



# The Surveyor

A Newsletter for the Surveyors Creek Public School Community

Term 4

Week 8

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> November, 2015

## Dates to Remember

27/11/2015	Swim School finishes
27/11/2015	Last Day Canteen
30/11/2015	P & C Annual General Meeting
02/12/2015	Kindergarten Orientation Visit 2
03/12/2015	Parent Helper Morning Tea 11.00am in the hall
04/12/2015	Sports Assembly
08/12/2015	Academic Assembly
10/12/2015	Year 6 Graduation Assembly
10/12/2015	Year 6 Farewell Dinner
11/12/2015	End of Year Reports home
16/12/2015	Students last day of term
17/12/2015	Staff Development day
18/12/2015	Staff Development day
27/01/2016	Staff Return
28/01/2016	Years 1-6 return
28/01/2016	Best Start Assessment for Kindergarten commences
01/02/2016	Best Start Assessment last day
02/02/2016	Kindergarten Commence
07/03/2016	Narrabeen Camp Stage 3 - Departure
09/03/2016	Narrabeen Camp Stage 3 - Return

## PAYMENT/PERMISSION REMINDERS

All money should be placed in a clearly marked envelope in the secure box outside the Administration Block.

**No late payments will be accepted.**

**Spare notes in the rack in the admin office foyer or on the school's website**

Zone Representative Photo Order envelopes are now available at the front office. Please see the sample photo in the office display window. Order envelopes are to be returned by 4<sup>th</sup> December 2015.

Year 6 Year Book Orders are due by 9.10am Friday 4<sup>th</sup> December. The Year 6 Book is \$10.00.

Stage 3 Camp for 2016 will be held at Academy Of Sport and Recreation Narrabeen. Departure will be Monday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2016 Returning Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> March 2016. The Deposit is to be paid by 4<sup>th</sup> December 2015.

Hampers for the Homeless Just a reminder if you are donating please bring in non-perishable food.

**Receipts for school payments are issued by teachers to students each Friday.**

## Notes home this fortnight

Year 6 Year Book Order Form  
School Disco

## All notes are on the Website

We wish to advise that this page of the newsletter will be sent home with students every fortnight. The remaining pages will be available to view on our website!

**Pancakes are not available on Friday's as a lunch order.**

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08/12/2015 – Academic Assembly  
10/12/2015 – Year 6 Graduation Assembly  
10/12/2015 – Year 6 Farewell Dinner and Disco  
11/12/2015 – End of Year Reports home

## ANNOUCEMENTS

OFFICE HOURS 8:40am to 3:25pm

School Banking will be every Tuesday of school terms.

Clothing Pool will be every second Thursday (that's even weeks) of school terms.

**ASSEMBLIES FOR 2015:** K-2 even weeks on Friday afternoons at 2-15pm  
3-6 odd weeks on Friday afternoon at 2-15pm



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### *From the Principal's desk*

#### School Leaders for 2016

Congratulations to the 8 students who were chosen to be our School Leaders for 2016!

Harrison Rushbrook

Cooper Brennan

Mitchell Mallia

Ashton Gibson

Olivia Auddino

Samantha Rowe

Torrance McLean

Vanessa Dillon

These wonderful students presented to our panel responses to three strategic questions on leadership as part of the selection process. The panel was most impressed with the calibre of answers. Good luck to all. Captain and Vice Captains will be announced at our Academic Assembly on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> December.

#### Kindergarten Orientation

We welcomed 80 new Kindergarten students to our wonderful school yesterday as part of our Kindy orientation process. I am pleased to say that the children settled in well and we didn't have too many tears. We look forward to seeing them all again next week.

#### Sensory Garden

Congratulations to Mrs Blackwell for successfully placing a submission to the State Government for the construction of a sensory garden. We received a grant for \$3500 in 2016.

#### School Reports and Classes for 2016

Teachers have been working tirelessly on their students reports over the past weeks. This takes up an enormous amount of time that includes week nights and weekends. I would like to publicly thank all of my staff for their dedication and professionalism during this time. It is always stressful and your efforts are very much appreciated.

