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TERM 2

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School Motto: With Pride We Strive

COMING EVENTS

June

- 8 School Council Meeting
- 8 P&C Meeting
- 10 Resilience Games Day
- 14 ANZ Student Banking
- 17 School Choir at Eisteddfod
- 17 Dental screening (Yr's 6, 3 & PP)
- 22 Interschool Cross Country
- 24 Year 4 Assembly 2pm
- 27 Cultural Incursion
- 28 Student Leader elections (Term 3&4)
- 29 Student Reports sent home

July

- 1 Last day of Term 2
- 18 Staff returns for Term 3
- 19 Students return for Term 3

We welcome back Mrs Jolliffe who has returned from having a wonderful trip enjoying many of the sights and sounds of Europe on her long service leave.

STUDENT REPORTS

On Wednesday of the last week Student Reports will be coming home with your child/ren. If you have any concerns regarding them please make an appointment to see the class teacher at the earliest mutually agreeable time.

The Department of Education has asked me to provide you with the following information, although it is not part of the normal reporting process; *if you wish, you can ask your school to provide you with written information that clearly shows your child's achievements in the subjects studied in comparison with that of other children in their year at school. This information will show you the number of students in each of the five achievement levels.*

RESILIENCE GAMES

All students will be involved in some fun resilience games and activities on Friday 10 June coordinated by Mrs Garton. Lack of resilience is an increasing concern for young Australians and we are doing our best to help our students and community to become aware of, and educated about this concern. On behalf of us all I would like to sincerely thank Mrs Garton for leading and facilitating this opportunity as part of the CHAT group.



EISTEDDFOD

Our school choir will be participating in the City of Bunbury Eisteddfod at the BREC on Friday 17 June commencing at 10am. The Eisteddfod is a great opportunity for students to perform, see other choirs performing and also to learn how to be an appropriate audience member. Thank you parents for the overwhelming support in offering transport for the choir students to the BREC. Further details will be given to choir students regarding the day.

YEAR 4 ASSEMBLY

Don't forget that the Year 4 assembly has moved to Friday 24 June due to the Eisteddfod. Come along and enjoy our Year 4 students perform for the school and community at 2pm in the undercover area.



SCHOOL REVIEW

Next week our school will be visited by a School Performance Assessment team from the Department of Education. They will conduct a validation of our school performance and provide feedback for us to use to improve the learning outcomes for our students.

The team will be interviewing staff and talking with parent representatives, including the School Council. They look forward to hearing your views.

If you would like more information please contact the office.

KINDERGARTEN INTEREST FOR 2017

Kindergarten applications for 2017 are now open. Application for enrolment forms are available at the front office. If you have relatives or friends who have children with birth dates from 1 July 2012 – 30 June 2013 and you think would be interested in enrolling for kindergarten in 2017 at Clifton Park Primary School, they are welcome to collect a form at the office from Mrs Clarke or Mrs Clayton.

Applications for enrolments are due by 22 July 2016.



STUDENT LEADERS

The elections for councillors for next semester will be occurring on Tuesday 28 June and for faction sports leaders on the following day, Wednesday 29 June. If your child is year 6 and wishes to be considered for a councillor position they will need to prepare a short speech that they will read out to the students, who will then vote by secret ballot.

CROSS COUNTRY TRAINING

There is only two weeks to go to the big run on Wednesday 22 June which is held annually at Adam Road. Training of the squad continues to go well with Mr Deane and Mrs Bryant preparing them nicely despite the inclement weather. Further information will be sent home with selected students regarding this event.



APPROPRIATE CAR SPEEDS



New solar signs clearly depicting the 40km/h speed limit have been placed at the ends of the school zones in Clifton Park. I would like to thank the Harvey Shire on behalf of our school community for this excellent safety initiative.

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 Cooperate

I work well with others.

"Together we can do great things"



Habit 4: Think Win Win. - Everyone can win.

Habit 6: Synergize. - I value the strengths of others and allow myself to learn from them.

Deborah Jolliffe
DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

Year 5 Golf Excursion

27 May 2016



'Minute To Win It' Resilience Day

Friday 10 June 2016

Why is it important to develop resilience?

Resilience makes a big difference in people's lives. People who respond to hardships with resilience are:



- Healthier and live longer
- Happier in their relationships
- More successful in school and work
- Less likely to get depressed

If we want our children to stand up to the inevitable bumps in their lives we need to provide them with practice facing disappointments and frustrations. The 'Minute To Win It, Resilience Games' will provide students with some challenges to practice these skills.

You may have read or heard that the Government wants schools to teach coding to bridge the forecast gap in employment skills. Without more workers with programming expertise, Australia faces a skills drought as digital disruption transforms both the manufacturing and service industries, and the economy transitions from mining to "mind" industries. At Clifton Park PS we have been learning to 'code' through Kodu and I would now like to purchase some Sphero Robotic Balls to code in IT lessons. However, they are very expensive at \$200.00 each. The students will get a better sense of worth if they fundraise for the balls.



