Term 2, Week 5
Tuesday 19th May, 2015

PRINCIPAL’S REPORT

Anxiety Workshop
I strongly encourage parents to take the opportunity to attend the workshop arranged by Mrs Wilson on Tuesday, 26th May at 1:30pm in our hall. Dr Fitzpatrick from Macquarie University will be speaking to parents on how to assist your child if they suffer from anxiety. At a cost of only $5, I can recommend this presentation. Prepayment at the office by tomorrow please.

Whooping Cough
Everyone was notified last week of some cases of whooping cough in our school. Thank you to parents who have informed the office if your child has been diagnosed with whooping cough. It is vital that we are aware so we can inform the community. Your privacy is of course guaranteed but we do need to inform everyone as cases are identified. Thank you for your support.

Naplan for Years 3 and 5
This was held last week and results are expected to be returned to school by the end of August.

Zone Cross Country
Congratulations to the students who participated on Friday at the Zone Cross Country in Camden. Well done.

Mr. Wray – Principal

DON’T MISS THIS FANTASTIC OPPORTUNITY - ANXIETY WORKSHOP

Curran Hill Public School strongly recommends this great opportunity! Don’t miss out, return the below slip and $5 to secure your seat. Anxiety is a common problem among children and adults alike. Research has shown that there are a growing number of children suffering with anxiety but involvement of parents in the treatment of anxiety disorders leads to better outcomes. In order to explore the ways you could support your child’s anxious behaviours, I have secured the services of Dr Sally Fitzpatrick, a leading therapist from the Centre of Emotional Health at Macquarie University to deliver a parent workshop on anxiety. Sally will discuss different types of anxiety, how to recognize it and most importantly strategies to support your child in positive ways.

Date: Tuesday 26th May
Where: Currans Hill Public School Hall. Parking is available on the street or at the IGA shops.
Time: 1:15pm for a 1:30pm start. The workshop will conclude by 2:45pm
Cost: $5 per person payable in advance to secure your placement as numbers are limited. Please complete the form below and return it with your $5 payment to the office by Wednesday 20th May.

Kind Regards,
Sandra Wilson

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AUTISM PARENTS SUPPORT GROUP

Due to the Anxiety workshop on Tuesday 26th May, the Autism Parent Support Group will not
be held on this day. Parents are welcome to register/attend the Anxiety Workshop instead.

**SCHOOL PHOTOS - REMINDER**

School photos are tomorrow. Please ensure full school uniform is worn. If making payment on the day, all payment envelopes are to go directly to their classroom teacher not to the office.

It is preferred that Year 6 wear their Year 6 shirt.

**STUDENT BANKING NEWS**

Last week, some students received a slip to advise that we had run out of tokens. Further supplies have now been ordered. Please note that the Commonwealth Bank keeps a record of the number of deposits made for reward purposes.

When students have made 10 deposits they are eligible for a reward. To claim a reward a completed redemption coupon should be sent in with your child’s bank book on banking day. Redemption cards were included in starter packs. Further redemption cards are available from the front office.

**BE SKILLED BE FIT – FINAL PAYMENT DUE**

A friendly reminder to parents who paid the deposit for Be Skilled, Be Fit that the balance owing is due by this Friday 22nd May.

**PRINCIPAL’S AWARDS**

Congratualtions to the following students who have reached the level of Principal’s Award. Well done


Awards will be presented at your next scheduled Assembly.

**RECONCILITATON WEEK**

National Reconciliation Week (NRW) is celebrated across Australia each year between 27 May and 3 June. The week is a time for all Australians to learn about our shared histories, cultures and achievements.

We will launch Reconciliation Week with a special short Reconciliation Assembly to held at CHPS on Friday 22nd May at 12pm in the school hall. Indigenous and school community members are all invited to attend.

**NORTHCOTT PRESENTATION**

Due to lack of numbers this will no longer be going ahead. We apologies for any inconvenience.

**COMMUNITY PICNIC DAY**

Saturday 23rd May, 10.00am – 4.00pm
(Alcohol Free Family Day)
CAMDEN EQUESTRIAN PARK
Free parking Via Exeter Street
Rides & Entertainment, Coffee, tea, ice cream, cold drinks, milk shakes etc. Also: Kindy farm Nursery, Jumping Castle and Slide, Col Buchanan DVD show, Hot Pot the Clown, Tumble town Maze, Puppeteers, Radio Controlled Cars, Table Tennis Competition, Golf Chipping Competition, Tug-o-war & lots more games.

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