Principal’s Report Week 2 - Term 4

Who turned the heat off? After such a lovely week last week, I had to put the cardigan back on today. And what an amazing storm we had on Sunday. I was at school and the thunder was so loud I was even hiding under my desk. But we can always use rain so I am not complaining.

We had our first Footsteps dance workshop on Monday. Mr Till wanted the young girl running the classes energy. She was amazing and the students loved the workshop. I think we will be having full attendance on Mondays for the next few weeks.

Kindergarten orientation started today with our budding new Kindies for next year. Oh how small they look. They have come full of enthusiasm and ready to go. I think we will have trouble making some of them only come on Tuesdays, like Mrs Murray’s little Henry.

The Wearing of Helmets: as you are aware there was a serious accident with a young boy here in Adelong in the holidays. The boy was on a scooter with no helmet. This is a warning for us all. Our kids are precious and we need to make them wear helmets for their own safety. Head injuries are life changing and potentially life ending. I’m sorry to be so blunt. The school will also be organising for one of the Department’s Road Safety people to come and talk to students.

Have a great week and for those attending P&C, I will see you at 6.30 tonight in the Library

Alison

PLANET RHYTHM

Last Thursday the whole school enjoyed the Planet Rhythm performance by John Rattley. All the students participated in playing the many different percussion instruments. Here are a few photos from the performance.
**Bee Awards**

**Term 4 Week 1**
Congratulations to Justin for receiving his 32 Bee award last week and to Thomas, Georgia, Kyle M, Lachlan, Ryan, Jace, Isobel, Monaro and Josh who also received their 48 Bee Award Certificates during assembly last week. Well done.

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**Weekly Class Merit Awards**

**Term 4 Week 1**
K/1  Jack and Lucy
1/2  Ryan and Julie
3/4  Lee, Claudia, Ella and Annika
5/6  Mack and Zac

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**LAWN BOWLS COMMENCES THIS WEEK**
This week Lawn Bowls will commence this Friday 17 October for class 3/4. Then on Friday 24 October class 5/6 will also join in. Lawn Bowls will continue every Friday finishing on Friday 21 November. The cost is $1.00 per session per child. Please bring your $1.00 each Friday and hand it to your teacher.

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**POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING (PBL)**

**SCHOOL VALUES**

- BE RESPECTFUL
- BE RESPONSIBLE
- BE SAFE
- BE A LEARNER
REMINDERS

FOOTSTEPS WHOLE SCHOOL DANCE PROGRAM
On Monday the 13 October, all students (K-6) will commence the Footsteps 5 week dance program. The cost of the 5 week program will be $5.00 per child. **Payments due by Thursday 23 October.**

Adidas School Fun Run
All fun run sponsorships forms and money needs to be returned to school this week. If no sponsorship was sourced your blank form must be returned with your name on it. If you no longer have the form a signed note stating that no sponsorship/money was collect for the Adidas School Fun Run. Prizes for participation cannot be claimed until all forms are accounted for.

NEEDED – CRAFT ITEMS
Class 3/4 are in need of any plastic drink bottle lids. Can you please save these and send them in ASAP.

BUNNINGS BBQ BELCONNEN
We will be running the Bunnings BBQ at Belconnen on Saturday 25 October. It is a fantastic fundraiser with previous schools raising over $2000.00 after costs.

We are still after one or two parents to assist in the 9.00am to 12.00 pm time slots below. Please complete the slip below and return it to school by this Friday.

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| ROSTER |  
| 8.00 – 9.00 am | Alison Brown, Libby (Bongongo) |
| 9.00 am – 10.00 am | Alison Brown, Libby, Rachel Brown, ????????? |
| 10.00 – 11.00 am | Alison Brown, Libby, Rachel Brown, ????????? |
| 11.00 am – 12.00 pm | Liz Smith, Libby, Rachel Brown, ????????? |
| 12.00 – 1.00 pm | Liz Smith, Rose McCormick, Maree Jamieson, Rachel Brown |
| 1.00 – 2.00 pm | Liz Smith, Rose McCormick, Maree Jamieson, Rachel Brown |
| 2.00 – 3.00 pm | Liz Smith, Rose McCormick, Marie Jamieson |
| 3.00 – 4.00 pm | Rose McCormick, Alison Brown, Marie Jamieson |
| 4.00 – 5.00 pm | Rose McCormick, Alison Brown, Marie Jamieson |

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Name:  ______________________________________ Contact number: __________________

I am able to assist at ____________________________________________ times.
P&C and Canteen News

P&C General Meeting TONIGHT
Tuesday 14 October at 6.30 pm in the school Library. Everyone welcome.

Canteen Roster Term 4

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COMMUNITY NEWS

ADELONG SWIMMING CLUB
Muster/Registration Days

Saturday 18 October.
 Competitive Swimmers
  11.30 am to 1.00 pm
  Adelong S&C Club
  Sausage sizzle provided.

Saturday 8 November
 All other swimmers
 Stroke correction, fitness, etc
 Adelong Community Swimming Pool
  Time to be advised.

Fees
Adelong Swimming Club: $20.00 1st child then $10.00 for 2nd and subsequent children.
Swimming NSW Registration: $57 online registration for all swimmers
Further information please contact Rose 0428 384 734