We are in the final stages of formulating our classes for 2016. As with past years, letters informing you of your child's class for 2016 will go home with reports. We will be moving classes on Monday the 14<sup>th</sup> December 2015. On Tuesday the 15<sup>th</sup> December 2015 after 11:30am we will put the children into their 2016 cohorts and they will go to their new classrooms with their new teachers.

Regards

Mrs Kathy Browne

Principal

## PBL Awards

Many children at our school have collected a PBL ribbon. Most children are aware they are to hand in 3 certificates and they will receive a ribbon. Once a child does receive 3 ribbons they must hand in their 3 ribbons to receive a banner.

In short - 3 certificates = a ribbon

3 ribbons = a banner

Mr John Lister

Assistant Principal

## PBL Awards for Weeks 7 & 8 - Term 4

Skylah Kendall	2D	Ribbon
Kaylee Tran	2D	Ribbon
Faith Manning	5JM	Ribbon
<b>Jasmine Jones</b>	<b>2D</b>	<b>Banner</b>
<b>Annlin Biju</b>	<b>6L</b>	<b>Banner</b>
David Hogan	6L	Ribbon
<b>Mikayla Wood</b>	<b>6L</b>	<b>Banner</b>
Mikayla Wood	6L	Ribbon X 3
Jessica Rowe	6L	Ribbon
Paul Sebastian	6L	Ribbon X 3
<b>Paul Sebastian</b>	<b>6L</b>	<b>Banner</b>
Gracian Mojica	6L	Ribbon
Joshua Benton	5CW	Ribbon
Hannah Rowe	3ML	Ribbon

Leah Tomarchio	3ML	Banner
Ryan Attard	KK	Ribbon
Kurt Hickey	4C	Ribbon
Kurt Hickey	4C	Banner
Riley Cleminson	1B	Ribbon
Gavin Mojica	KP	Ribbon
Makayla Hoegal	KK	Ribbon
Jayden Grace	2N	Ribbon
Riley Stasiuk	1L	Ribbon

### **P & C Annual General Meeting**

The next P&C Annual General Meeting will be held on Monday, 30<sup>th</sup> November 2015 at 6pm in the Staffroom. You must be a financial member to vote or be nominated for a position (for at least 1 month before the Annual General Meeting). To be a financial member payment is \$1.00 paid to Paula Rowe.

### **Canteen News**

Due to the lack of new parent helpers in the canteen, unfortunately the canteen is forced to close early this year. The canteen will close on the 27/11/2015. On this day we will be having over the counter sales only and it will also be red day. Last day for lunch orders will be Wednesday 25/11/2015. There will be no pancakes on this day either.

Thankyou to all the canteen parent helpers, that have gone above and beyond their commitment to help keep the canteen open this year.

We hope to get new regular helpers for next year so we can continue to raise money from canteen sales to give back to our school.

Please be aware you will need to have your Working with Children check clearance number to do this. Any queries on how to receive your clearance number please see the office.

**Cherie Lilley**  
Canteen Manager

### **Single With Children**

Single with children is a non-profit social group that provides fun and exciting social activities every week specifically for single parents and their children.

For your free copy of the social calendar please call 1300 300 496 or visit the web site: [www.singlewithchildren.com.au](http://www.singlewithchildren.com.au)

### **Oral Health Services**

General Dental treatment for children under 18 years of age is free at NSW Public Dental Health Clinics.

For further enquiries and Clinic Locations Please contact (02) 4734 2387 or 1300 769 221

### **Carols in Glenmore Park**

Glenmore Park Anglican Church invites you to Carols in Glenmore Park on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> December 2015 at Blue Hills Oval, Glenmore Park at 5pm Food and fun for the whole family and then Christmas Carols from 7pm – 8.30pm. For further information please contact Rev John Lavender 4733 1635 or visit web site [www.glenmoreparkanglican.com.au](http://www.glenmoreparkanglican.com.au)