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30th July 2015

July

Friday 31 st	Casual Clothes – CareWorks Gold Coin Donation
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September

Friday 4 th	Summer Sport – Years 5 and 6
Friday 4 th	Dads and Donuts – Preps 2.15pm
Wednesday 9 th	Walk to the Post Box - Preps
Friday 11 th	Rugby Gala Day – Years 5 and 6
Wednesday 16 th	Traffic School Visit – Preps (approx. \$30)

August

Monday 3 rd	Responsible Pet Ownership Session Preps
Wednesday 12 th	RACV Visit – Years 1 and 2
Friday 14 th	Vision Portraits
Saturday 15 th	Vision Portraits
Thursday 20 th	Ambulance Visit - Preps
Monday 24 th	Grade Six Camp
Tuesday 25 th	Grade Six Camp
Wednesday 26 th	Grade Six Camp

Term Three 2015

Thinking back to Monday's assembly I am reminded of all the great programs and initiatives we have in place for our students at Sunbury Heights. The oral language program that our prep students participate in was surely illustrated when young Lexi used the microphone to tell us all of the arrival of her new baby brother Archie Alfalfa (really John). The students from Peter de Waart's grade using ICT to enhance their presentation of the class daffodil experiment. The proud way our students accepted their class captain badges from our chaplain Michael Wanyama. Finally the students from 1/2 R, 1/2H and 5/M who presented the school with the gifts they had bought with money they had raised during Colour My World Week. The students' behaviour was excellent, they all were respectful of our school captains and sang the National Anthem with pride. A great start to my week.



Care Works Out of Uniform Day

It was great for the students and families who attend breakfast to meet Michael the new coordinator of Careworks. Careworks support Sunbury Heights in many ways. They provide all the bread, margarine and spreads for our breakfast programs. They support families in need with food hampers and household goods and whenever they can they provide seasonal fruit so that our students and families are able to have a healthy snack. Please support the Casual Clothes Day tomorrow so that we can give back to Careworks, a good friend to the Sunbury Heights Community.

100 Days of Discovering and Learning in Year 1/2

Since their very first day of the school year, our Year 1/2 students have been counting every day of school and day by day they have edged closer and closer to the special number of 100! This program has been a special part of the 1/2 maths curriculum and our older students look back on this day with fond memories. On Tuesday, the current 1/2 classes and their teachers built their own memories by reading stories about a centipede and his 100 shoes, a wolf and 100 chickens as well as enjoying some very fresh fairy bread decorated with yes, you guessed it, hundreds and thousands! They looked far into the future and wrote a story about their 100th birthday. They also explored addition equations that equal one hundred and used this information on their beautiful 100 crowns. Carmel, Jo and Nicole would like to thank all the 1/2 families for their support and interest over the past 100 days and look forward to continuing to work with you. On to the next hundred!



Mandatory Reporting

The Department of Education and Training (DET) is committed to increasing the capacity of all school staff to respond effectively to children and young people whose safety and wellbeing may be at risk, or who are in need of protection. This week the school staff have been involved in completing an online module, *Protecting Children - Mandatory Reporting and other Obligations*. This module has been developed to provide us with an understanding of the roles and responsibilities for protecting the safety and wellbeing of children.

Parent Opinion Survey Great Response

Thank you to the 33 families who were selected to complete a Parent Opinion Survey and have already returned their surveys to school. To make it a perfect score we would like the remaining 7 families to submit their survey before Friday. This is the final day for the surveys to be returned to school. The surveys will then be forwarded to the department so that the results can be collated. When this process has been completed the results will be forwarded to us so that we can take your recommendations and areas for development into account when we undergo our school review in Term 4.

ICAS Science Results

Congratulations to the following students on their selection to sit the ICAS Science Exam and for the results they achieved.

Participation Certificates - Matty Blay, Odin Holt, Kaiden Mitchell, Ally Quigley, Hayley Rooney, Violet Bastos, Jamie Pender, Chelsie Hendahewa, Hollie Maxfield, Will Uili and Rayden Yob.

Merit Certificate - Isa Eades

Credit Certificate – Jack Price

Homework Club

Please remember that the Homework Club operates for students from grades 3-6 on a Monday afternoon from 3.15 - 4.00. If your child hasn't been before please ensure that Sharon Ramunno has your details and knows the arrangement for student collection. On Monday afternoon the rooms were full of students doing their home learning and getting some one on one assistance from Sharon, Kristy Seathu and Jenny who are the regular volunteers. Thank you to these supporters of the program. It provides a great service to our students.



Winter Warmer Lunch

Wednesday's Sausage Sizzle Lunch was certainly enjoyed by many of our students, yesterday, and thank you to Joanne Miller our canteen manager and her helpers Anashree Govender and Nicole Bishop. The organization of the day ran smoothly and the children all thought the BBQ treat was a great on a cold winter's day.

