



# Clifton Park Primary School

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**Newsletter No 5**

**TERM 1**

**30 March 2016**

## School Motto: With Pride We Strive

### COMING EVENTS

#### April

- 4 Uniform Shop Open 9am-9:30am
- 5 Interschool Athletics Carnival (Yr's 2-6)
- 8 ANZAC Ceremony 9am
- 8 Last day of Term 1

#### Term 2

#### April

- 25 ANZAC DAY - Public Holiday
- 27 Students Resume Term 2

Welcome to our fifth Newsletter.

#### YEAR 1 ASSEMBLY

The Year 1 class did extremely well hosting their assembly last Thursday. The costuming was clever and you could see the excitement in the children's eyes as they were performing for the assembly. Great effort Mrs Tiede, Mrs Bryant and Mrs Depiazzi, your parent helpers and especially the students.



#### EASTER RAFFLE

Thank you to all of the families who donated prizes or bought tickets for the annual P&C Easter Raffle fundraiser. The prizes were plentiful and were much appreciated by the lucky winners. Thank you to the P&C for coordinating this fun event.



#### FACTION ATHLETICS WEEK



Congratulations GOLD, who won our carnival this year with a winning score of 598, BLUE came in second with 527 and RED scored 423

The staff once again put in a huge amount of work and planning toward making the days go so smoothly, and much credit and thanks need to go to them.

The children have been outstanding throughout this whole period and showed great sportsmanship throughout. They showed true pride in their efforts and participation. Well done students!

It was also wonderful to see such a great turnout of parents (and wider family members) at the main day on Friday. Thanks especially to the members of the P&C, who ran the refreshments and sausage

sizzle tent. They appreciated the financial support from their sales, as well as other volunteers helping out at the stall. As a staff, we really valued the volunteers helping out during the jumps day and then throughout the Friday carnival. All of this support is so typical of our school community, thank you all very much indeed!



#### INTERSCHOOL ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

Tuesday April 5 is the Interschool Athletics Carnival to be held at the Athletics Track in Hay Park. Congratulations to those whom we have selected for our team to represent the school. A permission and information note has been sent home to participating students. Please send signed consent forms with payment, back to school as soon as possible. Thank you.

#### NAPLAN

The Years 3 and 5 students will be participating in the NAPLAN testing programme during the third week of next term (10-12 May). Information will be handed to students to bring home this week.



## SCHOOL ANZAC SERVICE (REPEAT)

This year our school ANZAC ceremony will be on the morning of last day of term (8 April) starting at 9am in the undercover area. Our theme this year will focus on the 100th anniversary of Australia's entry onto the Western Front in Europe, and Poppies because it is 100 years since the famous poem by John McCrae, 'In Flanders Fields' was written. All parents and friends of the school are invited to this ANZAC assembly.

- **Request for Flowers**

Parents or students are asked to bring flowers or greenery that can be used to make up ANZAC wreaths for the ceremony. Please leave them on the sink area outside the Art room on Thursday 7 April.

- **Assistance with making wreaths**

We would be very appreciative for any parents who are able to assist with the making of the wreaths for the ANZAC ceremony. This needs to be done on the Thursday afternoon between 2pm-3pm in the Art room. Please let the office know if you are able to help with the wreath making.

- **ANZAC Day City Parade**



All Clifton Park Primary School students are invited to march in the Bunbury City Parade on Monday 25 April 2016. Students are to assemble with Mrs Jolliffe at the old RSL Hall by 10:15am for the parade to commence at 10:30am. Students will march to the main service which will be held at the Graham Bricknell Musical Shell. The group of students representing our school must be in school uniform, including wearing a hat. (Students are encouraged to wear service decorations of family members on the right hand side of their uniform). The weather can still be hot so students may carry a water bottle with them as they march. Family members are also welcome to join in with the school group to march.

## LAST NEWSLETTER FOR TERM

As this will be our final newsletter of the term I wish to thank you all for your continued support of your school. The tone of the school remains positive and we persist with our aim of helping your child/ren grow in both their educational and social lives. Enjoy your children over their break and keep them safe. Thank you and see you next term.

**Ric Gates**  
PRINCIPAL


# MRS JOLLIFFE'S JOTTINGS


## Social and Emotional Focus

In 2016 the school has raised the awareness of social and emotional literacy by focusing on resilience. Each fortnight you will see a poster in the classrooms and around the school. This fortnight's poster to keep an eye out for is below.

### Living the 7 Habits

**I tell the truth. I'm honest.**

 You can be trusted when you are honest.



