Principal’s Word

The year is rapidly coming to an end but there are many events still to take place. Over the next 4 weeks we have Swimming lessons for PP – Year 3, Year 6 and 7 Orientation days, Parent Helpers morning tea, a Whole school assembly, Year 6/7 Mini Fete, Reports home and Year 6/7 Graduation and Dinner Dance. Please ensure that you keep the Term Planner near at hand to see if there is something that concerns your child.

As a part of Department policy there is a requirement that all Government schools undertake surveys to guide their future direction. Therefore, even at this busy time, a parent survey will be distributed to our school community for your response. I would very much appreciate your feedback by completing the survey online. A letter will be sent home with your child in regards to the process in the next week.

OSH Club

I mentioned in last week’s newsletter that before and after school care will be starting for families who attend Safety Bay Primary School. Children will be catered for before and after school during the week commencing from 2nd February 2015 (first day children attend). Two meetings for interested parents will be held on Tuesday 9th December in the school staff room. The first will be at 2.30pm to enable parents to attend before the end of school and at 6.30pm, before the school Council Meeting.

Kindy Café

Thanks to all the parents (both old and new) to the school for attending our Kindy Cafés over the past few weeks. They have been extremely successful and we hope valuable to those who have attended. We have a couple more to finish off the year so whether you have attended them all or none as yet you are welcome to attend. Check with the office to find when your child’s group attends.

Year 7 Transition

On Friday our Year 7 students will be attending Safety Bay Senior High school for the first of their Transition days, the second day will be on the following Friday (28th). Both days are very important for the students to get an understanding of what lies ahead in regards to commencing high school in 2015. The students need to meet at Safety Bay Senior High School on Friday morning and will be at school for the full day (8.30am to 2.40pm). The Year 7 Orientation day is scheduled for Friday 5th December.

Year 6 Camp

Safety Bay Year 6 students are currently attending their camp at Bridgetown. They have arrived safely and are enjoying similar activities that the Year 7’s enjoyed last week. As I stated previously, although this is a fantastic opportunity and will be a great experience, it is also a privilege as they are representing Safety Bay Primary School. The Year 7 camp was very successful and enjoyed by all. Mrs Cooke is leading the camp along with Mr Brennan, Mrs McCulloch, Mrs Muirhead and Mr Leeson. We will see them on their return Friday.

Important information for 457 Visa Holders.

You may be aware that the State Government has decided that all 457 Visa holders will contribute towards the cost of educating their children in public schools from January 2015. If your visa status has changed, it is important that you provide a copy of the new Visa Grant Notice to the school office. A helpful list of FAQ’s is also available at the school administration office.

School Council Meeting

This is to be conducted on Tuesday 9th December at 7.00pm in the school staff room. It will be an open meeting which means any parent of the school can attend. As it will follow the OSH Club meeting, parents will able to attend both. I would encourage any parent who is interested in being more involved in the school to attend.

Quote: You have to go wholeheartedly into anything in order to achieve anything worth having.

Wayne McKay
Principal
IMPORTANT DATES

Last day of term for students in 2014:
- Thursday 18th December 2014
First day of term for students 2015:
- Monday 2nd February 2015
Additional dates for Uniform Shop:
- Thursday 29th January from 9.00am-12noon
- Friday 30th January from 9.00am-12noon

SAFETY BAY PRIMARY SCHOOL CHOIR
AND DRUM GROUP

The Safety Bay Primary School Choir and Drum Group will be performing at the Rockingham Community Fair on Sunday 23rd November at 10.00am, Village Green corner Patterson Road and Flinders Lane Rockingham.

Dear Parent's

The KidsMatter team have been working on a project called the Sydney Project. This project is slowly coming to fruition. There has been lots of work by staff behind the scene and for them it has been a slow arduous process. We are hoping this will provide the students with equipment that they can use during lunchtime that promotes imaginative play.

We are now asking for some support from our school community. We are trying to collect items for the junior playground. The items need to be of reasonable condition as the children will be playing with them. We are looking for:

- Cooking Equipment i.e. old pots, pans, spoons, cooking trays, measuring cups etc.
- Dress up clothes i.e. jackets, shirts, ties, dresses etc.
- Plastic buckets.
- Big thick rope that would require a couple of students to lift.
- Clean tarps

Due to us currently having a limited storage area available, we will only collect a small amount of equipment for this year. If you have anything that you would like to donate please drop it into the office. This will allow us to monitor the amount of equipment that we are collecting.

Please don't be offended if we say that we currently have enough. We will collect more at the beginning of next year.

Thank you in anticipation of your support

KidsMatter Team

P & C NEWS

Uniform Shop
Please remember to place your school uniform orders for 2015 as soon as possible.

Do you have any school uniforms that you no longer need? If so, it would be greatly appreciated if you could donate them to the Safety Bay Primary School uniform shop.

Walkathon
Walkathon money is due for collection by next Wednesday 26th November and can be dropped off in the office.

P&C Meeting
Thursday 4th December at 7.00pm in the staff room.

MERIT CERTIFICATES
ASSEMBLY 7th NOVEMBER

Congratulations go to the following students, the latest recipients of our prestigious Merit Certificates. Well done!!

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SNAKES!

Snakes have been spotted in the vacant block of land on Rae Road. Please be extra careful around this area and if you see a snake leave it alone and call the Rockingham City Ranger on 9528 0303. if possible.
INTERNATIONAL DAY FOR PEOPLE WITH Disability

Participate, Communicate and Celebrate!

Date: Thursday 4 December 2014
Time: 6.30pm – 8pm
Location: Gary Holland Community Centre and Village Green, 19 Kent Street, Rockingham

For more information contact City of Rockingham 9128 1313 or customerinfo@rockingham.wa.gov.au

NOTICES FROM OUR COMMUNITY:
Safety Bay Primary School does not endorse nor assume any responsibility for the information provided.

Bullying in the Cyberworld
Free parenting workshops for community members

It can be distressing for parents to find out their child is being bullied or bullying others.

This one session workshop identifies bullying behaviour and looks in detail at cyberbullying and its impact on children. We will support participants in teaching children strategies to reduce the incidence of being cyberbullied or cyberbullying.

This workshop is running on the following dates:

Tuesday 18th November 2014, 9.30am-9.00pm
Willerton Youth Centre, 58 Burnstead Blvd, WILLETTON

OR

Thursday 20th November 2014, 9.30am -12.30pm
Rockingham Campus Community Library, Dixon Rd, ROCKINGHAM

NEW
Rhythmic Gym Stars

Beginners Rhythmic Gymnastics

Classical Ballet
Jazz Ballet
Hip Hop
Acrobatics
Tap

PORT KENNEDY

For more information contact Donna 9310 4745
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Cost
$40 Annual Registration
$10 Class

First Class FREE

Call To Secure Your Place
All 0421 104 435