

# **Pagewood Public School Newsletter**



# Term 4 Week 6

# Monday 14<sup>th</sup> November 2016

#### **TERM4CALENDAR**

| Mon 14<br>NB Chan | November<br>Wear sport uniform – social skills<br>ge date:<br>Prefect Speeches at Assembly today, 1.50                            |
|-------------------|---|
| Mon 21            | November<br>Swim Scheme starts (Year 2/some Year 3's)<br>Sport Assembly, 1.50pm   |
| Wed 30            | Nov/Dec<br>Year 1M Assembly, 1.50pm ERROR!<br>Swim Scheme finishes  |
| Tues 6            | <b>December</b><br>Orientation Day for Year 7, 2017<br>Items by Y2S and Y1M at assembly<br>Last Band lesson<br>Speech Day, 9.30am |
|                   | <b>December</b><br>Picnic with parents in playground, 12.30-2pm<br>No Assembly  |

Fri 16 Last school day for students

## SILVER AWARDS

#### **RAINBOW AWARDS**

#### AWARDS

| KK:<br>KR:<br>KS:<br>Y1E:<br>Y1M:<br>Y2S:<br>Y2ZS<br>Y3V:<br>Y3/4:<br>Y4/5:<br>Y5:<br>Y6: |  |  |  |
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# SPORT AWARDS CEREMONY

At 1.50pm on Wednesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> November, our sport awards ceremony will be held. Most of the year's sport awards will be presented at this occasion. All community members are invited to attend.

SELECTIVE HIGH SCHOOL 2018 (current Year 5's)

Applications close today, no exceptions. Applications must be made online at www.schools.nsw.edu.au/shsplacement.

#### YEAR 2 SWIMMING SCHEME

The Year 2 (and some Year 3's) intensive swimming scheme starts next Monday 21<sup>st</sup> November and will run every day until 1<sup>st</sup> December. Students are to wear sunscreen and swimming costumes under school uniform and bring 6 things (a towel, hat, goggles, underwear, thongs and plastic bag for wet gear). They will also need asthma medication if required.**Please label all of your child's belongings.** 

## **UNIFORM SHOP FINAL DATES**

Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> November at 9.15am Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> December at 9.15am (**last opening**).

Can parents please anticipate their child's uniform needs for next year and order early as we are unsure when we will reopen in Term 1. Uniform Orders can be placed at the office (with correct money - cash or cheques payable to Pagewood Public School <u>P&C</u>).

#### **REVIEW OF STUDENT WELLBEING**

During the second half of the year, the staff have reviewed some of our policies relating to Student Wellbeing. Generally, any changes made were minor. The edited documents, still considered as "DRAFT", are on our website in the section: Our School / Rules and Policies / School Policies. We would welcome feedback and/or corrections. (Unfortunately, the links in the document don't work. Related policies have been placed in the same section of the web-site.

#### **2017 RETURN TO SCHOOL DATES**

| Fri 27 Jan: | Teachers return     |
|-------------|---------------------|
| Mon 30 Jan: | Years 1-6 return    |
| Wed 1 Feb:  | Kindergarten starts |

#### ANNUAL SURVEY OF PARENTS

The link below is to this year's parent survey. There are only 10 questions, so I hope that many of you will take the time to respond. Survey will close next Friday 18 November. <u>https://surveymonkey.com/r/M6LLTDK</u>

#### KK – GROWING CARROTS IN THE GARDEN

KK have been enthusiastic gardeners this year. Many of the children spend lunch and recess watering their vegetable gardens. Last week they were excited to pull out the biggest carrots yet to be grown at Pagewood PS, as well as picking beans, snow peas and strawberries.



Well done KK!

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#### 32 PAGE ST

Attached to this newsletter is a letter from the developers of 32 Page St. It is being distributed to neighbours of the site. The letter gives advice of an information "drop-in" session as well as contact details if you have queries.

