Canobolas Public School News

Term 1: Week 3 – Wednesday 11th February 2015

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Swimming Carnival
Canobolas Students will be swimming in the Orange Small Schools Association (OSSA) Swimming Carnival next Tuesday 17th February. This is a qualifying carnival for District representation. It is for students 8 years and over who can confidently swim 50m. Thank you to all students and parents who turned up last week for our practice session. It has allowed us to finalise entries.

OSSA Gala Day
Yesterday 21 Canobolas students participated with children from across OSSA to compete for positions in our PSSA teams for 2015. We had a wonderful day at Brabham Park with glorious weather and spirited competition. Teams and squads have been selected and coaches will notify schools and students soon with information regarding training and competition dates.

Big Steps for Little Feet
Today the Central Western Daily photographed our new kindergarten class as well as our school leaders (Year 6). Photos of our students will appear in the “Big Steps for Little Feet” article to be published on Friday 27th February.

Banjo Patterson Festival
Children in Year 1 and Years 5/6 have paintings displayed in Simply Nile Café in Nile Street and at The Dragonfly Lounge at 134 Summer Street as part of the Banjo Paterson Festival in Orange. The older children listened to “The Man from Snowy River” and the younger children heard about “Mulga Bill's Bicycle” and produced some beautiful pieces of art. Banjo Paterson's birthday is on 17th February.

Adam Page
Last Friday Adam Page put on another amazing performance for us. Everyone was thoroughly entertained and amazed by his talent of turning everyday sounds into music - even Mr Hughes-Clapp's moustache can make music! It was great to see so many of our students going on to watch his night performance at Orange High School as well.

P&C Annual General Meeting Reminder
The P&C Annual General Meeting will be held next Wednesday 18th February at 7.30 in the Old School Building. Everyone is welcome.

Orange Colour City Running Festival
Canobolas Public has entered a team into the Colour City Running Festival to be held 28th February/1st March. Brad Simmons is currently training the squad in preparation for the event. If anyone else is interested in the festival or has questions, you can see Brad or Mrs Manson at school for further information. A link to the running festival is provided here.


Afternoon Pick-up
Please leave with children via the main gate in front of the old school building in the afternoon. This assists teachers and helps keep the maintenance and emergency access free. Children should not be unattended at the roadside and must be with parents at all times to ensure their safety when leaving.
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President: Melissa Caulfield  Vice Presidents: Lisa Darley and Bianca Grayson
Treasurer: Mel Butcher  Secretary: Cassy Murphy

CAKE DAY ROSTER

This Week 12th Feb
Seis Moore Pearce Badman McKay

Next Week – 19th February
Anderson Ashcroft Boardman Brincat Buckland

If you are unable to provide your 24-pieces, please contact Cake Day Co-ordinator, Kyra McKay on 0448 192 260.

IMPORTANT NOTE DUE TO ALLERGIES
The school is NUT FREE and meringues cannot be accepted.
THANK YOU 😊

Clothing Pool
A huge thank you to all of those families who donated to the clothing pool over the last week, the stocks have been replenished and there is a good range of second hand uniforms available. With prices starting at $2, it’s a good place to get those “spares”. The clothing pool will be open this week on Thursday afternoon and Friday morning for anyone who is interested in having a look, I’ll be under the COLA.

Lost Property
There is currently a large amount of unlabelled lost property in the office. If your child has lost any articles, please have a look through the tub of lost property, which will be on the tennis court Thursday and Friday afternoon of this week.

Canobolas Public P&C
The P&C AGM will be held on Wednesday, 18th February in the Old School, starting at 7:30pm.
The P&C are heavily involved at school and all parent involvement is greatly appreciated and valued. The P&C are very active in fund raising activities as well as organising social and family events. All families are encouraged to attend our P&C Meetings and become involved in the school.

P&C Calendar of Events
February
18th P&C AGM – Old School
7:30pm start

Cake Day 2015
Each family will receive the Cake Day Roster and a letter explaining the procedure for Cake Day today. Please make a note of the day you are rostered on and let Kyra know if you are unable to bake on that day so you can be swapped. Because of the increase in student numbers, we have had to increase the number of people required each week to 5-families. So, to be as fair as possible to all families, we’ve decided to roster families who have more children at the school, on more times. Again, please do not hesitate to contact Kyra if there are any concerns.
Also, if you are unable to bake at all, please send an email to Sam at school letting him know and you’ll be taken off the roster, it is not compulsory.
If you need any ideas or suggestions about what to bake for Cake Day, just ask any of the P&C, or get in touch with Kyra for some ideas.