



# The Surveyor

A Newsletter for the Surveyors Creek Public School Community

Term 3 Week 10

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> September 2017

#### **Dates to Remember**

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	21/09/17	Kaleb Ah-Colt BBQ Fundraiser
	22/09/17	Last Day of Term 3
	09/10/17	Students Return Term 4
	10/10/17	K-2 Life Education week
	13/10/17	K-2 Life Education last day
	18/10/17	Year 6 Showcase of Talent Fundraiser
	23/10/17	Public Speaking
	24/10/17	Early Stage 1 Excursion Calmsley Hill
		Farm Excursion
	25/10/17	Grandparents Day
	03/11/17	P & C Wacky Walkathon
	06/11/17	Learn To Swim Program - Begins
	09/11/17	Surf and Water Awareness Program
		(3/4I, 3/4B, 3/4H)
	10/11/17	Surf and Water Awareness Program
		(3/4L, 4JH and Support)
	15/11/17	Kindergarten 2018 Information Evening
		7pm – 8pm
	17/11/17	Learn to Swim Program - Final day

#### PAYMENT/PERMISSION REMINDERS

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

Early Stage 1 – Calmsley Hill Farm Excursion
Payment of \$30.00 to be made by 9.10am Friday 13<sup>th</sup>
October, 2017. Online payment to be made by 6pm
12<sup>th</sup> October, 2017.

#### Surf and Water Awareness Program

Payment of \$50.00 to be paid by 9.10am Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> October, 2017. Online payment to be made by 6pm 25<sup>th</sup> October, 2017.

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

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

#### Notes home this fortnight

Surf and Water Awareness Program Mufti Day Fundraiser Kaleb Ah-Colt Learn to Swim Program Wacky Walkathon

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!

#### **Important Dates**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

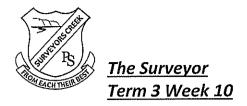
OFFICE HOURS 8:40am to 3:25pm

School Banking will be every Tuesday of school terms.

Clothing Pool will be every second Thursday afternoon (that's even weeks) and every Tuesday morning (odd weeks) of school terms.

ASSEMBLIES FOR 2017: K-2 odd weeks on Friday afternoons at 2-15pm

3-6 even weeks on Friday afternoon at 2-15pm



I can Learn Anything!
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Term 3 Week 8

From The Principal's Desk

# Kindergarten Enrolments 2018-ASAP

Just a reminder if you have a child or know of a child that is eligible to start school in 2018 (child must be turning 5 by 31st July 2018) could you please start the enrolment process by visiting our school Administration Office and filling out the enrolment forms. At Surveyors Creek we interview all of our new Kindergarten students prior to starting. This year interviews will commence the beginning of Term 4. It would be very much appreciated if we could have letters for interview times out to parents by the end of Term 3.

# **State Finals**

Thank you to all the staff and parents who have helped throughout the year and good luck to all our wonderfully talented students.

# **Validation**

Our school participated in the external validation process on the 7<sup>th</sup> of September and the Principal School Leadership and Principal Peer validator commended us on our effort and evidence of where we sit against the School Excellence Framework.

Below is a copy of our on balanced judgement of where we sit as a school in the areas of Learning, Teaching and Leading.

#### Panel Report - 2017 - Surveyors Creek Public School

SEF S-aS: Submitted	<b>⊘</b> Executive summary	Evidence folder lock	O Director affirmation	<b>⊘</b> Panel Report	+ Add EV team 20 members added	
Element name			School Assessment	EV Assessment		
● Learning Culture			Sustaining and Growing	Sustaining and G	rowing	
◆ Wellbeing			Sustaining and Growing	Sustaining and G	owing	
◆ Curriculum and Learning			Excelling	Excelling	Excelling	
Assessment and Reporting			Sustaining and Growing	Excelling	Excelling	
Student Performance N	leasures		Delivering	Delivering		
Effective Classroom Practice			Sustaining and Growing	Sustaining and G	Sustaining and Growing	
Data Skills and Use			Sustaining and Growing	Sustaining and Gr	owing	
◆ Collaborative Practice			Sustaining and Growing	Sustaining and Growing		
Learning and Development			Sustaining and Growing	Sustaining and Growing		
Professional Standards			Sustaining and Growing	Sustaining and Growing		
• Leadership		Excelling	Excelling			
School Planning, Implementation and Reporting		Sustaining and Growing	Sustaining and Growing			
School Resources			Excelling	Sustaining and Growing		
Management Practices and Processes			Excelling	Excelling		

#### Breakfast at the Creek!

The staff will be selling sausage sandwiches from 8 am on Thursday morning 21<sup>st</sup>. Sausage sandwiches are \$2:50 all proceeds will go to helping Kaleb Ah-Colt. We would like to thank Woolworths Glenmore Park for their kind and most generous donation of all the sausages and bread. There will be vegan, halal and gluten free sausages as well as beef sausages to cater for everyone. Everyone is welcome! We are not preordering and will be selling until all sausages have gone.

