STUDENT LEADERS

Congratulations to the following students for being voted by their peers to the position of School Councillor:

- Term 1 – Todd Warren and Arabella Wiles-Day. These councillors will join our head girl Taleena Watts and head boy Nate Wilson as the Student Council.

Congratulations also to the following students who were voted by their peers last week as Sport Leaders for this semester:

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YEAR 1/2 CLASS ASSEMBLY

Our first assembly for the year is Friday March 3. This will be hosted by the Year 1/2 class under the coaching of Mrs Dignan and Mrs Jones. They have already commenced rehearsing and are very excited about their big event. Please come along to enjoy their excitement and be entertained by their performances from 2pm in the school undercover area. A P&C coordinated fundraiser will have some treats for purchase at the canteen following the assembly.

POWER OUTAGE - 21 FEBRUARY

Western Power has scheduled a power outage for Clifton Park on Tuesday 21 February. Our School has been notified and negotiated the use of a generator on site for the day. Students are expected to attend school as normal.

KINDY MEET AND GREET

2017 Kindy parents are invited to a Meet and Greet on Wednesday February 22. It is a great opportunity for our new parents to be introduced to our school, as well as mingle and share a scrumptious morning tea. Thank you to Amy Pitts for coordinating this event.

ANZ SCHOOL BANKING

A representative from the ANZ Bank, Australind will be in the school corridor between 8:35am and 8:50am to assist with your child’s banking. Term 1 dates are 23 February and 16 March. These dates are on the term planner. Teach your child to save by banking at the school every month. New customers are welcome. For more information please contact ANZ Australind Branch 6164 2303.
HOME READING PROGRAM
By now all students will have commenced their classroom-based home reading system. As a school, in 2017 we intend to promote and encourage regular reading with the introduction of a whole-school incentive system. This system recognizes the number of times a student reads irrespective of what or how much they read. We are promoting the benefits of reading for enjoyment on a regular basis. Thank you for supporting this focus by providing your child with frequent opportunities to read.

MAKING FRIENDS – INCURSION - WEDNESDAY 8 MARCH 2017
Who:  All PP – Year 5 students (Year 6 students on camp)
What:  Easy to remember strategies to deal with bullies and make new friends. Making Friends looks at building new relationships, fitting in and dealing with bullying in an entertaining and fun way.

The show’s simple ‘ABCs’ strategy is:
A - Ask if you can play.
B - Be polite & kind.
C - Co-operate.
S - Smile and say hello.

Where:  @ Clifton Park Primary School
When:  9:00am Wednesday 8 March 2017
Cost:  $4.50 per student

VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS
School Voluntary Contributions are collected by the school to supplement school expenditure in curriculum related areas. While contributions are voluntary, the quality of our teaching and learning programs will be maximised when each family contributes to the cost of supplementing the funding from other sources, including State and Commonwealth governments. This year’s Kindy to Year 6 voluntary contributions are $50.00 per child.

Payment may be made by any of the following methods:

1.  Pay in person – Forward payment (by cash or cheque) in an envelope to the front office in the first term of 2016. Please make cheques payable to “Clifton Park Primary School”.

2.  Direct Deposit
Account Name: Clifton Park Primary School
BSB: 016515
Account Number: 262705449
(Reference: Please use your family surname as the reference, family payments can be made in a single transaction).

CHANGE OF CONTACT DETAILS
Please notify the school office as soon as possible if any change of address or phone number occurs.

DEBORAH JOLLIFFE
DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

ROALD DAHL - BOOK VOUCHERS
If you purchase The Weekend West or The Sunday Times you may be aware of the current promotion which entails Roald Dahl book vouchers. This promotion is for the month of February, which commenced on Sunday 5th. Our school would appreciate the donation of the vouchers if you are not using them yourself. If you have family, neighbours and friends who purchase either of the two papers and are not using the vouchers, maybe you can ask them to collect and donate them to our school.

The vouchers will be taken to the designated retailer to purchase the associated books. We intend using the books as a reward for part of our whole school reading incentive. For further information please see admin staff.
The uniform shop will be open in Term 1 on the following dates:

- Monday 13 March
- Monday 3 April

OPENING TIMES
9am – 9:30am

School Uniform Order Forms are available at the front office. Complete and place them in the uniform box in the front office and they will be processed as soon as possible.

Lauree Sims
Uniform Coordinator
Monday – Friday
during school hours
PH: 0400 239 144
The 2017 Student Goodwill Tour to Setagaya is now accepting applications!

This 12-day program takes place over the September school holidays. Jointly organised by the City of Bunbury and the City of Setagaya, this tour provides students and accompanying adults the opportunity to visit Bunbury’s sister city, exchange cultures, visit cultural sites, learn or improve Japanese language skills and meet some new friends.

The program is open to Year 6 and 7 students in the Greater Bunbury region. In addition, the City also accepts applications from adults who wish to be accompanying adults on the tour. Details, including the application, can be found here: http://www.bunbury.wa.gov.au/Pages/International-Relationships.aspx

The City of Bunbury will hold two information nights in the City of Bunbury Function Room at 4 Stephen Street on the following dates and times:
- 6 April at 5:30pm
- 13 April at 5:30pm

Should you or any of your school community have any questions, I would welcome their enquiries at the numbers below.

4 Stephen Street, Bunbury WA 6230 – PO Box 21 Bunbury WA 6231
T: (08) 9792 7075 TTY: 133 677 F: (08) 9792 7184

REGISTRATION DAY FOR AFTERSCHOOL RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAMME

Do you have or know of any school aged children who require the Sacraments of Baptism, Reconciliation, First Eucharist or Confirmation?

Then please come to our Registration Day at Christ the Living Vine Church on Mardo Avenue, WEDNESDAY 8th MARCH between 4.00 and 5.00pm.

If you are unable to make this day or if you have any questions concerning sacraments please phone Diana Ietto on 0437 903 377 or email her on dietto2@bigpond.com. Please pass this message onto family and friends.

Look forward to seeing lots of new faces and the old ones as well!