



Term 4 Week 8

Monday 28th November 2016

TERM 4 CALENDAR

Week 8 Nov/Dec

Mon 28 Swim Scheme (Year 2), Mon-Thurs
Wed 30 Year KS Assembly, 1.50pm
Mrs Morrison at technology training day
Thu 1 **Uniform Shop, LAST opening**
Swim Scheme finishes
End of year reports sent home

Week 9 December

Mon 7 Wear sport uniform – last social skills
Tue 6 High School Orientation Day (Year 6)
PSSA Jersey deposit refunds at office
Wed 7 1M & 2S Dance at **Last Assembly for 2016**
with Mrs Chrysostomou
Last Band lesson
Thu 8 Speech Day, 9.30am

Week 10 December

Mon 12 Year 6 Day Out
Tue 13 **Return 2017 Swim Carnival note & money**
Wed 14 Picnic with parents in playground, 12.30-2pm
No Assembly
Fri 16 2.30pm, Year 6 Farewell Assembly
Last school day for students

GOLD AWARDS

SILVER AWARDS

RAINBOW AWARDS

AWARDS

No awards last week due to the Sports Assembly.

2017 INTENTIONS

We are now beginning to refine our planning for 2017. We are very appreciative of the families who have let us know that their child/ren will not be at Pagewood PS next year. Could I please ask (beg/plead) that other families whose child/ren may be, or is definitely, leaving let us know so that our plans can be as accurate and realistic as possible.

UNIFORM SHOP

Thursday 1st December at 9.15am (**last opening**).

YEAR 2 SWIMMING SCHEME

The intensive swimming scheme continues this week and will run **every day until Thursday 1st December**. Students are to wear sunscreen and swimming costumes under your uniform and bring 6 things (a towel, hat, goggles, underwear, things and plastic bag for wet gear) and asthma medication if required.

HIGH SCHOOL ORIENTATION DAY (Year 6)

Year 6 will experience a snapshot of high school at their orientation day **next Tuesday 6 December**. Students will make their own way to their individual high schools. This is an important step in their transition to Year 7 as they become familiar with high school, teaching staff and ask any questions.

SOCCER / AFL PSSA JERSEY DEPOSIT REFUNDS

The last round of PSSA is this week. After this game all jerseys should be returned to Mrs Morrison ASAP in order for jersey deposits to be refunded. As of **Tuesday 6 December**, **parents/caregivers** will be able to collect and sign for their jersey deposit refunds at the front office.

2017 SCHOOL SWIMMING CARNIVAL

This will be held on the **second day** of school on **Tuesday 31 January 2017** at Botany Aquatic Centre from 9.30 to 2.30. All students in Years 3 - 6 **next year** will attend. In addition, students in Year 2 **next year** who turn 8 in 2017 and are strong swimmers may elect to participate. This is a great event to get the year under way and parents are welcome to attend. A permission note has already been sent home and this needs to be completed, signed and returned with \$11.50 by **Tuesday 13 December**. In the interest of your child's safety, please complete the Swimming Competency form honestly and **initial each section rather than tick**.

2017 RETURN TO SCHOOL DATES

Fri 27 Jan: Teachers return
Mon 30 Jan: Years 1-6 return
Tue 31 Jan: Swimming Carnival
Wed 1 Feb: Kindergarten starts

GARDENER STILL WANTED FOR ONE DAY or TWO HALF DAYS A WEEK

A knowledge of plants is needed – basically, what is a weed and what should stay. The main jobs are weeding, hedging and moving tree mulch. This is child-related employment and so the person must complete a Working With Children Check (\$80 at RMS). If you know someone who may be interested, please ask them to call the school on 9316 9313 or email at Pagewood-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au.

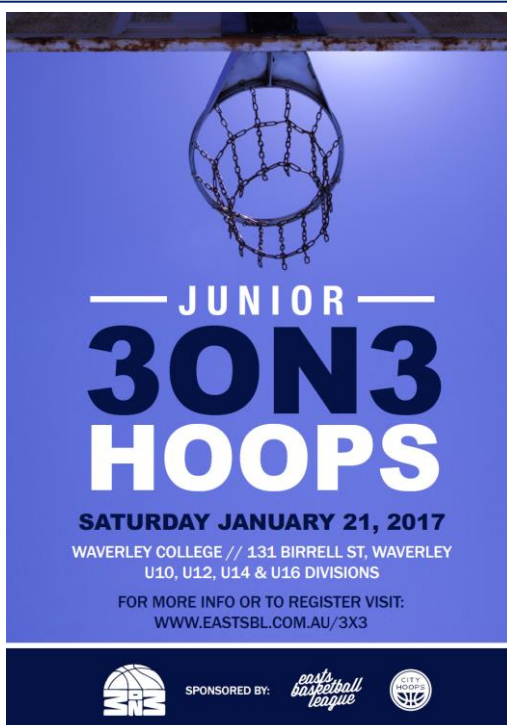
HEALTH NEWS

HEAD LICE

We have been notified of an occurrence of head lice (nits). To prevent the spread, we ask you to please examine your child's hair thoroughly, preferably in sunlight or very good light and be very aware if they complain of an itchy head or are seen scratching. Children with head lice must be treated before returning to school.

IMPETIGO

We have also been notified of a case of Impetigo in Kindergarten. Impetigo is a contagious skin bacteria infection characterized by inflamed red sores or blisters. A child with Impetigo needs to be kept home until appropriate treatment has begun and the sores covered with a waterproof dressing. Please be alert for any symptoms.



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