



SUNBURY HEIGHTS PRIMARY SCHOOL

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TERM CALENDAR

DATE	DETAIL
2012	
Mon 11th June	QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY No School
Tues 12 th June	School Council Meeting – 6.30pm
Mon 19th June	ICAS Writing
Tues 19 th June	Grade 5/6 Rugby Gala Day
Thurs 21st June	5/6 Science Excursion
Friday 22 nd June	5/6 Science Excursion
Tues 26th June	Parent/Teacher Interviews 1.30pm Dismissal
Fri 29 th June	End of Term 2.30pm Dismissal NON UNIFORM DAY GOLD COIN DONATION
JULY	
Mon 16th July	Term 3 begins
Thurs 26 th July	Curriculum Day No students at school
Fri 27th July	The Ned Show
AUGUST	
Tues 7 th Aug	School Council
Fri 31st Aug	Fun Run Prep – Grade 6
Fri 31 st Aug	Non Uniform Day

**PLEASE SIGN UP TO RECEIVE YOUR ELECTRONIC
NEWSLETTER ON THE SCHOOL WEBSITE
(ADDRESS ABOVE)**

(Limited printed copies are available from the office.)

PUBLIC HOLIDAY

**Monday 11th June
Queen's Birthday
NO SCHOOL**



PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Please enjoy your long weekend and take the time to recharge your batteries in readiness for the last three weeks of school.

Western Water Grant

Congratulations to Peter de Waart and Jo Harding on obtaining a \$1000 grant from Western Water. The grant will enable us to do much towards the completion of the school vegetable garden. The garden is beginning to take shape. The planters are in place, full of manure and the picket fence boundary is being erected. Further works will include taps being fitted near the garden and pavers being laid so that planting tables can be purchased and seedlings grown. Some of this work will take place at the working bee on June 17. If any able bodied people can lend a hand with digging.

Industrial Action

The Australian Education Union called on its members to stop work on Thursday 7 June 2012. Many of our staff took action on Thursday. The school has taken all possible steps to minimise disruption to students, including the requirement to notify parents of the Stopwork action and that appropriate supervision of students will be provided at the school.

To ensure you have full access to all information about the dispute I have included the links below for your information and consideration about the reasons for the dispute.

www.education.vic.gov.au/about/enterpriseagreements/teachers/parents.htm

www.aeuvic.asn.au/eba2012.

Winter Woolies

Now that the cold weather has really set in, it is important that students come to school dressed appropriately for the weather conditions.

Hats, scarves, and gloves are encouraged for coming to and from school and to be worn outside at recess and lunch breaks. These items are not to be worn during class time.

2012 PREP TOURS AVAILABLE – PASS ON TO A FRIEND

Tours of the school for prospective school families are still being held. Please contact the office on 9744 3377 to make an appointment.

Staff Car Park

Last night and this morning, staff have alerted me to the fact that parents are still using the staff car park off to drop off children. Small children are not being directly supervised and often will do unpredictable things such as darting in and out and not looking believing they are safe. Mrs. Tyers was very concerned about a child not under direct supervision, darting out into the path of her car when she was arriving at school.

We don't want any accidents to occur in this way can you please drop your child off in either Charter Road East or Leichardt St. If the weather is going to be inclement I suggest parents buy their child a small fold up umbrella to use on their way to and from the car.

Regards
Kaye Mills
Principal

World Vision Fundraising

Throughout May, each class endeavoured to raise money for World Vision. It was up to the students to decide how they would go about this and ideas ranged from donating 'spare' change to special efforts.

Members of the Junior School Council were extremely excited and impressed when they added up the money raised. The total was a huge \$725.30. This is an incredible effort.

Students were also able to decide what they would like to purchase from World Vision with the money they raised. Here is what has been bought:

Class	Amount Raised	Purchased
Prep D	\$50	Spaces for children to play
Prep X	\$35	Sports equipment
1/2R	\$30	A duck, purification tablets and pencils
1H	\$30	A chicken and feed as well as a duck
2W	\$85	A fish farm, a duck, a mosquito net and immunisations
3T	\$140	Water and sanitation
3K	\$90	Purification tablets, pencils, mosquito net and a lamb
4P	\$60	Clean water
4L	\$40	A duck, purification tablets, pencils, a chicken and feed
5A	\$60	Clean water
5O	\$24	Vitamins
6L	\$60	Clean water
6d	\$21	School materials

This fundraising effort, organised by the Junior School Council, has been an overwhelming success. Congratulations to our Junior School Councillors who are ably led by Ryan Rowbottom and THANK YOU to our students and teachers who took this project on with great enthusiasm and raised much more money than we could have ever expected.