PUPIL OF THE WEEK			Aussie Pride Award
Grade	Student	Reason	
Prep K	Rori Webb	For using a great "power of three" to describe snowflakes.	The Aussie Pride Award is an initiative of the Rotary Club of Canterbury. This award will be presented to students who, through significant acts, demonstrate the ANZAC values of initiative, persistence, mateship and courage to achieve.
Prep L	Ruby Nixon Cooper Howie	For a great effort with their writing.	
1/2R	Emma Quarrell	For being able to spell all 200 M100W words.	
1/2P	Karlee Semmens	For excellent confidence when speaking in front of the class.	
1/2H	Lily Hutcheon	For confidence when speaking at assembly about puppets.	
3/4K	Hayden De Young	For passing PM level 30.	
3/4Y	Kaiden Mitchell	For showing responsibility and maturity when learning new skills.	
3/4d	Jaiden Manton	For being so positive with spelling.	
5P	Ruby Oakley	For being a great Semester 1 Class captain and a helpful class member.	
5M	Erynn Bulmer-Smythe	For articulating new vocabulary in context and giving everything ago.	
6L	Lily Drummond	For a wonderful effort with reading particularly with PROBE.	
6O	Shannen Davison	For excellent improvement in multiplying decimals.	
PE	1/2P	For excellent work doing kicking skills and 10 days activities.	
ART	Jamie Clancy	For a magnificent effort with her snowman work.	
SCIENCE	Jak Maddox	For being responsive in science & answering questions.	



	HAPPY BIRTHDAY til 2 nd August		
	Maddison Shaw-Barton	Spencer Hardstaff	Jordan Neuwart

Do you need some me time?

Even if it's just for an hour once or twice a week?

Complete Kids **Before and After School Care** is held at the Sunbury Heights Primary School from 7am – 9am for Before School Care and from 3:30pm-6:30pm for After School Hours Care.

Don't rush from work straight to school, take some me time!
Please call 9740 2111 for more information.



Rupertswood Cricket Club Inc

"Birthplace of The Ashes"

REGISTRATION DAY

Saturday 22nd AUGUST 2015

9am - 12noon

INTERSPORT

Sunbury Square Shopping Centre
Evans Street Sunbury

New Players and Females welcome

Registration Forms

Available on Club Website

<http://www.rupertswoodcc.org.au>

Or

Email Request

rupocc@optusnet.com.au

Enquires

0413 867 725 or 0421 991 519

It is never too early to start preparing for next year's swimming carnivals. The Sunbury Amateur Swimming Club Inc. (SASC) home base is the Sunbury Aquatic & Leisure Centre, located at 20 Ligar Street, Sunbury. The club dates back to the early 1960's when it was founded by the local community and continues to operate as a Non Profit community based club. If you can swim minimum 2 to 4 laps of Freestyle and Backstroke then why not have a go at a Club training session with the Sunbury Swimming Club. The Sunbury Swimming club offers two "Come and Try" free sessions.

Training session are available during the following times

Monday and Thursday Morning 6:00am-7:30am (2 Lanes)

Wednesday evening 6:30-8:00pm (3 lanes)

Friday evening 7:00-8:30pm (Full pool)

Come along give it a try and start preparing for next year's swimming carnivals.

More information about the club can be found at

<http://www.sunburyswimmingclub.org.au/>

Expressions of interest for Computer Training



STARTING ON WEDNESDAY 29TH JULY
KEEPING UP WITH
THE KIDS' I.T.

Topics include:

- Introduction to Computer/Internet/Social Networks
- Introduction to Microsoft Word – Word Processing
- Email basics and how to attach a file
- Excel – creating home budgets

Contact: Sharon 9744-3377

What is important for you to know about technology?

- Being aware of how your child uses technology
- Have an awareness of your child's teacher's technological expectations
- Keeping up to date with technological language
- Cyber Safety, including cyber bullying

Why is technology so important at school?

- Curriculum
- Jobs
- Future
- Learning another language

COMMUNITY HUB

Sunbury Heights Primary

1:00-3:00

EVERY WEDNESDAY

FACILITATED BY VICKY MURDO

Tuning in to Kids

For Mums and Dads, Grandparents & other Carers

'Tuning in to Kids: Emotionally Intelligent Parenting' is a 6-week program that helps parents to build strong relationships with their children, and enables them to communicate even in difficult times.



This program is free!

