Term 3, Week 4
Tuesday 5th August, 2014

PRINCIPAL’S REPORT

Education Week celebrations at Currans Hill were very successful with many families visiting the school to participate in Commonwealth Games Fun Day. I would like to thank the students, staff and families for their wonderful support of our school.

Parent Teacher interviews were held last week with many families taking the opportunity to meet with their child’s teacher. If you have been unable to schedule an appointment please contact your child’s teacher and discuss a suitable time to meet and discuss your child’s learning achievements and needs.

Currans Hill has accepted the chance to run the canteen at the Cricket GALA DAY at Kirkham Oval on Friday 22 August. This will be a great fundraising opportunity for our school. If you are able to assist on this day please speak to Mrs Flegg.

CARPET CLEANING
Annual carpet cleaning will be completed at the school over the weekend of Week 4. The service is provided by our school cleaning contractor and ensures the carpets are kept as fresh and dust free as possible.

I am looking forward to attending the Festival of Choral Music at the Opera House on Thursday night and wish our choir all the best for this amazing experience.

PARENT ONLINE PAYMENTS
As previously advised, I am pleased to inform you that Currans Hill will be introducing an online payment system for families through the school website. Parents will be able to make online payments for excursions and events using Debit and Credit Cards. It is anticipated that the system will be operational by mid-August. Additional information will be provided over the next few weeks.

Mrs Flegg
Principal

CALENDAR TERM 3 - 2014

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PRINCIPAL’S AWARDS

Congratulations to the following students who have reached the level of Principal’s Award: Baxton Lane – 1C, Well done!

Your award will be presented at your next scheduled assembly.
**GALA DAY RESULTS**

**GIRLS SOCCER**
A stellar performance by both Senior and Junior teams. The weather was against us again but the girls rose above it and showed what great sportsmanship we have at Currans Hill. The Seniors remained undefeated until their last game! The Juniors showed great improvement winning 2 games even though we were down 3 players! Again, I was extremely proud of both teams and all the players involved. From the Senior team I want to make a special mention of Rebekah and Latana who displayed great attacking skills and from the Junior team Olivia and Brianna who guided the girls well around the field.
Seniors - won 3, drew 2, lost 1
Juniors - won 2, drew 1, lost 2
Mrs Selakovic

**AFL**
The AFL gala day teams performed bravely over the 2 gala days with the seniors finishing 3rd from 9 teams and the juniors finished 6th from 8 which was a great effort considering they played short in most games.
Best players, Seniors - Kane B, Jonah B and Lachlan G.
Juniors - Ivan P and Blake S
Huge thanks to Caitlyn H and Mickayla W who were able to come into the team on short notice and really had a go.
Mr Weir

**BOYS SOCCER**
Well done to all involved. We had a great time even if it was a little cold and windy again!
Seniors: 3-0 loss v Harrington Park; 2-0 loss v Narellan Vale; 1-0 loss v Mt Annan; 3-1 win v Camden Sth; 3-0 win v Cobbitty.
Juniors: 4-2 loss v Harrington Park; 1-1 draw v Narellan Vale; 1-0 win v Mt Annan; 1-0 win v Camden Sth; 1-1 win v Cobbitty.
Mrs Grenfell

**RUGBY LEAGUE**
A fantastic effort by all the boys at the Rugby League Gala Day. The Seniors won 2 games and drew the third, finishing equal 2nd place on the day. Jackson Rye was our biggest try scorer with 5 tries in all Brayden Gleza was a superb captain and was chosen Best and Fairest Senior player of the day.

The Juniors won one game and lost their other. They also showed great sportsmanship playing two friendly games against Mt Annan and Mawarra when they were left without opponents. Oliver Kaluzyn also scored 5 tries and was named Best and Fairest Junior player. A big thank you to all of the parents who helped to get the boys there on such short notice.

**Wakakirri Tickets**
Families who are wishing to still purchase tickets for Wakakirri Performance, please go onto the Ticketmaster website directly at www.ticketmaster.com.au. Search for Wakakirri and the venue is Wollongong. Tickets on sale NOW.

**Wakakirri Props**
We are in need of toy cameras (preferably black) as a prop for our Wakakirri performance on the 13 August. If you are able to assist please send them to Mrs Harrington.

**Stage 3 Camps**
Not long now until the Stage 3 camps to Teen Ranch and Canberra. The medical notes will come out with this newsletter it would great to get them back this week to finalise camp arrangements.
Mr Weir

**3-6 Athletics Carnival**
Our Primary Athletics Carnival will be held on Friday at Jack Nash Oval. Many of you would be aware that the oval has been closed due to burst pipes under the ground. We are hoping we will be able to use the field by Friday but if not we will hold the carnival on the school oval.

All students should wear warm clothing (house colours or sport uniform). They need to bring a blanket or towel to sit on, recess, lunch, drinks, hat and sunscreen. We welcome and encourage families and friends to attend.

**OPERA HOUSE CHOIR**
Students are reminded that they need to be at Campbelltown Station by 10am on Thursday ready for our performance. We will be meeting parents at the conclusion of the evening at the bottom of the Opera House steps on the left hand side.
Mrs Miller & Mrs Grenfell
**Library News**

Ursula Duborsarsky and Andrew Joyner will be visiting our school next Wednesday. Don’t forget to return your permission slip and money to the office by this Friday 8th August. I encourage all students to attend this exciting event.

Miss Johnson

**Father’s Day Mufti**

Thursday 21 August  
At this year’s Father’s Day stall we will be selling “Dads Bags”. For this Mufti Day we are asking for items to include in the bags, please choose items from the following list and send them with your child to be collected at their classroom.

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We would also love to hear from anyone with a business connection who might like to donate a bulk lot of items suitable for inclusion, please leave a message with the office.

**Scarecrow Items Needed!**

Some Stage 1 classes are making scarecrows to protect our fruit and vegetable garden. We would really appreciate any donations of old clothes, hats, boots etc to assist us in our creations.

Thank you  
Mrs Ward

**DO YOU HAVE A CHILD READY TO START KINDERGARTEN IN 2015?**

If you have a friend or neighbour that has a child ready to start Kindergarten in 2014 please let them know enrolment packs are now available from the office for all new families to CHPS.

If you currently have a child at CHPS please complete the tear off slip at the bottom of the newsletter and we will forward a ‘ghosted’ enrolment form to you.

Proof of birth date, address and immunisation status are required to be lodged with the enrolment forms.

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**Inclusions with today’s newsletter:**

- Stage 3 Teen Ranch Camp Note  
- Stage 3 Canberra Camp Note  
- School Photos  
- Tennis Hot Shots Brochure

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**Kindergarten 2015**

Please forward a ‘ghosted’ enrolment form for my child who is to begin Kindergarten at Currans Hill Public School in 2015.

Child’s Name: _____________________________ D.O.B. ________

Name of most recently enrolled Sibling: ____________________________

Sibling’s Class: ________________ Sibling’s D.O.B ________________

Signature of Parent / Carer: ____________________________

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