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Term 4 Week 7

Thursday 22 November 2012

Calendar - Term 4

Week 7

Fri 23rd Hot Dog

Week 8

Mon 26th - 30th Intensive Swimming program continues
Tue 27th Book Club orders due back
Fri 30th K-6 Assembly
BBQ

Week 9

Thur 6th Kindy Orientation - Full day
Fri 7th K-2 Macadamia Castle Excursion
Hot Dog

Week 10

Thur 13th Presentation Night / Bush Dance
Fri 14th BBQ

WEEK 11

Wed 19th Last Day 2012 for students
Mufti Day

Cascade Camp

The campers are enjoying their time away at camp in the rainforests of Cascade. It is truly peaceful to listen to the sounds of nature around us (after the kids are asleep of course!). We had a very busy day yesterday which started with a 3 km walk with lots of nature games and finished with a fun time last night with some Pictionary and Charades.

The students, and in particular Saskia, are now very skilful at dealing with leeches and ticks of which we've seen a few. It's amazing how quickly we become adept at handling these little culprits after learning their traits.

Overall the kids have had a really good time and learnt a great deal about life in the rainforest and the history of this small timber town. They have also strengthened their social relationships including their ability to work as a team.

I'm sure there will be many stories to tell.



AWARD WINNERS

(Term 4 Week 6)

Student of the Week



Zanthi, Mikayla P, Amali & Ebony

Merit Certificates



Jenna, Jared H, Kya, Cathariena & Emily

School Representatives for 2013

At this time each year our students in Year 5 decide whether they would like to run for school captain and others in the school for School Council Representation. These students will need to assess their willingness to be a leader in our school and their commitment to upholding our schools values whilst being a representative of their peers.

The elections for our 2013 Captains and our School Council Representatives will be held over the next few weeks and announced at our Annual Presentation Awards.

To all students who put themselves forward as possible candidates I wish you every success, and trust that your peers will assess your suitability with the respect you deserve.

Movie Night

As it turned out the decision to call off the Movie Night last Saturday was indeed a fortuitous one. It hasn't been decided when the night will now be held but at this stage it seems unlikely that we will find a spare date in our diary in the remainder of this term with Christmas functions already on the agenda of many families. The P&C will talk soon and will make a decision.

Intensive Swimming

Thank you to the parents and students for their cooperation with this week's change of venue for our swimming scheme program. These changes certainly weren't planned and we appreciate all involved in making this a smooth process. It has been decided that we will continue at the Evans Head pool for the remainder of the swimming program.

For those families that are paying fortnightly, could you please finalise the balance tomorrow.

Macadamia Castle

Just a reminder that payment and permission note for K/1/2/ excursion to the Macadamia Castle on Friday 7th December is required by **Thursday 29th November**.

Celebrations Unit

I have asked all of the students to bring in a photo of themselves at a special celebration e.g a birthday, Christmas, wedding etc. for our 'Celebrations' Display. We will be talking and writing about the special celebration. Photos will be scanned and sent home as soon as possible. They may also be sent in on a thumb drive or e-mailed to our school e-mail if that's easier. Please send a suitable photo ASAP.

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

This is growing everyday. Tickets sold or unsold are due back at school by Friday 7th December.

Public Notice

PAM BELLINGHAM SCHOOL OF DANCE ANNUAL CONCERT

Woodburn Memorial Hall - Matinee - Friday, 23rd November, - 12 noon and Evening - Saturday, 24th November - 7.30 p.m. Admission - Adults \$7.00 Concession \$5.00 Child \$3.00 Family \$15.00. Staff have decided not to attend this concert as a school group, but if parents wish to take their own child/children on this day may do so.





MACADAMIA CASTLE EXCURSION

PERMISSION NOTE

I give permission for my child _____ to attend the Macadamia Castle Excursion on Friday 7th December. I understand that my child will be travelling with Simes Bros Bus Service. I understand the cost of the excursion is \$15.

My child's Medicare Number is _____. Please provide any information concerning your child's medical history that the school may need to know in the event of an injury or accident, e.g. allergies, medication. _____

Tetanus Injection ___ Yes ___ No. I give permission for staff or helper of Broadwater Public School to seek medical attention, allow the administration of anaesthetic and consent to the hospitalisation of my child, if deemed necessary.

The personal information provided on this permission note will be used by Broadwater Public School for general administration and other matters of welfare relating to this event. The provision of this information is voluntary however your child may not be able to participate if it is not provided.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Parent / Guardian

Please return by Thursday 29th November

Intensive School Swimming Program

PARENT DRIVERS - Week 2

Mon 26 th	Tue 27 th	Wed 28 th	Thur 29 th	Fri 30 th
Heidi - 4	Tara - 2	Sheree G - 2	Tara - 2	Maxine - 4
Hannah - 4	Melanie - 3	Hannah - 4	Margy - 1	Melanie - 2
Carlie - 1	Debbie - 4	Carlie - 1	Carlie - 1	Hannah - 4
Tammy - 3	Carlie - 1	Tammy - 4	Tammy - 4	Carlie - 1
Michelle - 5	Tammy - 3	Michelle - 5	Michelle - 5	Tammy - 3
Corinne - 4	Michelle - 5	Corinne - 4	Helen - 5	Michelle - 5
21	18	20	18	19

INTENSIVE SWIMMING

Term 4 - 19th November - 30th November

I have enclosed \$ 10.50 for the final week of the Intensive Swimming program.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Please return the permission note and money tomorrow