In conjunction with the CHAT group, we will be holding a
'Minute To Win It, Resilience Games' during IT time on
Friday June 10.

Sponsorship forms have been handed out to each student. Please collect sponsors on your sponsorship form to raise money for the Sphero Robotic Balls.

Please don't allow your child to walk door to door collecting sponsorship.

**Sponsorship forms and money are due back to school on
Friday 24 June.**

Student tally sheets will be sent home this Friday.

Thank you,
Carolyn Garton

C.H.A.T

(Changing Health Acting Together)

You are in charge

Yes you are in charge

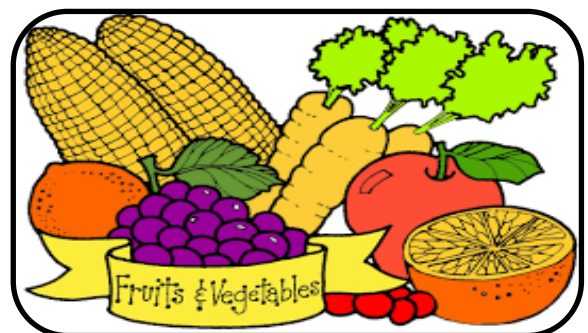
Kids need limits and boundaries. They need to hear from you what's best for them. Let them know that you are setting rules out of love and care. You are the adult and the parent, and it's up to you to guide your kids. This means you decide what's best for them and you have the final say.

What you can do NOW

- Decide on changes you can make to your family's lifestyle and eating habit eg going for a walk together for 30 minutes at least twice a week, and including fruits and /or vegetables with every meal.
- Make a list of nutritious foods to buy next time you shop
- Take charge of what goes into the supermarket trolley

Good Idea!

Tell the kids you want the whole family to be fit and healthy, and invite them to make suggestions. They will accept that you are in charge more easily if they can contribute their ideas.



P & C NEWS



Book Fair!

The amount of \$1970.00 was made at our Book Fair last week which was an amazing total. The quantity of books sold was the finest Book Fair for a long time. The Library received \$450.00 to spend through Scholastic and will be purchasing some new Geography resources which will benefit all of our students.

A huge thank you to Jodie Harkness and Hayley Castle for their organisation of the Book Fair and having times available for purchasing before and after school.



ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS ARE COMING TO CLIFTON PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL!



\$13 from each sale contributes to our fundraising!

Order yours today and help us with our fundraising...

The Entertainment™ Book gives you access to thousands of up to 50% off and 2-for-1 offers for Perth and the South West's best restaurants, cafés, attractions and more. Plus it offers the best in market prices for thousands of hotels, resorts, car rentals, theme parks, groceries, petrol and shopping that you can use whenever you like until June 2017.

Plus, now including offers from some of Bali's Best restaurants, accommodation and attractions!

PRE ORDER ONLINE HERE



[Browse the new Perth 2016|2017 Entertainment™ Book Here](#)

Memberships will be available in May, however, pre-order today to receive up to \$200 in Early Bird Offers that you can use straight away!

For Queries contact: Jacqui Sharp on rmaskell78@hotmail.com

FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITY



CPPS P&C has an opportunity to obtain a series of donations from the ANZ Bank.

If you know anyone who is arranging a home loan through the ANZ bank, they only have to tell the bank that they have a connection to our P&C and we can earn 0.5 % of the loan, that's \$500 per \$100,000. The connection can be anyone who just knows of our P & C, they don't even need to have children at our school.

Our P&C bank with the ANZ and they also support our children by providing the service of student's school banking. Spread the news!!

Uniform Shop

UNIFORM SHOP DATES FOR TERM 2

Monday 20th 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

Special Olympics - South West
SPORT PROGRAMS
TERM 2, 2016



BASKETBALL
Bunbury
All Abilities
Tuesdays 10:30 - 11:30AM
Wednesdays 4:45 - 5:45PM
\$2.50pp per session
Eaton Recreation Centre
18 Recreation Drive, Eaton

BOCCE
Bunbury
Tuesdays 4:30 - 5:30PM
\$2.50pp per session
Bunbury Football Club
Payne Park, Herbert Road
East Bunbury
Start Date:
Tuesday 31 May

TEN PIN
Bunbury
Saturdays
12:15AM - 12:45PM (Coaching)
1:00 - 2:00PM (Game)
Gold Coin (Coaching)
\$6.00pp (Game)
Bunbury Ten Pin Bowl
136 Strickland Street,
East Bunbury

CRICKET
Bunbury
Thursdays
5:30 - 6:30PM
\$5.00pp per session
Bunbury Cricket Centre
1 Zaccac Place
Bunbury

CLUB COMPETITIONS
Ten Pin (single) - Tuesday 24 May
Comets Exhibition Game - Saturday
18 June, 6:00PM (Eaton Rec Centre)
Basketball (Everyone's Game, Perth) -
Sunday 19 June
Booze - Monday 27 June
Basketball - Wednesday 29 June


