



# The Surveyor

A Newsletter for the Surveyors Creek Public School Community

Term 3 Week 4

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> August 2018

## Dates to Remember

15/08/18	Maths Olympiad
15/08/18	Debating Round 4
20/08/18	Book Week Begins
21/08/18	Book Character Parade 9.20am – 10.00am Year K-2 10.10am – 10.50am Years 3-6
23/08/18	Stage 2 P & C Cake Stall (new date)
24/08/18	Assembly Week 5 2.10pm
24/08/18	PSSA Last Day for 2018
28/08/18	Writers Festival – Glenmore Park High School
29/08/18	Rehearsal BMDF
29/08/18	District Athletics Carnival Day 1
30/08/18	District Athletics Carnival Day 2
30/08/18	Father's Day Stall
31/08/18	Featherdale Excursion Stage 1 including Support
03/09/18	Blue Gum Lodge Excursion Yr 3
04/09/18	Blue Gum Lodge Excursion Yr 4
05/09/18	School Disco
05/09/18	Debating Semi Final
12/09/18	Maths Olympiad
13/09/18	Stage 3 Mini Fete
17/09/18	Public Speaking Final Stg 2 & 3
19/09/18	Sydney West Athletics
21/09/18	K-2 Athletics
25/09/18	Surveyors Spectacular
28/09/18	Mufti Day Year 6 Fundraiser
28/09/18	Banners & Ribbons Assembly

## 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**

## Stage 2 Blue-Gum Lodge Excursion

Please return permission slip together with payment of \$65.00 to the office by 9.10am Friday, 24<sup>th</sup> August, 2018. If paying online please pay by 6pm Thursday, 23<sup>rd</sup> August 2018.

## Fathers Day Stall

Order Forms & money to be returned to the front office and put into the P & C box by 9.10am Friday 17<sup>th</sup> August 2018.

## Surveyors Creek Annual Stage 3 Mini Fete

Please place the attached order form and money in a sealed envelope to the administration office by 9.10am on Friday 31<sup>st</sup> August if paying online please make payment by 6pm 30<sup>th</sup> August 2018.

## Featherdale Farm

Please place permission slip and payment of \$25.00 to the office by Friday the 24<sup>th</sup> August if paying online please make payment by 6pm 23<sup>rd</sup> August 2018.

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

## Notes home this fortnight

Stage 3 Mini Fete  
Cake Stall Stage 2  
Book Character Parade  
New Canteen Price List/Volunteer Form  
Featherdale Farm

**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!**

**Change of date for Stage 2 Cake Stall is now the 23<sup>rd</sup> August, 2018**

## 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 at 2.45pm (that's even weeks) and every Tuesday morning from 8.40am (odd weeks) of school terms.

**ASSEMBLIES FOR 2018: Weeks 5 & 10 each term**



**The Surveyor**

**Term 3 Week 4**

**From The Principal's Desk**



Just a reminder to all of our community that dogs are not allowed on the school premises at any time. We are required to follow the 'Animals in School's Policy' when and if animals are brought onto the school premises. That goes for all animals. If you are wanting to bring an animal for show and tell this needs to be organised with your child's teacher prior to the animal being on the premises. If you are walking your dog to drop off or pick up students you will need to either be outside school gates or stop at the front gate where you will either say goodbye to your child in the mornings or collect them from there in the afternoons.



The P & C have asked me to let you know that if you are having any issues with the quality of our school uniforms to please take them into Lowes at Penrith Plaza and show them the issues. They may be able to help you, especially if they are fading excessively during normal conditions.



This is just a courtesy discussion about Facebook pages. I know there are many private facebook pages created as a way for parents to communicate within our school. These mostly private groups can provide a great source of information and support to the parents of our students. I would ask that if you are posting on the page to be mindful of other parents, especially when it comes to posting things such as your child's reading level and home reader etc. This can cause concern and angst amongst other parents if they feel that their child is not performing as well and we know that students all achieve at different rates. If you are not sure what is going on please feel free to ring the front office, see your child's teacher, AP or myself and Mrs McCann-Smith if you would like clarification on the matter.



### **Kindergarten Enrolments 2019**

Just a reminder if you have a child or know of a child that is eligible to start school in 2019 (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.





## **GRAND PARENTS DAY 29<sup>th</sup> October**

Just giving everyone the heads up that Grandparents day will be on the 29<sup>th</sup> October more information will come as we get closer to the day!



