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Principal's Message

Thank you to all the parents and teachers who attended our P&C meeting last night. The P&C comes with the highest endorsement from me as it provides an avenue for parents to be active partners in the education process. A very productive evening was had and we look forward to implementing some new ideas to create greater accessibility to meetings and ensure effective communication of events. Further details regarding these changes will be communicated shortly. It was wonderful to see so many faces, including new parents for 2019. I look forward to continuing my support and extend to you a warm welcome to the final meeting of the year which will be held on Monday 3 December (search for the Facebook event for more details).

Gold Assembly

This Thursday will be the first of two Gold Assemblies held in Term 4. As always you are invited to celebrate the successes of our students and see some wonderful performances. Hope to see you at 2:15pm in the hall. Please note that the date for the second Gold Assembly to be held later in the term has had to be changed to facilitate high school orientation. The new date is Monday 3 December.

What's coming up

Friday November 2-30

Rec Sport

Wednesday November 7

Year 6 Sausage Sizzle

Thursday November 8

- Gold Assembly
- Kindergarten Orientation exisiting families

Wednesday November 14

Symbio Excursion

Thursday November 15

Disco

Friday November 23

Village Fair

Tuesday December 4

Helpers Morning Tea

Thursday December 13

Presentation Day

Handover

This week marks the final week of my 9 week opportunity in 'the chair'. Mr. Redfern returns on Monday and Mrs. Breasley and I will go back to job sharing the admin assistant principal position. I sincerely thank Mrs. Breasley for stepping in full time to support me and our students during this time. A thorough handover will occur with Mr. Redfern to ensure a smooth transition into the remainder of the term.

Kyleigh Liles | Relieving Principal



It is fantastic to see more students reaching 100/200 nights of Home Reading. Well done to:

100 nights of reading Mohammad 1/2C

200 nights of reading Nathalie 5/6N

Natalee Breenan Learning & Support Teacher

P & C NEWS:

Welcome to the UPS P & C News!

Next P & C Meeting: The next meeting will be held **Monday 3rd December** at 7pm. The future of the P&C is uncertain. With our current level of membership and support it will be difficult for us to continue to provide the services and support that we do. We would love to be able to

continue our current level of fundraising and keep providing the school with resources and services that benefit the education of our children, to do this we need **your** support, come along to a meeting or drop me an email to find out more - everyone is welcome. jenleelewin@outlook.com.au

Position Vacant: We have a Secretary Position vacant

Upcoming Events for Term 4:

- End of Year Event The Village Fair is on 23rd November 2018!
 We have received a donation from the 'Illawarra Coal Dendrodium Community
 Enhancement Program' which allows us to offer Matilda's Farm Yard animals and Pony Rides for Free!
 - Stay tuned for more information closer to!
 School Hats are available at the canteen for \$11.

Jennifer Lewin, P & C President

SCHOOL BANKING UPDATE

Class Winners

This week we had a tie for Class Winners: 1/2W and 5/6F were joint winners for Week 4.

Whichever class is leading by the middle of this term will be declared the winner of the class cinema party to allow enough time to plan for it before the end of year amongst all the other end-of-year activities.



Any volunteers and enquiries can be directed via the school office, a note in the red banking bin in the school foyer on Tuesdays or come and see us at 9am Tuesdays in the old uniform shop.

School Banking Coordinators and volunteers,

Jodien Mortlock, Jenny Evans, Joanne Egan, Nicole Martin and Jenna Young



<u>Illawarra Stingrays - Free Clinics</u>

Illawarra Stingrays will be running free clinics at Ray Crump Oval, Illowra Crescent, Primbee on Sunday 11th Nov., 18th Nov. and 25th Nov. from 3pm-4.30pm for U8, U9, U10, U11 & U12s.

If your daughter is keen to gain specialised training from accredited coaches and who is looking at a pathway to becoming a Matilda come along for your chance to be a part of this great club. To register please contact the GSAP.Asst.Technical Director, Mark on 0422 224 640 Hope to see you there!!



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