From the Principal …

Parent/Teacher Interviews - Last week students took home their Semester One reports. Parent/Teacher interviews started yesterday and will conclude on Thursday evening. This is a great opportunity to discuss the strengths your child has demonstrated and any areas for future development. Thank you to all of the parents who have taken the time to book appointments with staff. Please be aware that the back car park and pedestrian gates will be locked from 4:30pm. Access to the school will only be available through the Allambie Road main entrance.

End of Term 2 - This term has certainly been very busy and has disappeared extremely quickly. Term 2 finishes this Friday (27 June). Please note that Term 3 commences for all students on Tuesday 15 July.

Staff Car Parks - Under no circumstances are parents to use the staff car parks. Last Thursday we had a parent park their four wheel drive in front of the school bins. Unfortunately the garbage truck was unable to access our site, resulting in the school being charged for an additional bin collection on Friday. The staff car park is strictly for staff only. There are to be no drop-offs or student collections in either car park. Parents collecting students from Active Challenge, Karate and Keyboard lessons will need to park on Allambie Road.

Contribution Fees - Thank you to the families who have already paid their contribution fees. Please keep in mind that this money provides additional opportunities and resources for your children above and beyond those provided through our global budget. Again in 2014, we will be utilising part of the contribution to cover the cost of maintenance and repair for the air conditioning which is available in every classroom. We are also purchasing grade sets of ipads (approximately 7 sets of 6) for classes to access and use to strengthen curriculum links with technology. Any family experiencing financial difficulty can come and speak to Mrs Wignell. We have limited student assistance money that can be used to support families or individual students. Please don't hesitate to contact the school for support. We are asking that all contribution money is finalised by the end of this term.

Canberra - Snow Excursion - Students who paid a deposit for this excursion need to make sure they are making regular payments to ensure they have paid in full before the due date. Thanks Mr Hamilton.

GPK Public Speaking finals - These were held last Thursday. It was a very high standard. Winners were:

Kindergarten: Armani Sala
Stage 1: Montana Newcombe
Stage 2: Logan Sharpe
Stage 3: Shyla Kumar

Mrs Jones & Ms Sami.

Multicultural public Speaking - This was held last Friday at Bonnyrigg Public School. Congratulations to Nicholas Cavanaugh on receiving a highly commended award in the Stage 3 competition. Carina Cammareri participated in the State 2 competition. The judge was impressed by her excellent impromptu speech. Thank you to Mrs Jones who accompanied the students. Ms Sami.

Special Pinafore Sales - We are selling our sample pinafores for the special price of $25.00 each. Pinafores must be tried on your child before purchase. The cost will be $25.00 each. Sizes available are: Size 4 x 1, Size 6 x 1, Size 8 x 1, Size 10 x 1 and Size 12 x 1.
Time Capsule - This year 2014 is the Year of the Family and we are excited to exhibit the contents of our time capsule, buried in 1994.

Due to previous schools experiences when unearthing their time capsules and discovering the contents were destroyed by the elements, we made a decision to unearth the Time Capsule, prior to Education Week.

The capsule has been unearthed recently to enable us to salvage and organise the contents. This salvage has been a lengthy process, as many booklets containing information were water damaged.

During Education Week, Wednesday 30 July - Friday 1 August Term 3, you are welcome to view the display of the contents of the capsule. This display will be in the school hall. Ms Halabe.

Donations for Stage 3 Mini Fete - In Term 4, Stage Three will be holding a mini fete. We are asking our community to assist us in the lead up to this fund raiser. Many people have a variety of contacts and people who work for various companies. If you know someone who may be able to make a donation to this fund raiser, or if you yourself are able to donate items, prizes or things that we could raffle, we would greatly appreciate hearing from you. Please contact Mr Hamilton, Mr Corcoran or any of the Stage 3 teachers.

2015 Kindergarten Enrolments - We have already had a large number of parents making enquiries and completing applications for enrolment for Kindergarten in 2015. Please be aware that the DEC is currently in the process of changing school enrolment forms. This means we are unable to hand out enrolment forms to parents. However, parents are still able to come in and complete the expression of interest form and provide all of the usual documentation for their child to start Kindergarten in 2015. This will ensure you and your child is included in all important Kindergarten information sent out, particularly for Kindergarten Orientation. I would encourage families to have their child listed on our paperwork to ensure placement is available, particularly families seeking out of area enrolments. If you have family or friends whose child will be starting Kindergarten next year, please make them aware of the expression of interest process for enrolment at Governor Philip King.

Values Education - The value for Week 9 is Respect. Respectful is a feeling of reverence and an attitude of care and regard towards someone or something. It acknowledges the unique dignity in everyone. We are practicing respect when we treat everyone the way we would like to be treated. Respect for property is an attitude of responsibility towards our own and other’s property. Being respectful includes self-respect. Respecting oneself, others, property and environment leads to valuing ourselves and not becoming self-destructive, strengthens our relationships, promotes care and cooperation, beauty and harmony, results in things lasting longer, and projects a clean, healthy and more beautiful society. Parents will agree that respect is a value that all children must have. Please help your children develop respect.

Mrs S. Kuma

Student Engagement.

P&C News - The school together with the P&C will be holding a Mini Commonwealth Games Sports Day on Wednesday 30 July as a major fundraiser. The day will include many sporting activities.

A note and sponsorship form is coming home today outlining the details. The students will be asked to collect sponsorship before the event. There will be great prizes to be won including 2 Ipad Minis. Wow.....!!

The P&C will also be running a sausage sizzle on the day for everyone !!! Yum !!! Students will need to pre-order their sausages. Forms will be sent out at the beginning of Term 3.

Help make the GPK Mini Commonwealth Games the greatest ever !!!!

Thank you to the families who have donated second hand uniforms, and to those parents who came along and bought uniforms last week. Thanks also to Mrs Siracusa and Mrs Cavanaugh for their ongoing work and upkeep of the second hand uniform stall. The next Second hand uniform stall will be in the second week of Term 3 - date to be advised.

If you have a P&C enquiry please contact me on 0428 475 252 or email on gpks.pc@gmail.com. Mark Cavanaugh. P & C President.

Active Challenge - Active Challenge finishes for Term 2 this week. There is no Active Challenge this week. It will re-commence in Week 2 (commencing 21 July) Term 3. Miss Shabaz & Miss Taylor.

SRL Morning Tea - We would like to thank our school Canteen for their donation of a fruit platter for today's morning tea. The students enjoyed it! Ms Dolz.
Safe, Respectful Learner Program - The focus rule for week nine is 'Be Safe, Put yourself in their place'.

Before we exclude others, tell them they are not our friends, tease or bully others, we should put ourselves in the other person's place and consider how we would feel. Treat others the way you would like them to treat you. Please discuss this with your children. Ms Dolz. Student Engagement Team.

Governor's Buzz - Guess what? Governor's Buzz is coming!

When: Week 8 & 9
What will be in this issue: Articles, photos, comic strips, jokes and more!

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PSSA SPORT Round 7 Results

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This week Netball play against Fairfield Heights and Rugby League play against Canley Heights at Endeavour Park. Soccer will play against Smithfield West at Emerson Park. Basketball will play against Smithfield at Smithfield.

School Website Class of the Week - Visit our school website to see if your class is the class of the week!

Instructions:
Click on 'School Years' tab
Click on side tab 'What's Happening in ...
Click on your grade under 'School Years' tab if you missed seeing your class!

Have a great holiday!

Jason Corcoran
Principal

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