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SWIMMING
Bunbury
Fridays
4:00 - 4:30PM (Learn to Swim)
4:30 - 5:00PM (Learn to Swim)
5:00 - 5:30PM (Stroke Correction)
5:30 - 6:00PM (Stroke Correction)
Pool entry fee:
\$6.50pp per session
\$58.00 for 10 passes
Leschenault Leisure Centre,
Leisure Drive, Australind
BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL!
southwest@specialolympics.com.au

Have a one-off try of any sport prior to joining the Club!
(This does not include swimming)

Revealing the champion in all of us

Special Olympics
Western Australia



Rotary Club of Bunbury Leschenault
PO Box 1067
Bunbury WA 6231
Distict 9460, Western Australia


Give-a Damn Give a Can

This year, schools again gave wonderful support to this program with total donations of over 9,500 food items. A record 25 schools took part and Clifton Park was one.

It's great to see so many students involved in "HELPING OTHERS"

Recipient organizations were all thrilled to receive the school donations. Of course **EVERY** contribution helped and was much appreciated.

Congratulations and thanks to **ALL** from Bunbury Leschenault Rotary Club



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June Calendar of Activities

Warhammer* [Sa Pt Ya A] Mon 13th, 20th & 27th (3:30pm - 5:30pm)
Wed 1st, 15th & 29th (3:15pm - 4:15pm)

FEATURE WORKSHOP

Eating for Energy - Sports Nutrition* [A L] Thurs 23rd (6:00pm - 7:00pm)
Learn the basic principles of sports nutrition.

Adult Cupcake Decorating* [A L] Mon 27th (11:00am - 1:00pm)
Learn the fundamentals of piping to create beautiful cupcakes!

Photography for Beginners* [A C] Thurs 16th (1:00pm - 3:00pm)
Learn the basics of taking amazing photos.

Urban Gardening - Succulent Propagation and Kokedama Making* [A L] Wed 22nd (1:00pm - 2:30pm)
Learn how to propagate succulents while creating a beautiful kokedama.

Meditation* [A C] Tues 21st (11:30am - 12:30pm)
Find your inner peace and mindfulness.

Paper Cacti* [A C] Tues 21st (1:30pm - 2:30pm)
These cacti are made from recycled cardboard and are uber cool. Just put them in a sunny spot—no watering required!

Fimo Pendants* [A Sa] Wed 22nd (10:30am - 11:30am)
Create a fabulous pendant using fimo.

Lace Terracotta Pots* [A Sa] Thurs 9th (12:00pm - 1:00pm)
Use lace to decorate terracotta pots for a hip and trendy feel.

Hand Sewn Sock Cats* [A Sa] Thurs 30th (11:00am - 12:30pm)
Make a gorgeous cat toy using a pair of socks and a sewing needle.

Scrabble Letter Family Trees* [A Sa] Fri 24th (1:00pm - 2:30pm)
Create a beautiful family tree using scrabble pieces.

iPads and Tablets* [A Sa] Wed 29th (10:00am - 12:00pm)
For beginners and advanced users alike.

Online Safety Awareness* [IT] Fri 17th (3:00pm - 4:00pm)
Learn tips and tricks to help you stay safe on the internet.

English Conversation Club [A Sa] Every Thurs (10:30am - 11:30am)
Meet new people while practicing your English.

Toddler Time [K] Mon 20th (10:00am - 10:45am)
An action packed session with dance, movement, musical instruments and games.

Rhymetime [K] Every Fri (11:15am - 11:45am)
Sing to your baby.

Storytime [K] Every Tues (10:00am - 10:45am)
Interactive storytelling and craft.

Live Music at the Library [L Sa] Simon Bolland - Classical Guitarist
Fri 10th (4:00pm - 5:00pm)
Jazzman Pete
Fri 24th (4:00pm - 5:00pm)
Listen to local artist while browsing the stacks.

The AnyBook Book Club [R] Tues 14th (1:30pm - 2:30pm)
Meet people while chatting about your favorite book.

Book Sale [K] Sat 18th (9:00am - 12:30pm)
Grab a bargain!

Key

- L** Lifestyle: Make life better - managing money, organic gardening, sustainable living, nutrition, meditation
- C** Culture: Expand your mind - arts, crafts, music, languages, cultural differences
- Sa** Social Activity: Meet new friends - games, trivia, community groups
- IT** iTech: Get your tech on - e-books, social media, computer skills, 3d drawing, website design
- R** Reading: Share a love of books - storytime, author visits, bookclubs
- K** Kinder: Develop a love of books - 0-4 age group
- Ki** Kids: Nurture early readers - 5-9 age group
- Pt** Pre Teens: Discovering new directions - 10 - 12 age group
- Ya** Young Adults: Inspire young minds - 13-17 age group
- A** Adults: Youth and Adults - 18 and over
- S** Seniors: Never stop learning - for seniors

For more information and bookings phone: 9724 4466
or visit: library.dardanup.wa.gov.au

Eaton Community Library 20 Recreation Drive, Eaton WA
Dardanup Library 3 Little Street, Dardanup WA

Web library.dardanup.wa.gov.au
* Bookings essential

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