## **Happy Holidays**

Yours in Education

Kathy Browne Principal

#### **Canteen News**

#### Term 3

Friday 22 September - Canteen will be closed for all lunch orders and over the counter sales.

#### Term 4

Wednesday 11 October - Canteen open as usual for lunch orders and over the counter sales

Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October - Canteen will open for over the counter sales including 'Red' Day but <u>closed</u> for lunch orders (Year 6 Fundraiser - Showcase of Talent pre-ordered BBQ Lunch)

Friday 3 November - Canteen will open for over the counter sales but <u>closed</u> for lunch orders ('Wacky Walkathon' - pre-ordered BBQ Lunch)

'Red' Day is where students are able to purchase additional sweets and treats from our canteen including Zappos, Giant Straws, Lolly Bags, Double Dips, etc.

The canteen is also in need of some volunteer helpers for Wednesday and Fridays, if any of our parents, grandparents, aunts, uncles have some free time just once a month and you have your Working with Children Check please see Cherie in the canteen or the front office.

#### **Lost Property**

Just a reminder to parents that if you could please double check that your child has not mistakenly taken home the wrong jacket, jumper or hat as we have had quite a number of students who are missing various uniform items. Also it is always a good idea to put your child's name on jackets hats lunchbox's etc.

#### Mulgoa Public School P & C Movie Night

Mulgoa P&C is hosting a movie night on the 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2017 at Mulgoa Public School.

#### **P&C News**

Term 3 has been a busy term for fundraising, we have raised -

Pyjama Day - \$526.05 Disco - \$2,135.25 Father's Day Stall - \$1,896.22 Stage 2 Cake Stall - \$844.35

Thank you to all our parent helpers that have volunteered their time for these events, we greatly appreciate it!

Our Major Fundraiser 'Wacky' Walkathon is on <u>Friday 3 November 2017</u>, all students should have their letter, BBQ & Activity order forms, raffle tickets and sponsorship booklets. If you have not received them see the ladies in the front office. Please ensure all are returned to the P&C Box on or before their due dates so your child/ren don't miss out.

Our next P&C Meeting is our AGM on <u>Tuesday 7 November 2017 at 6.30pm</u> in the school staff room, all are welcome.

Thank you P&C Committee

#### 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 9 & 10 - Term 3

Hana Howells	Banner	2C	
Indyanna Grech	Ribbon	3/4H	
Bailey Lawton	Ribbon	1G	
Sarah Crichton	Ribbon	KL	
Jackson Melville	Ribbon	KA	
Thomas Benton	Ribbon	3/4B	
Poppi Howells	Ribbon	5/6Q	
Grant Mojica	Ribbon	5/6H	
Emma Norrish	Banner	5/6H	
Jayden Grace	Banner	3/4B	
Kaneesha Patrick-Ngao	Ribbon	3/4B	
Will Hejduk	Ribbon	3/4B	
Ranveer Dhaliwal	Ribbon	3/4B	
Nathan Erquieza	Ribbon	3/4B	
Devansh Bansal	Ribbon	K/1HM	
Junran Cao	Ribbon	2L	
Callum Daggar	Banner	1C	
Kelsie Brown	Ribbon	K/1HM	
Archer Soriano	Ribbon	KA	
Lillian Mok	Ribbon	KS	
Adelle Aboody-Denne	Ribbon	KA	
Taylor Marshall	Ribbon	KM	
Addison Carter	Ribbon	2C	
Lola Kennard	Ribbon	KA	
Abiha Ali	Ribbon	KA	
Emma Spiteri	Ribbon	KM	
Lucas Nuttall	Ribbon	1HW	
Jayden Portelli	Ribbon	KA	
Zoe Murie	Ribbon	1C	
Jordan Long	Ribbon	KA	
Callum Robinson	Ribbon	2C	
Isabella Borg	Ribbon	2C	

