Melrose Park Public School

Learning and Growing Together

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Term 2, Week 7  10 June, 2014

### Coming Events

**Term 2, Week 7**
- Wednesday, 11/6
  - School Banking
  - Yr 5/6 Camp
- Thursday, 12/6
  - Yr 5/6 Camp – return 3pm
  - Tuckertime – Yr 4 to host
- Friday, 13/6
  - PSSA – Round 9

**Term 2, Week 8**
- Monday, 16/6
  - Pyjama Day – Gold Coin
- Tuesday, 17/6
  - Footsteps – sports uniform
  - RSS Rehearsal – Marsden HS
- Wednesday, 18/6
  - School Banking
- Thursday, 19/6
  - Assembly – 2.05pm – KE
- Friday, 20/6
  - Sausage Sizzle – Class 4/5 parents to assist
  - PSSA Round 10
  - Disco Night

**Term 2, Week 9**
- Tuesday, 24/6
  - Footsteps Dance – Sports Uniform
- Wednesday, 25/6
  - School Banking
  - A Celebration of Culture
  - Cultural Enrichment
  - Multicultural Lunch
  - Mini World Cup Soccer
- Thursday, 26/6
  - Tuckertime – Class 2/3
- Friday, 27/6
  - PSSA
  - Last Day of Term

**Students Return** Tuesday, 15th July

### Principal’s Report

Pyjama Day is a fun day for students (and staff) to come to school wearing warm snuggly winter pyjamas. Wear a dressing gown, bring a teddy and blanket and enjoy a cozy morning in the classroom on Monday 16th June. The cost is a gold coin donation.

All donations will be sent to Stewart House in order to support the great work they do to support children around the state.

### Illness

If your child is ill before school time it is necessary that they remain at home and not come to school. If your child falls ill at school, you will be rung to collect them as soon as possible from sick bay.

It is essential that current phone numbers are provided to the office and that we are able to reach you when necessary.

### School Toilet Block

Can we ask that adults do not use the students’ toilets. There are adult toilets located through the centre door door of the toilet block. Thank you.

### Clare Kristensen

Principal

### PSSA

All Winter PSSA teams are having a wonderful season so far. The girl’s football team are learning every single game. They are improving as they go and should be proud currently sitting in 5th place. The Senior boys football are part of a tough competition and play against some fierce competitors each week. They keep their heads up and play with a smile each week regardless of the result so should be congratulated for this. Both Junior boys football teams play against some very talented football players every Friday. They definitely step up to the challenge and give it their best. Well done boys.

Both our netball teams had a flying start to the season. The senior girls were moved to A division after a few big wins in B division. They are giving it a go every week and should be proud of themselves! Junior B’s are sitting in 4th position so are definitely a fine chance of making finals! Well done to all students who play each Friday.

It is a great opportunity to socialise and learn some skills along the way. I am very proud to represent Melrose Park each week and am impressed more and
more by the sportsmanship and great attitudes displayed by our students.

Alex Roberts  
PDHPE Coordinator

Premier’s Sporting Challenge
This year all students from Melrose Park Public School will be participating in the Premier’s Sporting Challenge. The Premier’s Primary School Sport Challenge encourages all public school students in Kindergarten to Year 6 to increase their physical activity levels in sport and physical activity by participating with their class in a 10 week sport and physical activity challenge. The class approach provides an opportunity for students to work together to achieve common goals and promotes values education within schools. Students are challenged to increase their time engaged in physical activity to achieve Premier’s Primary School Sport Challenge Awards. All teachers will keep the record cards at school and students will be required to mark off their achievements each day.

Miss Emma Davey

Book Fair
We had such a wonderful time at the book fair last week. Thank you to all the families that came for a visit and supported our school by purchasing a book. We had a number of books donated to the library, so keep your eye out for new books to borrow. It was great to see a large range of books purchased, that families can share to help support your child’s learning and literacy development.

Christina Price  
(Librarian)

Green Team News
Take3 Sausage Sizzle Campaign
Thanks to all the students and our parent helpers for a successful ‘Take3 for the Sea Sausage Sizzle Campaign’. The message certainly raised awareness of the three pieces of rubbish from sausage sizzle and why they needed to make sure they went in the bin. Well done to the Year 1 girls who made sure the red bin lid was shut, so that the rubbish didn’t end up blowing back out.