### **CHILL OUT-New System!**

Attention parents and caregivers we will not be sending notes home for students that have been placed on 'Chill Out'. 'Chill Out' is our strategy that allows students to reflect on their negative behaviour and develop skills and strategies to follow our school rules of being **SAFE RESPECTFUL LEARNERS**. We have found that in many circumstance these notes are not getting to you as a parent or carer, so to improve communication and awareness the Assistant Principal of the child's stage will contact you by phone or leave a message for you to contact them at a convenient time to discuss the incident or matter further. 'Chill Out' is not a punishment! It is a social skills intervention to address inappropriate behaviours within a positive behaviour for learning framework. Its intent is to allow students to reflect on their negative behaviour and build a repertoire of appropriate strategies to deal with similar situations. Chill Out is for 20 minutes only during the first half of lunch and is supervised by an Assistant Principal. Generally the student only attends one session for the inappropriate behaviour unless the behaviour is severe and requires more intervention.

Yours in Education

Kathy Browne

Principal

### **JDRF One Walk**

Emma Hogan, a past student from Surveyors Creek, is a JDRF Ambassador and is involved in the 2018 Penrith One Walk to raise funds to find a cure for juvenile diabetes. The walk will be held on Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2018 at Jamison Park, Penrith. There will be a BBQ, Face painting, Market stalls, Raffles and Tasty treats available. For more information contact via email [jdrfonewalkpenrith@gmail.com](mailto:jdrfonewalkpenrith@gmail.com) or like our facebook page 'JDRF One Walk Penrith'.

### **PBL Awards**

Many children at our school have collected a PBL ribbon. Most children are aware they are to hand in 3 certificate 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

Mrs Sue Burke

Teacher/Librarian

### **PBL Awards for Weeks 2 to 4 – Term 3**

Hannah-Kate Proud	Ribbon	4/5CW
Riley Hancock	Ribbon	2C
<b>Riley Hancock</b>	<b>Banner</b>	<b>2C</b>
Luka Milacic	Ribbon x 3	6MN
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Charli-Rose Grech	Ribbon x 3	1MH

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Lauchlan Hoegel	Ribbon	5P
Ranveer Dhaliwal	Ribbon	5P
Callum Brown	Ribbon	5P
Cooper Ovington	Ribbon	5L
<b>Megan Buffett</b>	<b>Banner</b>	<b>2M</b>
Jaida Timbs	Ribbon x 2	5L
Orlando Mancia	Ribbon	1C
Shae Champion-Dawes	Ribbon	3S
Jade Armstrong	Ribbon	3S
Sasen Udumalagala	Ribbon	3-5B
Tahlia McIntosh	Ribbon	3N
Neave Bottrill	Ribbon	6H
Olivia Barrett	Ribbon	6H
Jake Nuttall	Ribbon	3-5B
Mitchell Starr	Ribbon	3S
<b>Mitchell Starr</b>	<b>Banner</b>	<b>3S</b>
Xavier Murie	Ribbon	1S
Kaylee Tran	Ribbon	3-6P
Lauchlan Hoegel	Ribbon	5P
Lucas Norrish	Ribbon	5P
<b>Isaac Necewski</b>	<b>Banner</b>	<b>4/5CW</b>
<b>Kristopher Haramis</b>	<b>Banner</b>	<b>4/5CW</b>
Ethan Davis	Ribbon	KA
Keira Plevy	Ribbon	3N
Kayla Henderson	Ribbon x 2	6MN
<b>Bavnit Kandhola</b>	<b>Banner</b>	<b>5P</b>
Lachlan Green	Ribbon	6H
<b>Amelia Chadd</b>	<b>Banner</b>	<b>3S</b>
Isaac Leicher	Ribbon	3N
Nicholas Yousif-Sitto	Ribbon x 3	6H
<b>Nicholas Yousif-Sitto</b>	<b>Banner</b>	<b>6H</b>
<b>Jerrin Jomon</b>	<b>Banner</b>	<b>4/5CW</b>
Hartley Dunn	Ribbon	2M
<b>Mason Smith</b>	<b>Banner</b>	<b>2M</b>
Sara Hallani	Ribbon	4/5CW
<b>Miller Haythorne</b>	<b>Banner</b>	<b>1C</b>
Kane Hope	Ribbon x3	6MN
Harper Shepherd	Ribbon	KE
Chloe Timbs	Ribbon x 2	3N
Lily Carney	Ribbon	KE
Mason Chetcuti	Ribbon	3N
Karanveer Dhaliwal	Ribbon	1S