As outlined below, there is a little activity. However, it seems that the main work is still a few weeks away from being started. The site remediation contractor, RMA, will be undertaking management actions for the existing stockpiles located on the site surface. Management of these stockpiles is part of recommendation provided by the environmental specialists JBS&G. All identified stockpiles at the site will be covered using a binding layer that forms a crust on the stockpile surface. This crust prevents the generation of dust and infiltration of water through the stockpile surface which could lead to runoff from stockpiled soils. The work will take approximately half a day. RMA will then continue to inspect the site twice a week up until site establishment in late November 2016.

Community Liaison: ph 1800 933 365 email: pagewood@elton.com.au

# 2017 MARKET CARNIVAL

## GETTING STARTED: MARKET CARNIVAL AT PAGEWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOL 2017

The P&C is looking ahead to a major fundraising effort next year: another Market Carnival. The first, in 2012 was very successful, as was our next Market Carnival in 2015. We are planning on starting the organising process this year, so that there isn't too much last minute pressure.

We have a co-ordinator. HUGE HUGE thanks to Anna Demetrios for volunteering. (If there is anyone else who would like to be overall co-odinator, Anna is more than willing to take on one of the other roles). We also need quite a few more volunteers. Some of the areas are below:

- someone to organise volunteers for the day;
- someone to encourage ideas for and organize PPS stalls (possibly class stalls);
- someone to bring in and deal with "external" stall holders;
- an entertainment co-ordinator: external performance groups, rides, games & PPS performance groups (this role could then possibly be delegated further);
- a sponsor organizer;
- donations, prizes & voucher collectors;
- marketing; graphics
- online marketing;
- treasurer/bookkeeper for event;
- fundraiser;
- event day security & safety.

We would probably catch up once per month to see where everyone is up to.

If you would be willing to co-ordinate one of the areas listed above, would you please return the slip below to your child's teacher by the end of November. Alternatively email it to <a href="mailto:pagewood-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au">pagewood-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au</a>

Many thanks,

Ms M Hogan on behalf of P&C.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Classes of your children: \_\_

Phone:\_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list which area(s) you would like to co-ordinate. If you have a particular expertise, eg. Graphic art, money counting, contacts with stall holders, ICT ... could you also give details.



8 November 2016

#### Dear neighbour

#### S Pagewood Development, 32 Page Street

In September 2016, amended approval was granted to permit the construction of 37 townhouses and 219 residential apartments at 32 Page Street, Pagewood. Visionary Investment Group (VIG) is the developer of the site.

During the development of the site, safety and minimising any risk to the local community, adjacent school, site workers and future residents is of the utmost importance. Given the historical contamination of the site VIG understands that you may have concerns about potential impacts during remediation and construction.

Development consent requires an independent Site Auditor, accredited by the Environment Protection Authority, to review the Remedial Action Plan, Remediation Works Plan and the Air Quality Monitoring Plan. Bayside Council is responsible for ensuring compliance with all aspects of the development consent. VIG is committed to meeting all relevant guidelines and standards.

#### Project timing

The development will take two to three years to complete over stages using specialist contractors and stage programs may overlap. VIG has contracted a site remediation specialist, RMA Group, to undertake the first stage of site remediation. *In November 2016, RMA will commence site establishment works.* Remediation work will start in early-mid December 2016.

| Stage 1: | Site remediation                                | 3 - 5 months   |
|----------|---|----------------|
| Stage 2: | Civil and earth works and services installation | 4 - 7 months   |
| Stage 3: | Main construction work                          | 12 - 18 months |

Hours of work

The approved work hours are Monday to Friday 7.00am – 6.00pm and Saturday 8.00am – 4.00pm. No work can take place outside of these hours unless approved by Council.

#### More information

VIG is committed to being a considerate neighbor, minimising construction impacts where possible and keeping the community informed during the works. To find out more and answer any questions you may have on the project, you are invited to come along to our Community Drop-in Session. Please see over the page for details. I look forward to meeting you at the Drop-in Session.

Yours sincerely,

David Radford Project Director, VIG

#### Contact Us

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