



Wednesday 23rd November, 2016

Week 7 Term 4

Dear Families,

As we quickly approach Summer the weather is starting to heat up. Just a reminder to pack plenty of water and a hat for your child each day. This week we have closed the bottom oval for some play times and opened up a classroom to provide a cooler alternative for our students.

A big thank you to our wonderful staff for organising and supervising the Stage 2 excursion to the Reptile Park. Particularly Mrs Hussain who was nominated by the students to hold a very big python! The students represented our school beautifully and despite the hot weather, they all had a great day. Another thank you goes to the parent volunteers that supported our staff at this event.

Thank you to the parents who kindly volunteered for the P&C Christmas Disco on Friday 2nd December. Unfortunately we were unable to get enough volunteers to run the event like last year. This year there will only be a family disco with chips, drinks, lollies and fairy floss for sale. A big thank you to our wonderful P&C for organising these great events.

Today's newsletter is all about saying thank you. On Wednesday 7th December we are hosting a Volunteers Morning Tea. It will run from 11.10am –12pm on the verandah outside the staffroom. All parents, friends or family members who have volunteered at our school in any way are welcome to attend. Food and drinks will be supplied by the staff. A big thank you to everyone who has helped at our school this year.

Canteen news—just a reminder that the canteen will be CLOSED on Presentation Day. We would also love some more volunteers for 2017 so that we can continue to run 5 days a week.

Don't forget to start buying raffle tickets for our P&C Christmas Raffle. There are 3 great prizes to be won and will be drawn during the Presentation Day assembly. It would be fabulous if you could return your tickets already cut up to save time on the day.

Stay cool and have a great week!

Jennie Samuels
Relieving Principal

DATES TO REMEMBER

Thursday 24th November

Science Fair 9.30 am—11.00 am

Thursday 24th November

Concert Band Performance—
5.00pm

Friday 25th November

Student Leader nominations due

Thursday 1st December

Goalball Knock-Out Shield

Friday 2nd December

Student Speeches—12pm

Friday 2nd December

P & C Xmas Disco—5.00pm

Wednesday 7th December

Volunteers Thankyou Morning Tea

Thursday 8th December

Presentation Day

Monday 12th Dec

Yr 5/6 Party Day—Splash Zone

Tuesday 13th Dec

Yr 6 Farewell

Wednesday 14th Dec

Yr 3/4 Party Day—Warners Bay
Super Strike

Wednesday 14th Dec

Yr K/2 Party Day—Glendale Movies

Friday 16th December

Last day of Term 4 for Students

Volunteers' THANK YOU Morning Tea

The staff of Garden Suburb Public School would like to thank you for your continued support of our school this year by inviting you for morning tea on the veranda outside the staffroom on Wednesday 7th December (Week 9)

from 11.10 am—12.00 pm.

Staff will be supplying food and drinks.

We hope to see you there!

**PLEASE R.S.V.P. by Friday
the 2nd December (Week 8)**

CANTEEN ROSTER

Thursday 24th November

N. Hodge/M. Arms

Friday 25th November

C. Rankin/Jenny/T. Moss

Monday 28th November

T. Clark

Tuesday 29th November

J. Harris/Fleur

Wednesday 30th November

K. Cavenett/K. Laybutt

CONCERT BAND PERFORMANCE

The Concert Band will be having their end of year annual performance and you are all invited!!!

At the end of each year we like to put together a performance to showcase the skills and talents that our students have developed this year.

Date: Thursday, November 24th 2016

Time: 5pm-6pm

Location: School Hall

Afternoon-Tea Provided

All family and friends are invited!

We look forward to seeing you there!

PAYMENT REMINDERS

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A COMPARISON OF YEAR 5 CHILDREN

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