



PALLAMALLAWA PUBLIC SCHOOL

Newsletter Thursday 14th February 2013

Calendar

February

Mon 25th McKechnie
Swim Carnival -
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March

Thur 7th P & C Meeting

Tue 12th School
Council Meeting -
2pm

Tue 19th Performance
'Slice of Vaudeville'

Assembly Awards

K-2: Clayton Schoupp, Scarlett Smith, Imogen Vosper, Elly Brown, Justin Hancock, Rochelle Vosper.

3-6: Madalyn Crouch, Annabelle Latimer-Smith, Nikkita Lysaght, Owen Cleal, Zack Crouch, Bradman Walker.

Special Awards: Bella-Lee Munn, Clayton Schoupp, Zack Crouch, Brock Byers.



School Leaders Induction Assembly



Our school leaders Bradman Walker and Owen Cleal were inducted at this week's assembly.

School Fees - \$50 each student

This amount covers the cost of textbooks used by students. This needs to be paid by Friday, 24th February. The School subsidises the cost of text books, exercise books and classroom consumables for each child.

Voluntary Contribution

Parents can make a Voluntary Contribution to the school. \$10

iPad/Laptop Fee: \$10 per student per term.

Student/Parent/Staff BBQ and P & C AGM - Thursday, 21st February

Postponed to a later date.

Library for 2013

Both classes will have library on Thursday this year.

Update of Family Contact Information.

Please complete the update and return to school as soon as possible. It is extremely important for the school to have up to date contact information, especially if the school needs to contact parents quickly in an emergency.

Homework

Homework commenced this week for both classes.

K-2 students will receive readers that need to be returned each week. Please assist your child by making sure their homework is returned on Friday of each week.

This is an important part of assisting students with the daily learning activities. It is the policy of our school for all students to complete homework during the week. This will vary from time to time. We encourage all students to borrow regularly from our library for personal reading. This will be part of your child's homework.

Before School

Teacher supervision is provided from 8.40am. Students should not be arriving before this time unless previously arranged.

Attendance

Parents are reminded that all absences need to be explained in writing within 7 days of absence. Partial Attendance (late arrival) to school also will be documented and will need an explanation.

Medical Note/Walking Permission Note

These need to be completed and returned to school. The Medical note is a Department of Education requirement and must be completed before your child can attend any excursions.

The walking note covers all activities your child will be involved in during 2013 when moving around the village. Students will be supervised at all times.

Sport

Two mornings a week students will be involved in activities for endurance, exercises, skipping and ball skills.

Friday Sport for K-2 will be during the morning until the weather cools.

Parents are reminded that if you have any concerns please organise an appointment time with the School office to come and discuss the matter with the class teacher or the Principal.

Don't forget Mrs Sullivan our learning support teacher is available to talk to parents about learning issues as well. Mrs Sullivan's will continue to work with students on Tuesday. Please contact the office to organise an appointment time to speak to the class teacher or Mrs Sullivan.

School Newsletters - Thursdays

At this stage the School newsletter will be sent home on Thursday. Parents are reminded the newsletter can be delivered through email.

Mosquitos

Parents are asked to make sure their child is prepared for the recent increase in mosquitos. The school has repellent available for students to use during the day.

Canteen

Canteen commenced this week. Kerry Munn is the Canteen coordinator. Kerry is organising a roster for canteen duties for all families. At this stage families will be allocated to do Friday canteen. The Friday fruit program will continue and parents will be placed on a roster to supply fruit. Mrs Kerrie McNamara will be assisting with Canteen every Monday. Please contact Kerry Munn on Mobile No: 0458 250 458 and let her know if you require a special day to assist.

Canteen price list will remain the same as last year. This will be updated during the term.

2013 Canteen Roster Term 1

Monday Canteen		Friday Canteen	
Date	Name	Date	Name
		<i>Feb 15th</i>	Kerry Munn
<i>Feb 18th</i>	Kerrie McNamara	<i>Feb 22nd</i>	Kay Grant
<i>Feb 25th</i>	Kerrie McNamara	<i>March 1st</i>	Jill Walker
<i>March 4th</i>	Kerrie McNamara	<i>March 8th</i>	Liz Hobday
<i>March 11th</i>	Kerrie McNamara	<i>March 15th</i>	Tracy Baker
<i>March 18th</i>	Kerrie McNamara	<i>March 22nd</i>	Colene Daley
<i>March 25th</i>	Kerrie McNamara	<i>April 5th</i>	Katrina Smith
<i>April 8th</i>	Kerrie McNamara	<i>April 12th</i>	Belinda Schoupp

2013 Fruit Roster Term 1

Friday		Friday	
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<i>Feb 15th</i>	Kerry Munn	<i>Feb 22nd</i>	Kay Grant
<i>March 1st</i>	Jill Walker	<i>March 8th</i>	Liz Hobday
<i>March 15th</i>	Tracy Baker	<i>March 22nd</i>	Colene Daley
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Uniforms

All students are in correct uniform. Congratulations to the parents for supporting our uniform policy.

Hats with a wide brim are part of the uniform. NO CAPS

Community News

PCYC – BREAKFAST PROGRAM (CSWP)

Breakfast Program (CSWP)

Children collected at 6:00 am

1 hour Boxing4fitness

Showers, Breakfast and transport to school

Monday, Wednesday & Friday

Ages 11-17 years

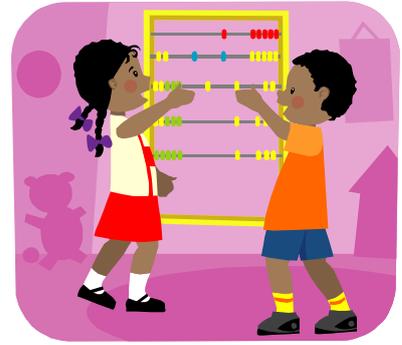
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**Play Group is held every
Second Thursday at Pallamallawa
Pre-School from 10am to Midday.**

**The next Playgroup session
Will be held on 28th February.**

**Morning Tea is supplied but
please bring along a Water Bottle.**

**So come along and join in
and have an enjoyable morning while
your child/children play and
make new friends with the
others at Playgroup.**



Pallamallawa Public School Council

Nomination for 1 position on the School Council.

An election needs to be carried out for the one vacant position on the School Council.

Please complete the form and return to school if you wish to nominate a parent. Note the nominated parent must also sign the form acknowledging their acceptance. Closing Date: Friday, 1st March 2013.

Return by Friday, 1st March 2013.

I wish to nominate _____ for a position on the School Council.

Signed. _____ Date _____

I accept the nomination.

Name _____

Signed _____

Date _____