**Honesty**  
1. Being truthful to others  
2. Being truthful to yourself  
3. Doing what's right regardless of who's around  
4. Being someone others can trust

**Habit 8: The Leader in Me.** - I bring out the best in myself and others.  
Act in a way that you know is the right thing to do.

**Deborah Jolliffe**  
DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

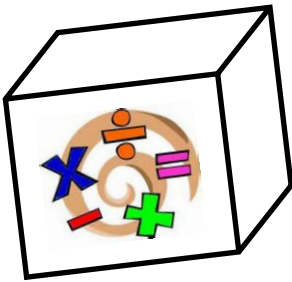
# Have Sum Fun Maths Competition

On Saturday 19 March I had the pleasure of taking twelve Clifton Park PS students to the Bunbury 'HaveSumFun' Mathematics Competition held at Bunbury Catholic College.

With my absence during the first four weeks of the term and disruptions such as Year Six Camp and Sports Day we had very little time to practise. However, the students who competed did so incredibly well with one team gaining third place in the competition.

Our school was represented by students in Years 6, 5 and some 4's. I am so proud of all the students' attitudes and efforts. I would also like to thank the parents of these students for giving up their Saturday afternoon.

Students involved were: - Cameron Kelly, Jake Ellson-Savage, Isabella Ferrari, Ashlei Harkness, Todd Warren, Jaymie Saenen, Angus Gibb, Zavier Phillips, Indigo Berry, Bailey Harkness, Adam McGuigan and Luke Ferrari.

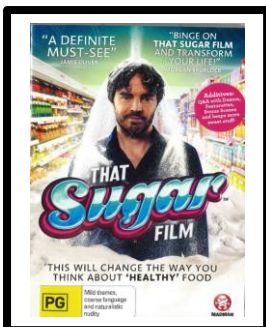


Mrs Gwyn Jones  
TEACHER

## C.H.A.T

### CHANGING HEALTH ACTING TOGETHER

The CHAT Committee at CPPS who bring to the attention of the school community issues and information on a varied range of health topics through the newsletter. They also organise a number of whole school events, modelling and promoting healthy living.



### SUGAR - ARE YOU SWEET ENOUGH?

Sugar is hidden and only about 25% of the total sugar we ingest is sugar that we consciously add to foods, for example in tea, coffee or in baking. The remaining 75% comes from everyday packaged foods and drinks we consume such as soft drink, juices, cereals, biscuits and sweets. Because it is easy to consume, too much sugar can lead to many health problems.

The CHAT Committee has purchased the DVD "That Sugar Film" and it is now available for up to a one week loan. Actor Damon Gameau, the film's hero, goes on a 60-day journey where he eats 'supposedly healthy' foods to equal 40 teaspoons of sugar each day from 'hidden' sugars in processed foods. Gameau documents the impact of such foods on his health and state of mind.

Visit the front office to book a viewing of this for your family and we hope you enjoy continuing good health.

# P & C NEWS

## SPORTS CARNIVAL

The P&C committee would like to thank everyone involved in making our school Sports Carnival another fantastic event. The catering tent raised \$860 which will be used to fund future requests made by the school.



## NEXT P&C MEETING

**Monday 9<sup>th</sup> May at 7pm**

(In the Staff Room)

P&C meetings bring parents and teachers together to share information about what is happening at our school and plan ways to make it a better place for all of our children.

Come and join this committed and enthusiastic group!

**NEXT P&C  
MEETING**

## CONTRIBUTIONS

Have you had a chance to pay your contribution to the P&C for 2016?

Set at \$10 per child or \$20 per family, this contribution helps the P&C raise valuable funds to buy much needed equipment and resources for our school.

## P&C FUNDING

So far in 2016, the P&C has contributed \$2,100 to the school community for the following requests:

- \$1000 to continue the Hands Up for Kids reading program
- \$800 to subsidise the cost of the Year 6 camp
- \$300 to subsidise the cost of the World of Maths incursion

## UPcoming EVENTS

- Uniform Shop: 4<sup>th</sup> April
- Mother's Day Stall:  
4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> May
- Entertainment Book  
fundraiser

