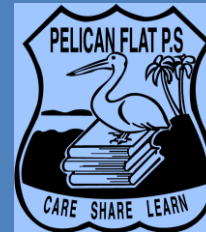


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Issue 6– Term 1 – Week 11

Wednesday 10 April, 2013

STUDENT DAILY PROGRAM

Classes begin: 9.00 am and finish 3.00pm

Tuesday: Scripture

Wednesday: Library

Friday: Sport

Canteen: Monday-Wednesday- Friday

Clothing Pool: Wednesday 8.45 – 9.10am

dances to perform at the event. Notes and info will be forwarded as they are received. The RSL will be allowing us to use their bus to get the dancers to and from rehearsals. We are certainly fortunate to have the support of such a wonderful group in our area.

This Friday we will hold our Anzac Day service at 10.45am. The student leaders will conduct the assembly and be joined by other students during the event. Our leaders will also attend the Dawn Service at the RSL on Anzac Day.

Staffing

This Friday Mrs Bradford will finish her time here and will be going on extended Long Service Leave. We thank her for her fantastic work, care and love of the students and certainly her friendship. **Enjoy!**

She will be replaced by Mrs Kellie Bell from Floraville PS. Mrs Bell will be relieving until we are given permission to advertise and fill the position.

Miss Nesbitt will continue with K/1/2/3 while Mrs Vanderzee is on leave for Term 2.

We welcomed Miss Samantha Merrett to the school on Monday. She will be working with 4/5/6 from now until the end of term 2. We are sure she will be a wonderful asset for our school.

Term 1 Upcoming Dates

Mon: 11 April School Photos
Fri: 12 April School Anzac Service

Term 2- students return Wednesday 1st May
May 2 Zone X Country



Happy Birthday to the following students who are celebrating this fortnight and whilst on holidays:

April 23 Kyah Carson
May 2 Blaze Chandia
May 3 Elijah Lynch

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

What a fantastic effort by the Year 6 students and the whole school with the cake stall. They raised over \$130 and added about 2kgs to everybody's weight! Thank you to those parents who contributed.

Our Gala Day last week was washed out just as we arrived at the grounds. We look forward to the next PSSA gala event.

The Star Struck crew has been allocated their dances and rehearsals begin early next term. Skye has successfully auditioned for the dance ensembles and has two more

Graham Bradbery

REMINDER

Our next school raffle held at **Pelican RSL** is on 30th April. Please can you help our school by purchasing raffle tickets as all the money raised goes to our school P&C
Don't forget school photos tomorrow.

K123 news

We had a fantastic Easter at school. The day consisted of an Easter Hat Parade, making chocolate/noodle bird's nests with the 4/5/6 students and we also listened to the 4/5/6 class' version of the Easter Bilby story. We were even lucky enough to have the Easter Bunny visit our room and Ms Nesbitt also sent us on an Easter Egg hunt-but we found them all! (Enjoy the photos)

We have been working hard in class, sticking to our regular routine, which is going very smoothly. Some slight additions and adjustments will be made to our class routine next term to the after lunch time slot. This will ensure that we make the most of our BUSY days.



THANK YOU to all the volunteers (mums/sisters) and Mr Bradbery's class, who have helped us over the past term, we love having you help in our class and look forward to seeing you all again next term. I'm sure you've seen how our confidence has grown; with our reading, school work and general confidence.

Please return all home readers before Friday so I can change them before the holidays, so you and your child can continue to read during the holidays. The local library is another great place to borrow from during the holidays if you want more books to read. Please don't take the books away with you in case they are lost. Enjoy your holidays-stay safe. I will see you all next term on Wednesday the 1st of May.



Enjoy the photo I found from our school's Red Nose Day! This is their crazy shot!



Yr 4, 5, 6 News with Mrs Watkins

Once a week 4, 5, 6 have been discussing values.
Our school values are:

CARE SHARE LEARN

We have also been discussing RESPECT and brainstorming ways to deal with conflict at school. Next term we will continue our values sessions. At the beginning of next term we will start by sharing our family values. Perhaps you could talk with your children about the following:

- What rules do you have in your family?
- Are these rules different for certain family members? Why do you think this is?
- Why do you have these rules in your family?
- What common values do you have in your family? What do these mean to your family? (E.g. respect, compassion, integrity, cooperation etc)

Thank you for taking the time to chat with your children about this. Our discussions in class will be much richer because of the time you have taken.

Have a fantastic holiday.

Mrs Watkins

FAREWELL

My relieving position has now come to an end and I would like to say goodbye to all the wonderful students, staff and families. I have really enjoyed my time at Pelican Flat Public School over the last 3 terms. I first started working in the office here 20 years ago and now am finishing my time here. It has been an honour to be part of this wonderful school and thank you all for being so welcoming. I wish you all well for the future,

Susan Bradford

Sport

A reminder that the Zone Cross Country will be held the first Thursday (2nd May) after the holidays. Best of luck to those students who are competing on the day.

Our first official Star Struck rehearsal will also be held on Thursday the 2nd of May. This rehearsal is at Broadmeadow Basketball Stadium. Thanks SO much to Jo Duffin for organising the Pelican RSL bus to help with the transportation of these students to and from the event. The bus only seats 12, including the driver, so to make the process fairer we will take the first 11 girls who nominate, by note from parents, to be transported via the RSL bus. Please give these nomination notes to Ms Nesbitt asap so I can fill the spots. Thanks ☺

After much confusion with the wet weather, the T-Ball GALA Day didn't go ahead. Thanks to the persistence of the parents/carers who transported our students to and from. I have heard no further information from the PSSA executive regarding an alternative day, my understanding is that they normally cancel GALA days that don't go ahead. I will let you know when I know for sure.

COMMUNITY NOTICES**Mother's Day Brunch**

At Swansea Belmont Surf life Saving Club

Bookings essential Phone: 0439391629

SB Functions and Events

Freshly Baked Croissants
Homemade Blueberry Muffins
Fresh Fruit w/ Greek Yoghurt & Honey
Buttermilk Pancakes
Spanish Omelette w/ Roma Tomatoes, Avocado & Crème Fraiche
Thick Potato Rosti w/ Green Leaves, Smoked Salmon & Sour Cream with Chives
Bacon, Homemade Breakfast Sausage Pattie, Mushrooms & a Fried Egg on a Toasted Muffin
Homemade Baked Beans w/ Chorizo
Mie Goreng – Indonesian Fried Noodles w/ Chicken & Prawns
Scrambled Eggs w/ Goats Cheese & Parsley

All Served w/ Tea, Filtered Coffee & Breakfast Juices

Mother's Day Brunch
Sunday May 12th ~ 9.30am – 12pm
Bookings Essential!!!
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A Special Gift For One Lucky Mother

Adults \$25pp
Children 12 & Under \$15pp

