and Miss King took the classes. Teachers have continued with professional learning this week focusing on technology. Miss Perry is helping other teachers construct class based Moodle to support class work.

Sport News

Sport was held this week. Five primary students attended the Zone Soccer trials today.

Year 5/6 Canberra Excursion

We have had over 40 students return their expression of interest note to participate in the Canberra Excursion this year. We have contacted the bus company and confirmed that our excursion will go ahead. We are now waiting for the bus company to finalise our itinerary and provide us with a price for the excursion. As soon as we have the information we will send a note home asking for a deposit to be paid and provide parents with a payment schedule.

P&C News

We are asking for donations of Easter Eggs etc for our Easter Guessing Competition these will be made into baskets to be drawn at the Easter Hat Parade. Donations can come in any day to the office. Tickets will be sent home soon.

Mothers Day Stall

Once again we are holding a Mothers Day Stall on the 10th May. Price list and further information will be given at a later date.

Robyn Pieper
Principal

Year 6 Fundraiser

Pelaw Main Public School Disco

Friday 23rd March 2012, From 5pm until 7pm

Tickets are \$5.00 for disco entry,
1 popper & 1 packet of chips.

Only current students may attend and appropriate attire must be worn. Children must be dropped off and collected at the bottom school gate by an adult.

School Rules Apply.

Tickets will be on sale from Monday 19th March 2012