Last Uniform Shop Open for Term 1 is on:-

**Monday 4 April**

9am – 9:30am

**UNIFORM SHOP DATES FOR TERM 2**

**Monday 9<sup>th</sup> May**

**Monday 30<sup>th</sup> May**

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> June**

Time: 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  
0400 239 144



# Community News

## 2016 Season Information

Registrations now Open  
Due 4<sup>th</sup> April

**2016 Fee's**

<b>NetSetGo Skills/Activities</b> <b>NetSetGo Competition</b> <b>Primary School Juniors</b> Starts Saturday 30 <sup>th</sup> April 2016  <b>High School Juniors</b> Starts Saturday 30 <sup>th</sup> April 2016  <b>Year 7 Players</b> A student in year 7 (turning either 12 or 13) can play in either the Primary School or High School Junior competition. This is at the discretion of the Association Development Officer & Panel.	<b>High School Juniors \$155</b> Saturday Afternoons (Players born 1998 – 2003)  <b>Primary School Juniors \$155</b> Saturday Mornings (Players born 2003 – 2006)  <b>NetSetGo Competition \$125</b> Saturday Mornings (Players born 2006 – 2008)  <b>NetSetGo Skills/Activities</b> Saturday Mornings <b>One term \$90 (10wk Program)</b> (Players born 2006 – 2011)
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**Other Comp FEE** \*if applicable  
 High School & Primary School Juniors  
 (\$82 if registered through another ENA team or DWNR Assoc)

Online Player Registration Form needs to be lodged by April 4<sup>th</sup> 2016. Full payment of fees are required when registering.

**KidSport** funding is available through our Association. Full payment of fees are required when registering online. Once player is registered, you are required to lodge a Validated\*\* KidSport form with Eaton Netball by no later than 4<sup>th</sup> April (No exceptions). Forms are available to be downloaded from ENA & Dept of Sport websites as well as your local Shire office. All forms are to be validated by your local Shire Office. Once your validated form has been received by Eaton Netball, you will receive a refund of monies to the value of funds available to that player on the validated voucher.  
 \*\*It is the parents responsibility to follow up on KidSport vouchers with their local Shire and lodge with ENA.

Visit our Website for more information: [www.eatonnetballassociation.wa.netball.com.au](http://www.eatonnetballassociation.wa.netball.com.au)  
 Queries can be directed to Registrar by email at [registrar.ena@gmail.com](mailto:registrar.ena@gmail.com).

## April School Holiday Camps

Nurture Works *Presents*

<p><b>LIFE SKILLS WORKSHOP</b></p> <p>For children in school years 4 to 7                  Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> - Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2016                  At Chapman Pool, Margaret River                  Includes Bus from Busselton, Food and Activities</p> <p><b>BUZ Feelin' Cool Camp ...</b>                  is an awesome, 3-day camp where kids will explore the many human emotions, while exploring the beautiful bush surroundings. Discover the power behind feelings, where they come from, what to do with them, what they mean and how to manage them. Led by a team of screened leaders under the leadership of Mim Merriman</p>	<p><b>CAMP CREATIVITY</b></p> <p>For children in school years 2 to 4                  Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> &amp; Friday 15<sup>th</sup> April 2016                  8.45am—4.30pm                  At St Mary's Family Centre, Busselton</p> <p><b>BUZ Camp Creativity...</b>                  A creative 2 day workshop for young children. Including acting, singing, arts and crafts... Led by a team of screened leaders under the leadership of Courtney Norrish</p>
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By being involved in a BUZ camp it is hoped that each child will connect with others in a positive way, strive to be a better version of themselves and build essential life skills.

**BOOK ONLINE NOW! [www.buildupzone.com](http://www.buildupzone.com)**

Further enquiries, please contact the Nurture Works Office on 9751 2435 or email: [buz@buildupzone.com](mailto:buz@buildupzone.com)

An initiative of St. Mary's Community Care (Busselton)

## Autumn School Holiday Program

Arts + Crafts Mix-up  
 Yarn Bombing Craftnoons!  
 Ukulele Illustration

Arts & Crafts Mix-up -- Tuesdays 9:00am - 12:30pm  
 Yarn Bombing Craftnoons! -- Tuesdays 1:00pm - 3:00pm  
 Ukulele Illustration - 5:30pm - 8:30pm Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> April  
**Ages 6+ (Ukulele for adults too!)**  
 For all our workshops, events and activities, visit [www.stirlingstreetarts.com.au](http://www.stirlingstreetarts.com.au)

## Flippa ball (Junior Water Polo)

Is a great sport that combines swimming, team work, ball skills and fun.

**Starts** Friday 29<sup>th</sup> April 4:15-5:30pm

At the Southwest Sport Centre Hay Park Bunbury  
 Shallow end of Olympic pool

**Requirements** Under 10's to Under 13's, Mouth guard  
 Be able to swim 25m freestyle

Come and try it first week free  
**Cost** \$25 per person for 9 week programme (Term 2) plus pool entries

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