Nude Food Competition
The Green Team started a class competition, to see which class has the most people bringing Nude Food. The winning class will receive a free pizza lunch.

Last week both KE and 2/3L were in the lead. Let’s see if the other classes can step up to the challenge.

Talia – Year 4

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P & C Report

Entertainment Books
Any outstanding books or payments must be returned ASAP to the school.

Sausage Sizzle
Thank you to last week’s helpers Michelle S, Tim G, Peter D, Greg C and Nina.
The next and last sausage sizzle for this term is **next Friday 20th June and Class 4/5 will be the host.** If you are able to help on this day, please leave a message in the office for Yasmin Adami/Mick West or contact - Yasmin on 0432 420 628.
**** Please do not send in fortnightly orders. If payment has not been made in full for your term order please ensure payment is made prior to the next sausage sizzle as this will be the last one for the term.

Fete & Market Day Flyer Competition
This term we will be running a competition for the students/parents/grandparents or friends to create the new flyer that will be used for all the advertising for our annual Fete & Market Day. Prizes will be given for the winner.... See requirements attached for what is required.
Prizes will be
- 1st place – Reptile World Pass (2adults & 2 children)
- 2nd place – 2 Movie Vouchers
*** Entries are due back by Thursday 24th July, judging will be done at the first P&C meeting of Term 3 on 28th July.

School Disco
This is being held on Friday 20th June – the P&C will need a couple of helpers per time slot on the night. If you are available to help out please let me know (my phone was not working last week if you have already text me please do so again).
** Thank you to Chantel Latu for sourcing a donation from Arnotts for the snacks that will be handed out on the night of the disco.

School Banking
This is on Wednesday Morning from 8.30am.

Dates for Term 2
20/6/14 - School Disco
28/7/14 & 25/8/14 – P&C Meetings Term 3
TBA - Bingo night Term 3 for the whole family

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**Poster Competition!!**

**For Melrose Park Fete & Market Day**

**Would you like to have your poster up ALL over Ermington??**

Design a poster to advertise our Market Day & Fete – and if you’re the winner, you will also win a great prize!

Your poster needs to be:
On an A4 piece of white paper.
Can be drawn by hand or done on the computer.
Use only black ink / black texta / black pen.
Write your name on the back of your poster

Include the words:
**Melrose Park Fete and Market Day**
Saturday 25th October
9am – 2pm
You can add other words to tell people about the stalls, food, rides etc

Students, siblings, parents, friends all welcome to participate.
Entries due next Term Week 3.

Questions? Ask Nina, Deb, Chantel or Sheridan or send an email to melroseparkpc@hotmail.com
Lots of fun and dancing at the disco of the year!!!!!!!!!

School Disco
For students
Friday 20th June 2014
In the school hall
Kindergarten, Year 1 and Year 2  5.00pm -6.25pm
Years 3 - 6   6.35pm - 8.00pm
Music by Footsteps dance

Cost $5: includes music, drink and snack

Parents will leave students for some fun AND dance. Students will be supervised and parents will collect their child from the hall at the end of the session.

School Disco

Name: ____________________________    Year __________________

Enclosed  $5.00 for dancing, drink and snack

☐ Pre-order: Glow Sticks 3 for $1  $__________ enclosed
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Take3 For The Sea
Bin The Sausage Sizzle Rubbish

Friday

When you enjoy your Sausage Sizzle on Friday, make sure you have 3 pieces of rubbish for the bin!

Melrose Park P.S.

Together We Can Make A Difference!
Exchange Your Serviette for an Iceblock!
A Celebration of Culture

Wednesday, 25th June

Come and share a day of fun and learning

9.15 - 11.15am Enrichment Morning

*Students rotate around classrooms, participating in cultural activities from various countries.*

11.30 – 12.30pm Multicultural Lunch

*Bring a plate of delicious food to share*

(Volunteers needed to help co-ordinate the lunch. Please see Miss Mee to help)

12.30 – 3.00pm Mini World Cup Soccer

16 Countries, 16 teams *For a round robin of mini soccer*