



The Oakdale Newsletter

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Term 4, Week 12, 2013

Date: Tuesday, 15th October



Dates to remember



Coming up in October

- *15th, 22nd, 29th & 5th Nov Extra high school transition (only for those students requiring it)
- *17th/18th Stage 2 camp
- *22nd Kinder Orientation parent meeting
- *22nd Waste Audit
- *23rd Stage 3 Making mud bricks
- *23rd Area Public Speaking
- *24th K-2 Excursion to Belgenny Farm
- *25th Cricket Gala Day 5/6

Reminders

- *Swim Scheme we still have vacancies – bring note and money this Friday.
- *Raffle tickets sent home with newsletter return when sold.
- *Kinder enrolments due now.

From the Principal's desk

What a wonderful day our Spring Fair was. It was great to see teaching and office staff, students, parents and community members all working together for our school. Comments were made about the community feel and tone of the day. We raised approximately \$4000- exact figures will be given in the next newsletter when we collect all of the money from stall holders and the Rotary BBQ.

As you know the money raised will go towards an outdoor learning area. We will start the project over the next few weeks so it can be completed before the end of the year.

Once again thanks to everyone who was involved in making the day a success. We will have a fair every two years.

**WORKING TOGETHER MADE
THE DIFFERENCE!**





TREASURE CHEST



CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING STUDENTS WHO RECENTLY VISITED THE TREASURE CHEST. YOU HAVE ALL BEEN TRYING VERY HARD TO DO YOUR BEST IN CLASS.

KB	Zahli Hoare, Lily Hooper, David Milne, Reagan Austin, Georgia Griffin, Chris Fordham, Kassidy Halliday, Ashley Barnes, Claire Sproule, Torin Rowland
1C	Josh Graham, Casey Beard, Bowyn Scott,
2HI	Jasmine Griggs,
3B	Ben Prout, Calix Rowland, Liam D'Arcy, Amy Hooper, Mitchell Welsh, Imogen Ramp, Cody Beard, Kate Foster, Cooper Taylor,
4L	Jesse Beard, Thomas Dalton, Chelsea Nink,
5F	Jami Roberts, Brandon Takiari, Jaide Curtis, Dylan Newham, Zoe Richards, Shaylee Robinson, Chloe Jensen, Taylor-Lee Johns, Malcolm Dalton, Casey Ramp, Hassan Dirani, Dylan Newham, William Salzman
6W	Tiffany Brincat

Primary Big Blueys

Term 4 Week 2

3B	4L	5F	6WF
Mitchell Welsh Cody Beard	Jake Austin x 2 Brianna Fraser	Kye Dingle Ryan Ballard x 2 Jami Roberts	-
Student of the Week: Lachlan Brincat	Student of the Week: Jake Austin	Student of the Week: Corey Roberts	Student of the Week: Harrison Meredith

Festival of Fisher's Ghost Art Awards 2013

One student from each class of students that has attended "The Talented Artists" classes this year has been selected to submit one artwork to the Festival of Fisher's ghost Art Awards. The artworks will be on display from 2nd-16th November at Campbelltown Arts Centre on the corner of Camden and Appin Roads Campbelltown.

KB – Isabel Nash – Spring Flower

1C – Tyrone Brincat – Cat and Bird

2HI – Joel Graham – POG

3B – Amy Hooper – Fat Cat

4L – Emmitt Carlile – Pearl Barley and Charlie Parsley

5F – Maddison Hartshorne – Cat Vase with Flowers

6W – Jessica Fordham - Fearless

Prize Winners of our Raffle and Silent Auction

Silent Auction Winners:

Bamboo cotton jumpsuits – Mrs Berger

Bird in a cage – Mrs Seisun

Star Shots vouchers – N Hamby and A Hamby

Winners in the Raffle

1st Bec Conway

2nd Keith Russell

3rd Amelia Harding

4th R Hamby

5th Mrs Coppola

6th Rae ?

7th Nic

8th Reid

9th Leigh Allen

Rydges Raffle

We have our final fundraiser for the year our Rydges Raffle which is valued at \$962. The prize package includes a two night stay in the city, with breakfast for 2 adults and 2 children. A Taronga Zoo pass and fuel card valued at \$200 is also included. Each family is asked to sell one booklet and send the money in as soon as they are sold. There are 20 tickets at a cost of \$2.00 each so each booklet is \$40.00. Unsold tickets need to be sent back as well. The prize will be drawn at our Presentation Day Assembly on the 16th December. **All tickets and money must be returned by 2nd December. Each booklet sold will receive a discount voucher and the chance to win an iPod Shuffle**

Enrol for Kindergarten

We would be grateful to parents if they intend enrolling a student in Kindergarten next year to come to the office and complete an enrolment form. We are already planning for next year and want as much organisation as possible to be done before the end of the year.

Last Chance to Enrol in Swim Scheme

Presently we do not have enough students enrolled in Swim Scheme to be able to go ahead. If you would like your child to go the note and money need to be in by this Friday. There are still 20 places to fill. The course goes for 10 days at a cost of \$90.

Stewart House Bags

Stewart House bags will go out today and need to be returned by 23rd October. Please make an effort to return them full of clothing as several of our students have been to Stewart House and really enjoyed the experience.



ICAS MATHS RESULTS

PARTICIPATION CERTIFICATE

Cooper Taylor Yr 3
Cody Beard Yr 3
Hayley Underwood Yr 3
Thomas Bonomini Yr 4
Victoria Davis Yr 4
Alicia Campbell Yr 4
Jaide Curtis Yr 5
Maddison Hartshorne Yr 5
Madison Box Yr6
Blake Harris Yr 6
Darcie Roche Yr 6
Oscar Roche Yr 6

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P&C Fete News

Wow! What a day is all I can say, the weather was lovely. Some people said “Don’t do a Fete, it won’t work”, but I was determined to have a Fete at Oakdale Public School as the last one was 10 years ago!

And what a Fete it was, people came, they ate, they bought things, they made donations, they supported our little school. Thanks to everyone who came on the day, thanks to the staff for coming early on the day and helping to set up, if it wasn’t for you, we might not have been ready on time. Thank you to the people who helped me get the Fete off the ground, and to my main helpers, Melissa Austin, Sharryn McGrory, Anita Young and the people who have come on board in the last month or so, Fiona Williams, Trish Fordham, Carmen Crompton and Natalie Bond.

Thanks to all the businesses that donated all the lovely prizes to make our chocolate wheel and raffle a huge success: TRN, Woolworths, Reggies Pizza, Colour perfection hair and beauty, Camden Deli, Annies Bakery, Home Quarters, Seagulls on Argyle, Panarotti’s pizza and pasta, Travelscene, Alpha and Omega Real Estate, Camden Thai restaurant, Dunlop tyre service, Bunch it with country florist, McDonalds, Tyldsley’s Butcher, and everyone else who donated items.

Thanks to all the stall holders, Bouncing bambinos for the Jumping Castle, lovely facepainting, temporary tattoos and plaster art, a massive thanks to the scouts for their climbing wall – which helped Year 6 raise money for their end of year gift. A big thanks to The Oaks physical culture club for giving a display in the hall, and thank you to Macarthur Country Music for keeping us entertained and to Rotary for keeping us fed!

I’m just so excited to say that it was a huge success and hopefully there is not another 10 years between fetes!

Thanks,

Kalika Austin

P&C Vice-President and Fete organiser

