



18th August, 2008
Term 4 Week 6

Calare Public School

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Participate and Achieve

Dear Parents and Guardians

Congratulations to 4B, their foyer display last week was brilliant. Thank you Mrs. Barrett, the Waratahs were stunning! This week KC already have their artworks and stories on display. The amount that Kinder children learn and the way they develop during their first year at school never ceases to fascinate me. Well done KC and Mrs. Cannon!

Congratulations also to our 150 performers who entertained two "Full Houses" at "Orange in Concert" last Tuesday. The evening concert was particularly sharp and the children from all schools participating were a credit to their schools and their families.

Our annual jog-a-thon will be held tomorrow. We would love to see lots and lots of parents cheering the children on and enjoying the day themselves – providing, of course, the predicted rain holds off!

This week the Life Ed van will be parked next to the Office area. If you normally walk into school down this part of the driveway, it might be best to take an alternate path while the van is here.

Kinder classes will be going on a very special excursion to Wambangalang this week. Two classes will be there on Thursday and the rest of Kinder will go on Friday.

Have a lovely week

Mike Willis
Principal

P&C MEETING
Tuesday,
18th November
7:30pm
in the Staffroom.
Everyone most welcome.

JOGATHON
18TH NOV. 2008
2PM

FOUND/ LEFT AT CUSHION CONCERT:
One Picnic Basket. Please check with school office if this is yours!

LIFE EDUCATION 2008

The Life Education Van will be visiting our school in Weeks 6 to 9. Dates are as follows:

Wednesday, 19 th November	3G, 3K and 1PW
Thursday, 20 th November	6R, K1K
Tuesday, 25 th November	6E, 2G
Wednesday, 26 th November	4K, 2S
Thursday, 27 th November	KT, KS
Tuesday 2 nd December	6A, 3T, 2/3H
Wednesday, 3 rd December	Year 5 students from 4/5/6D and 5/6S, 5SB and KC
Thursday, 4 th December	1E, 4S, 1BF
Tuesday, 9 th December	5C, 5W, KG
Wednesday, 10 th December	Year 6 students from 4/5/6D and 5/6S 4B and 2H

The cost will be \$3-00 per child. Please forward the \$3 in an envelope with your child's name and class on it to your child's teacher before Wednesday, 19th November.

If you do not wish your child to attend this activity, please let your class teacher know in writing.

ADVANCE NOTICE:
Primary Presentation
Friday, 12th December
held at
Orange Function Centre
At 12 noon

ADVANCE NOTICE:
Infants Presentation
Wednesday 10th
December
Kindergarten - 9:30am
Year 1 - 10:30am
Year 2 – 12:00 midday
Held at school

LIBRARY NEWS:

The last Book Club for the year will be given out this week. It will be due back on 28th November in order to make sure that the orders are received before school ends. Since I have put the orders in online they are usually back in a week's time.

Thank you for all the support this year as we have purchased a great quantity of books both for the library and for the Home Readers with the Bonus Points.

END OF YEAR STOCKTAKE

Borrowing ended last week for all the children. It would be appreciated if you could assist your children in returning their books as soon as possible. Overdue notes will be sent out in the next few weeks once all the books are in the correct places on the shelves.

Books that are not returned will need to be paid for in order for new ones to be purchased.

JOGATHON

Our annual school Jogathon will be held tomorrow, Tuesday 18th November.

For newcomers to our school, this event is held each year. The children receive a sponsorship card, which they should have received last week and are asked to seek sponsors from family and friends.

On Tuesday 18th November the children are asked to walk, jog, skip etc around their specified area of Cutcliffe Park adjacent to the school playground. The children bring their jogathon card with them on the day of the Jogathon and have their card stamped for each lap they complete.

The children then collect their sponsorship money and return it to school. There will be someone in the TLC each morning before school from 9:00 till 9:30am for a week after the Jogathon, to collect the sponsorship money.

All students will need to wear their full sports uniform with appropriate footwear on the day. Please ensure that your child has a hat, a full drink bottle and sunscreen. We will be having an early recess and lunch on the day and the Jogathon will take place at approximately 2:00pm on Cutcliffe Oval. Hopefully your child has been busy collecting as many sponsors as they can. All children have the chance to win a prize.

HELPERS NEEDED:

We still need helpers on the day to mark off cards as the children make their way around the course and we need volunteers to help with the collecting of money in the TLC. If you are able to offer some time to help out, we would really appreciate it. Please fill in the slip below and return it to the school office. Money will be collected on Monday to Friday next week (Week 7) from 9:00 till 9:30am.

YEAR 6 FAREWELL DINNER
There will be a meeting this Wednesday, 19th November at 3:30pm in the staffroom to organize the Year 6 farewell for 2008.

All Year 6 parents are welcome to attend to assist in organising.

Separate notes will go home about those wishing to help cook a dish.

The Friends of the Orange Regional Gallery and Orange Regional Concervatorium present
GILBERT & SULLIVAN PROMS CONCERT
6:30pm Friday November 21st
in the Orange Regional Gallery Forecourt
Bring a hamper and a rug. Friends and Family, and enjoy an evening of the best of British from the masters of timeless Musical Comedy.

JOGATHON HELPER:
I would be willing to help with.

Jogathon Day – Tuesday, 18th November

Collection of Money - Week 7 Mon Tue Wed Thur Fri