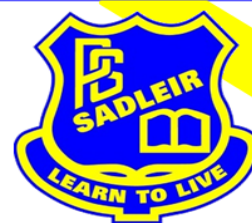


SADLEIR PUBLIC SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER



6th March 2013

Principal's Report

High School 2014

All Year 6 students have received Expression of Interest forms for high school in 2014. These forms must be returned to the classroom teacher by Friday 22 March.

For those parents still undecided for next year, my advice to you is to contact the relevant high school/s that you are considering. Some of these schools are currently holding information days/nights and I would encourage you to attend where ever possible.

If you would like further information about the high school enrolment process please contact me through the front office.

School Survey

A survey about School Culture was sent home to all families yesterday. Data collected from this survey is used to determine future directions and the results will be published in our Annual School Report.

All surveys are anonymous and should be returned to the office foyer and placed in the blue box.

Food at School

Healthy food and drink provide children with energy to successfully get through a full day at school. Therefore, it is very important that your child has enough of both to last the whole day. Unfortunately some students are coming to school without food or drink. This is not good for any child's health. Please ensure that your child comes to school with a healthy lunch each day.

Contact Details/Permission Notes

Thank you to the parents who have returned their student emergency contact details and annual permission notes to school. For those who haven't, please do so as soon as possible as it is very important that we keep our records up to date.

P&C

The Annual General Meeting of the P&C will be held next Tuesday morning at 9:15am. I look forward to seeing you there.

Head Lice

We seem once again to have had a bit of an outbreak of this at school. This time of year (students just back to school) coupled with the heat makes this is an ongoing issue for some families. Can I please ask you to be diligent in checking your children's hair on a weekly basis



and treating for this annoying condition if needed....and then following up after a week. The Department of Health website has some great information to support you in attending to this.

Stewart House

Stewart House is the official charity of the NSW Department of Education and Communities and has supported students in public schools for over 75 years. Stewart House is now seeking your support, so that it can continue its wonderful work.

To help make a difference all you have to do is place a \$2 gold coin donation in the envelope accompanying this newsletter. All those supporting Stewart House in this way, are placed in a state wide draw to win a \$4000 fantastic family holiday to a destination of their choice.

Donations will be accepted up until the last day of this term.

Attendance Tip

Even taking a small amount of time out of school can be a problem and your child might fall behind with work and be unable to catch up. Their friendships can suffer and may lead to them having difficulty maintaining positive relationships with their peers.

A child with a good school record of attendance is setting themselves up for a better future once he/she leaves school.

It only takes 3 or 4 days off per term to start seriously affecting your child's education. 8 days absence or more per term and they fall below 85% attendance. This means they are unable to reach their full potential and their future life choices become far more limited.

Stephen Gray

Principal

UPCOMING ASSEMBLIES

8 th March 2013	3/4D
15 th March 2013	1/2B

Uniform Shop

Uniform Shop is open on:

Tuesday and Thursday mornings only

8:30am – 9:00am.

Please report to the school office first.

If you are not able to come at this time you may phone through an order and pick it up later.





5/6L have been studying persuasive texts. These are some of the fantastic sentence starters we have used to convince the reader of our opinion!

Other would argue that maths is the best Subject – Brayden

I believe that children should have a good education – Cameron

We all know that money doesn't grow on trees – Irsa

SOME PEOPLE SAY THAT HOMEWORK IS BORING – EMMA

All the evidence show that sport is good for your body – Nada

Other would argue that school is a waste of time - Aly

The fact is girls are better than boys! – Sally

ONLY A FOOL WOULD THINK THAT THE EARTH IS SQUARE – SABRINA

All the evidence shows it would be very hard to get away with murder – Cody

Others would argue that ghosts really do exist – Dana

The fact is life is hard - Ellie

I believe that junk food is very unhealthy – Johnson

Some people say that sports is not cool – Emman

Others would argue that mermen are not real – Farouk

We all know that clocks tell us the time – Lam

Some people think that the shark is the biggest animal in the ocean - Layal

This proves that school is important – Amanda

We all know that 5/6L is the best – Victoria

Some people say that technology is bad – Isaac

We all know that pokemon do not really exist - Menzies

In conclusion, I believe that mermaids exist and maybe in the water today - Michael



Easter Family Night

Thursday 21st March 2013

6pm – 8pm



Bunnings Hoxton Park will be having a huge Easter Egg Hunt at the end of night. There will be plenty of chocolate for all of the children.



There will be heaps of entertainment in store with Jumping Castle, Clowns, Fairy Floss, Popcorn, the Laughing Clowns Game and of course our Kids DIY Workshop.



Bunnings Hoxton Park will also be accommodating for the Adults as well. Hosting an interactive and hands on Painting DIY workshop. There will also be Prize Grab and Spin n Win for the adults.



Special visit from the Easter Bunny

Refreshments will be provided on the night however Bookings are essential to ensure you don't miss out.



For further enquires or to make a booking feel free to contact the store on the below details



Bunnings Hoxton Park- 2 Lyn Parade, Prestons

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