



Term 4 Week 9

Monday 30<sup>th</sup> November, 2015

## TERM 4 CALENDAR

### Week 9

- Mon 30 Miss Moffat on Year 1B  
Swim Scheme starts
- Thu 3 End-of-year reports sent home  
Uniform shop

### Week 10

- Tue 8 9.30am, Speech Day  
Nude Food Day
- Fri 11 Swim Scheme finishes

### Week 11

- Mon 14 Year 6 Day Out
- Tue 15 Class picnics
- Wed 16 Year 6 Farewell assembly. Last day Term 4

## 2016 RETURN TO SCHOOL

- Wed 27 Jan: Teachers return
- Thu 28 Jan: Years 1-6 return
- Mon 1st Feb: Kindergarten starts

## SRC – IDEA TO LESSEN PLAYGROUND RUBBISH

The SRC has been discussing ways to improve the litter situation on the playground. As a result of this discussion, we have decided to have a Nude Food Day. Nude Food is an initiative which encourages students to bring less packaging in their lunch boxes. This will hopefully prevent rubbish being dropped all over our playground. Nude Food Day will be held on Tuesday, 8th December. So remember, minimise the amount of packaging in your lunch box on Nude Food Day. From the SRC

## UNIFORM SHOP

Next opening is 9.15am on Thurs 3<sup>rd</sup> December. Uniform orders can be left at the office any day (correct cash or cheques made out to Pagewood PS P&C)

## READING TUTOR VOLUNTEERS' MORNING TEA

A morning tea will be held on Tuesday, 15th December at 9:15 - 10:00 am in the school staffroom. It will be a chance to say thankyou to all our wonderful reading tutor volunteers who have helped run our B.E.A.R and Multilit programs as well as assist Mr Riley throughout the year. Please join us for a casual morning of tea and sweets.

Jenny Reilly  
Learning and Support Teacher

## CANTEEN

Thank you to our recent volunteers:

- Wed 25 Nov: Gavin Northey  
Susanne MacMillan (9-12pm)  
Laeti Noblet (12-2pm)
- Fri 27 Nov: Chrissy Jenner  
Geoff Wainwright

Thank you Gavin, Susanne, Laeti & Geoff for your ongoing support in the canteen. A BIG thank you also to Zoe Christofi, for doing the 12-2pm shift on Friday 20/11, on short notice. Also a very Big Thank you to Joanne Donadel, who suggested getting some temporary ice blocks to sell last Friday 20/11 when we had none, and it was an extremely hot day. Good thinking Jo, your suggestion made a lot of kids happy.

This week's canteen volunteers are:

- Wed 2 Dec: Christel Lichtner  
Rebecca Hatzis
- Fri 4 Dec: Shelly Harrison  
Michelle Stevenson (9-12)  
Melissa Parfitt (12-2)

## PLEASE NOTE - LAST DAY OF SCHOOL:

**Wednesday 16 December - NO LUNCH/RECESS orders taken.** The canteen will only be open at lunch time to sell ice blocks and chips.

New volunteers are always welcome. Forms can be collected from the office. All canteen rostering issues or changes to Chrissy Jenner [4jfam@live.com.au](mailto:4jfam@live.com.au).

## BOOK COVERING

We have recently purchased some new dictionaries, atlases, thesauruses and reading books, which are now in need of covering with contact. If you are able to spare some time to pop in to school to cover some, or if you can take a few home to cover as you watch the tele at night, please see Miss Hoskins or Mrs Kerves. We will supply all contact.

**IF YOU BRING YOUR DOG ALONG TO COLLECT/DROP OFF CHILDREN, PLEASE KEEP IT WELL AWAY FROM SCHOOL GATES. A NUMBER OF CHILDREN AND PARENTS ARE APPREHENSIVE OF WALKING CLOSE TO THEM. EVEN THE BEST BEHAVED ANIMAL MAY "SNAP" WHEN SURROUNDED BY CROWDS OF EXCITED CHILDREN.**

## YEAR 6 SCIENCE TEST

The Department of Education is developing an online multimedia interactive assessment in Science and Technology for Year 6 students. It is part of ongoing work to expand available resources for assessing a broader range of student learning. The test will provide teachers, schools and parents with diagnostic information about student achievement and their levels of understanding. The *VALID Science & Technology 6* test will also assist teachers in planning and programming for the new K-6 Science & Technology syllabus. As part of the program's development, our Year 6 students participated in the pilot of this new assessment during weeks 4 and 5. Our teachers then completed online professional learning prior to marking the responses from our students. Results are expected in early December.

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In Term 3, our school applied for a grant through the Orica Botany Community Investment Program. We were successful in receiving a grant for \$2000. This money will be spent on Science & Technology resources that will be used for classes across the school. We thank Orica for its donation.

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