Cathie Morcom

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

To the following students to the 10th June
Cruz Noonan, Troy Kamarinos, Ricky Lesoa

PUPIL OF THE WEEK – WEEK ENDING 8th JUNE

Teacher	Student	Reason
Junior Xuereb	Audrey Sasulu	For working hard and learning to write her name.
Junior Danaher	Leo Bunting	For completing his writing on the "Little Red Hen".
Junior Ross	Ava Woolford-Fleming Dane Gifford	For being keen to practise their reading skills.
Junior Hill	Tyson Mills	For being attentive during discussions.
Junior Wilson	Bridey Carew	For showing interest and enthusiasm towards our desert unit.
Middle Knight	Brock Ireland	For writing a brilliant story about an exploding giraffe.
Middle Pianura	Cameron Symes	For making an awesome oral presentation about his life stages.
Senior Andersen	Lacey Blake	For excellent public speaking at assembly.
Senior Langmaid	Hayleigh Gilpin	For handing in homework each week to a high standard.
Miss Ratkowski PE	2W	For making excellent progress in their badminton unit.
Mrs Caddaye ART	Jackson Neilson	For being attentive and helpful in Art.

HUME CITY COUNCIL VACATION CARE

Program dates:
Monday 2 July to Friday 13 July, 2012.
CLOSING DATE: Friday 8 June, 2012
www.hume.vic.gov.au

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ART ROOM

Donation of the following items would be appreciated for activities in Art: wool, clean takeaway food containers, ice cream containers, jar lids and plastic shopping bags.

SCHOOL BANKING DAY IS TUESDAY

Hi Everyone,

I'm Cred one of the Dollarmites

Banking at school every week is a great way to learn how to save, participate in a great rewards program and raise money for your school. When a student from the school banks 5 times at school between 16th April and June 30th they can then enter the "Dollarmize me" competition. Go to the website:

www.combank.com.au/beadollarmite

and enter your best Savings Tip. Keep going if you have yet to bank 5 times boys and girls.

School Banking is every Tuesday

PS: If you don't have a school bank account yet, please visit your nearest CBA Branch, log onto Netbank or download an application form from our website www.commbank.com.au/schoolbanking and start banking.



2ND HAND UNIFORM SHOP Will be open TUESDAY 2ND AUGUST

1st Tuesday of every month
2.45pm - 3.15pm

For more details please contact
Angela on 0432 038 224



Firstly, due to the success of the campaign thus far, we are extending our program until the 12th August 2012. That's three more weeks to earn valuable stickers for your school.

AUGUST						
M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	14	15	16	17	18	
20	21	22	23	24	25	
26	27	28	29	30	31	

Secondly, we have a "Double Stickers" promotion kicking off next week. From Monday 11th June until Tuesday 19th June, all customers who buy specially marked products will be eligible for double stickers on their total shop. As long as you spend more than \$10 and include a product from one of eight big brands, including Dove Beauty, Lipton & Flora, you will earn twice as many stickers. So, now's the time to be letting your parents & communities know that next week's shop could make a big difference to your school's tally.

SHOPPING TOUR

Parents and Friends Committee have organised a Shopping Tour with "Tartan Tours"

When: Saturday November 10th, 2012.

Costs: \$65.00 per person with a \$30 deposit per person
These prices include Coach, Driver and Hostess; Home-baked morning and afternoon tea,
2 course restaurant meal, complimentary iced water, sweets and nuts.
Free Shopping bags supplied and everyone receives a price in the lucky draw.

Examples of places we could go are:

- * Kids Clothing
- * Manchester
- * Books
- * Toys
- * Sports Outlets
- * Chocolate and Lolly Factory
- * Gifts – Homeware
- * Leather Goods
- * Ladies fashions
- * **AND LOTS, LOTS MORE**

If you are interested in coming along and joining the fun with us please fill out the form that was sent home or you can collect one from the office with your Name, Number of people attending and a \$30 deposit per person (non-refundable) to secure your seat by **NO LATER than Friday 27th July.**

Full payment will be due by Friday 12th October, 2012.

Any queries please contact Kylie Gifford on 9746-3338 or 0448 440 075 or giffygirl@gmail.com or kyliejifford@bigpond.com

