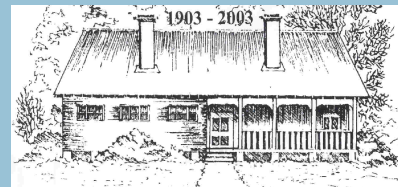




Pelaw Main Public School Newsletter



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DATES FOR THE DIARY

21 June

Combined Scripture

29 June

Last Day Term 2

20 July

MEGs Visit

3 August

Zone Athletics
Carnival

14 Sept

Spring Fair

CANTEEN ROSTER

Monday 18 June

Judy Mayer
Catherine Cumming
Lorraine Plumridge

Wednesday 20 June

Judy Mayer
Kelly James
Taniwai Frewin

Friday 22 June

Judy Mayer
John Manderson
Pam Webb

Principal's Report

Today was our last student assembly for the term. The students from 5/6S gave a great performance during the assembly. We had a large audience and had lots of merit awards presented. Our assemblies will be held again next term and any students with ten blue merit awards can send them in for their certificate after the holidays.

The selection process for the appointment of the new principal has been completed. The interviews were held last Friday. After the interview the successful applicant has a ten day appeal time to pass before the position can be confirmed. This will happen next week. Thank you to Mrs Sharon O'Driscoll and Mrs Burton for representing the school in the process.

The wet weather caused our rugby league and soccer

games to be rescheduled as the council had closed the grounds. The soccer game against Kurri Kurri Public School will hopefully be played next week and we will have to wait until the rugby league gala day is re scheduled.

Next week will be our last newsletter for the term. School finishes on Friday June 29 for two weeks. Teachers return on Monday July 16 and students return on Tuesday July 17. Our new principal will begin at Pelaw Main on this date.

Partners in Print – each Thursday afternoon

Yesterday 1/2P parents were involved with the program with Mrs Harris, Mrs Burton and Mr Lindsell. Next week, 2/3 (21st Jun) will be having Partners in Print. There will be no Partners in print in the last week of term due to parent interviews.

Donation

Thank you to Kurri Kurri Bowling Club for their donation of a new toaster for

the canteen. Mr Vic Dobing organised this after the club was approached by the P&C.

Year 6 visit to Kurri Kurri High School

Next Wednesday Miss Latter will accompany Year 6 students to the high school for their first transition day. Over the next term the students will again attend the school as part of the transitioning program to high school. Miss Latter has sent notes home and private transport will be used. The students are only away for about one and half hours and then normal classes will resume. Any students who are not attending Kurri Kurri High School may still come to school.

Combined Scripture

Next Thursday will be the last scripture lesson for the term. As usual the scripture classes will have a combined lesson.

General Information

Semester Reports

Semester reports will be sent home next Friday. Students have taken notes home asking if parents would like to have a meeting with the class teacher. Please send notes back so that times may be allocated.

Each report has a number of teachers making comments in the different key learning areas. Some students have a different maths teacher when they go to their maths groups. Mr Lindsell and Miss Williams take some classes so that teachers have release from teaching each week. They take specific lessons in these classes and part of their work is to report on what they have taught.

Students who are given extra support in QuickSmart, literacy, reading groups or MultiLit have this written on their reports. Mrs Ross coordinates this across all classes.

P&C Meeting

The P&C held their meeting last Tuesday. They reported a good response from the Mothers Day stall and raffle. A date has been set for the Spring Fair which will be held next term. All money raised from the P&C will be used to provide extra items for the students at the school. Currently they are gaining quotes for a sail over the play equipment.

The next meeting will be held the 14th August. If you are assisting the P&C in any way please pay your levy as this covers your insurance when working for the P&C.

Staff News

Mrs Ross, Mrs Smith, Mrs Whitelaw Bacon and Miss Pieper attended a QuickSmart training course on Wednesday. They have been attending these training courses over the past years. Our results in QuickSmart have shown good improvement in students work in the area of number.

Sport News

Last Friday Emily in Year 4 attended the Hunter Region Softball Trials at Hunter Sports High.

New soccer notes will be sent home when we have confirmation that Kurri Kurri can play next week. Mr Lindsell is coordinating the boys' soccer.

Merit Awards

Congratulations to the following students who received Merit Awards at this weeks assembly: Brianna, Cooper, Sarah, Joel, Annabelle, Tahlia, Kyra, Tamahna, Reegan, Daniel, Jacob, Haylea-Marie, Zane, Breeanna, Bradley, Tiffany, Matthew, Skyla, Amber, Drew, Trent and Abby.

Congratulations also to Daniel Callaghan, Blake Masterman, Jayden Douglas Anna Gibson, Makayla Patterson, Matthew Bilby, Soul Paredes, Chloe

Huntington, Isaac Thorpe, Paul Gardner, Teia Murphy, Trinity Hawkins, Ky Haggarty, April Mackay, Kyrow Bower, Erika Whalan and Marina Galea who received a Certificate of Merit.

Adventure Time 2012

Competitions Bible Stories

Games Snacks Songs Crafts



Kurri Kurri Congregational Church
Hampden Street, Kurri Kurri
Monday 2nd to Friday 6th July, 2012
9:30am - 12:30pm
Boys and girls 5 years to 12 years!
Further Information
Ph: 4937 4377 and 4937 1049
Cost : \$2.50 per day per child
(Family concession available)

Robyn Pieper
Principal