

Currumbin Valley State School



Reward for Effort

Upcoming Events

Week 9

LAST WEEK OF Sporting Schools

Thursday 23 March

Friday 24 March

- Parade (9:00am -)
- Uniform shop (8:30 – 9:30am)
- Coffee Shop



Week 10

Monday 27 March

Tuesday 28 March

- Year 1-6:RI

Wednesday 29 March

- School banking

Thursday 30 March

- Mobile library (GCCC) visiting
- Junior Band students – SHINE Music Festival @ Tallebudgera SS (Information sent home)

Friday 31 March

- Parade (9:00am -)
- Uniform shop (8:30 – 9:30am)
- **Easter Bonnet parade @ 2:30 with P&C raffle draw**

Term 2

Week 1

Monday 17 April

Public Holiday – Easter Monday

Tuesday 18 April

- Year 1 – 6: RI

Wednesday 19 April

Thursday 20 April

Friday 21 April

- Parade (9:00am -)
- Uniform shop (8:30am -)
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From the Principal

School Chaplaincy Service

Currumbin Valley SS, with the support and approval of the P&C, were successful in their application for a 3-year chaplaincy service in 2016. Unfortunately Mrs. Donna was unable to continue in the role this year so we have been working with NORTEC to advertise the position.

The benefits of having these services provide students, staff and parents with social and emotional support by providing an additional adult role model in the school, and enhancing engagement with the broader community.

Chaplaincy and student welfare worker services are inclusive of, and show respect for, all religious and non-religious beliefs and other stances represented in the school community. All activities and events provided are optional, non-discriminatory and equally available to students of all beliefs, and are provided at the discretion of the school principal, in consultation with the school community.

The school is looking for members of the school community who are interested to form part of the Local Chaplaincy Committee (LCC). This group meets once a month to gather feedback on the services provided to the students and provide community input into additional service suggestions.

We will be entering into the interview process before the end of term with the view to commence our new Chaplain at the start of Term 2.

Contact me if you are interested in being a part of the committee. There are no jobs, it's about having and being a voice. My email is: hmack57@eq.edu.au

Sporting Schools – changes from Term 2

Sporting Schools aims to:

- provide quality organised sporting experiences;
- connect children with NSO endorsed sporting opportunities;
- increase children's participation in sport;
- nurture children's lifelong love of sport; and
- create stronger links between children and local sporting clubs.

So, what does this mean for us?

Currumbin Valley SS has previously employed local coaches to run organised sporting opportunities for our students, however due to compliance and regulations, we will no longer be able to do this. We must

utilise and register with one of the accredited National Sporting Organizations (NSOs).

On choosing an NSO we have considered and will continue to consider for all future applications:

- maximum participation numbers;
- broad age range; and
- number of sessions provided.

For now, parents and carers need to be aware that Sporting Schools will no longer run over two (2) afternoons a week. At most we will be able to offer Sporting Schools for a period of eight (8) weeks for only one (1) session per week. However, this is fully dependent on our success in applying for the grant.

Information and updates, as they become available, will be sent home.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Mrs. Kelly Balshaw and Mr. Jason Boyes (coaches) and our supervisors Mrs. Shelley; Mrs. Fiona and Mrs. Louise. Kelly has collaborated and coordinated with all of the team to provide engaging and fun activities for our students and I want to thank her for the time and heart that she has put into this, each week, for the students and community. Thank you to all of the Sporting Schools team!

Easter Bonnet parade

Students in Years 1-6 are encouraged to design and make their bonnet at home. Prep students will be making theirs in class. Judging will be based on the following criteria. - theme: New Life
- self-stabilising
- recycled material



There is one prize per class; judged by a panel as to whoever meets the criteria in the most creative way.

Easter Raffle – DONATIONS NEEDED NOW (every donation receives a FREE ticket in the draw)

Each family has been sent home with a book of 10 tickets. These are worth \$2 each. Every family is asked to sell at least one book of tickets to raise money for the P&C, who do great work for the school and students. This year they have already committed to upgrading the Electronic Whiteboards in the Year 5 and Year 6 rooms! More than \$8000!

There is an excellent prize for the family who sells the most books of tickets, so feel free to pick up more from the office.

Interschool Soccer and Netball – Years 4 – 6

Students interested in trialling to be a part of one of our inter-school sporting teams will have the opportunity next week.

The cost of participating in a team will be approx... \$90 for the season. This cost is to cover transport on the bus, levies and equipment maintenance, **and is non-refundable.**

If your child is selected in a team, this amount is to be paid in full. Please deliver full payment to the office with the permission slip by Wednesday 19 April (first Wednesday after the holidays). Adjustments to due dates and payment plans can be arranged if discussed with the Administration team prior to the due date.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

P&C news and updates

Please donate Easter goodies for the P&C raffle – donation box is in the office – every donation receives a free ticket into the draw.

ANZAC Day competition

Member for Currumbin and the Currumbin Palm Beach RSL invite Year 5-6 students to participate in our Anzac Day essay competition.

This year's two topics will be "The Significance of Anzac Day" or "My Anzac Day Hero is...." Attached is an entry form which gives you more details in regards to the criteria and the requirements.

'One year to go' Community celebration

Celebrate one year to go to the Commonwealth Games. Surfers Paradise Beach and Esplanade
Tuesday, 4th April 2017 4pm

Recycled Art Workshop

11th Avenue Creative
Palm Beach Community Lounge & Library
2nd Saturday of the month
9.30am-11am
Bookings:
<http://bit.ly/GCLibrariesEvents>

Attachments

- ANZAC Symbolic sleep out
- 1-2-3 Magic
- Sporting Schools update
- 2017 Keeping Kids In Mind
- School holiday rugby clinic