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Cooper Soriano	Ribbon	1G	
Isaac Leicher	Banner	2UW	
Morrissey Estevez	Ribbon	2C	
Ava Ilijeski	Ribbon	KS	
Joey McManamon	Ribbon	1C	
Callum Stevens	Ribbon	1W	
Jorge Larsen	Ribbon	1W	
Ranveer Gill	Ribbon	1G	
Jai Scarfone x2	Ribbon	2UW	
Phoenix Xu	Ribbon	KA	
Jackson Absalom	Ribbon	KA	

# SURVEYORS CREEK PUBLIC SCHOOL P&C MEETING MINUTES TUESDAY 1st August 2017

**MEETING OPENED:** 

3.25pm

Meeting held in School Staff Room.

#### **MEETING CHAIRED BY Diane Morgan**

Attendees:

Robyn Koen, Nicole Timbs, Cherie Lilley, Diane Morgan, Kelly Touma, Catherine Smith,

Di Clark, and Lisa Cammans

Apologies:

Belinda Rushbrook, Kathy Browne, Vicky Hope, Kylie Hoegel, Nicole Hancock and

Glenda Pagacs

#### **MINUTES**

Previous minutes read and accepted:

Accepted by Lisa Cammans and seconded by Kelly Touma

#### **BUSINESS ARISING**

Rebel Sports have advised that the parents can change their nominated fundraising body instore.

#### **CORRESPONDENCE IN**

- Fundraising Brochures (given to Kelly)
- Letter requesting support for Kaleb Ah Colt to represent the school at Sydney West Rugby League, NSW boys Rugby League and Sydney West Rugby Union. (robyn to look at past motions regarding NSW representation) moved that this amount be given by Di Morgan 2<sup>nd</sup> by Cherie Lilley
- P&C Federation membership and insurance renewal
- Community Building grant information
- Cheque from Surveyors Creek to the canteen for supplies to the src

#### CORRESPONDENCE OUT

- Letter and cheque to Mr John Lister for early stage 1 and Support cake stall
- Forms and cheque to P&C Federation for insurance and membership.

#### **REPORTS:**

#### Treasurer

- Reports attached.
- \$53,017.76 @today P&C Account
- \$5,965.01 @ today Canteen Account
- \$3995.00 still remaining from the allocated funds for the playgroung equipment these funds have been allocated just not yet dispensed
- Still awaiting a list from the technology committee with the itemised list for the \$10,000.00 moved last meeting Mr Lister Jr will provide
- Support unit allocation \$600 still not given.

#### Canteen

- The new menu has started this term, the old popular items such as pies and hotdogs are still selling well even though the price has been raised.
- Fridays are still a struggle for helpers
- Cherie has approached the school about repainting the canteen as there is peeling paint. The school will address this as it is an OHS issue.
- There has been a problem with PSSA students coming to collect class lunch boxes early getting their lunch then leaving the rest to go cold on the concrete. The solution is to wait until the eating bell before any lunches go out.

#### **Fundraising**

- The PJ day is 8/8/17
- Disco 9/9/17
- Stage 2 cake stall 7/9/17
- We will continue to advertise the need for working with childrens check
- Walk-a-thon has received \$850 from business to go towards prizes and there is a further \$500 to come. Kelly has also written to Kmart and Hoyts asking for donations.

#### Uniforms

- Lowes have the winter tunics in
- There are still lots of second hand uniforms to sell
- Di Clarke has placed an order for headbands, bows and clips

#### PRINCIPALS REPORT

- The school would like to extent a big congratulations to the P&C and the school community for its efforts in winning the Mooney real estate competition \$10,000.00 these funds will go towards finishing off the new play space with a deck around the sandpit.
- Validation has been brought forward to 7/9/17. The committee is working very hard to meet this new deadline with weekly afternoon meetings and some off class time.
- · Wakakirri is also in full swing.

#### **GENERAL BUSINESS**

- The Athletics Carnival went well the new venue was a success.
- Lisa Cammans has suggested incorporating some skill training for Athletics events leading up to the carnival so the time is better spent on the day.
- Robyn has asked if the minutes from the meeting can be sent to those who have apologised before
  they are moved so these p & C members can be up to date at the next meeting. It was agreed that
  this is ok.

#### **NEXT MEETING**

• TUESDAY 12<sup>th</sup> September 2017 @ 6.30pm

MEETING CLOSED: 4 Minutes taken by Robyn Koen.