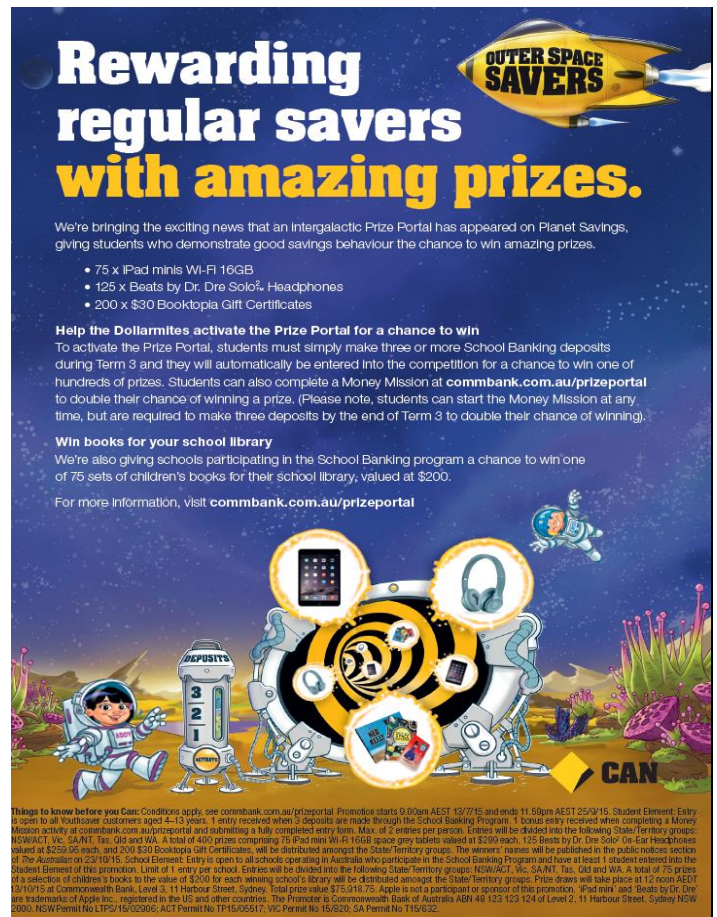
Venue: SUNBURY HEIGHTS PRIMARY SCHOOL
COMMUNITY HUB

Time: 10:00-12:00

Duration: 6 WEEKS

Date: 6th AUGUST (THURSDAY)

CONTACT SHARON ON 9744-3377



Rewarding regular savers with amazing prizes.

OUTER SPACE SAVERS

We're bringing the exciting news that an Intergalactic Prize Portal has appeared on Planet Savings, giving students who demonstrate good savings behaviour the chance to win amazing prizes.

- 75 x iPad minis Wi-Fi 16GB
- 125 x Beats by Dr. Dre Solo³ Headphones
- 200 x \$30 Booktopia Gift Certificates

Help the Dollarmites activate the Prize Portal for a chance to win

To activate the Prize Portal, students must simply make three or more School Banking deposits during Term 3 and they will automatically be entered into the competition for a chance to win one of hundreds of prizes. Students can also complete a Money Mission at commbank.com.au/prizeportal to double their chance of winning a prize. (Please note, students can start the Money Mission at any time, but are required to make three deposits by the end of Term 3 to double their chance of winning).

Win books for your school library

We're also giving schools participating in the School Banking program a chance to win one of 75 sets of children's books for their school library, valued at \$200.

For more information, visit commbank.com.au/prizeportal

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Things to know before you Can: Conditions apply, see commbank.com.au/prizeportal. Promotion starts 9:00am AEST 13/7/15 and ends 11:59pm AEST 25/9/15. Student Element. Entry is open to all YouthSaver customers aged 4-13 years. 1 entry received when 3 deposits are made through the School Banking Program. 1 bonus entry received when completing a Money Mission activity at commbank.com.au/prizeportal and submitting a fully completed entry form. Max. of 2 entries per person. Entries will be divided into the following State/Territory groups: NSW/ACT, Vic, SA/NT, Tas, Qld and WA. A total of 400 prizes comprising 75 iPad mini Wi-Fi 16GB (total prize value \$200 each), 125 Beats by Dr. Dre Solo³ (total prize value \$250 each), and 200 \$30 Booktopia Gift Certificates, will be distributed amongst the State/Territory groups. The winners' names will be published in the public notices section of The Australian on 22/10/15. School Element: Entry is open to all schools operating in Australia who participate in the School Banking Program and have at least 1 student entered into the Student Element of this promotion. Limit of 1 entry per school. Entries will be divided into the following State/Territory groups: NSW/ACT, Vic, SA/NT, Tas, Qld and WA. A total of 75 prizes of a selection of children's books to the value of \$200 for each winning school's library will be distributed amongst the State/Territory groups. Prize draws will take place at 12 noon AEST 12/10/15 at Commonwealth Bank, Level 2, 11 Harbour Street, Sydney. Total prize value \$15,000. Apple is not a participant or sponsor of this promotion. iPad mini and Beats by Dr. Dre are trademarks of Apple Inc., registered in the US and other countries. The Promoter is Commonwealth Bank of Australia ABN 48 123 123 124 of Level 2, 11 Harbour Street, Sydney NSW 2000. NSW Permit No TP3/15/02005, ACT Permit No TP15/0517, VIC Permit No 15/020, SA Permit No TP15/02.