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Term 3 - Week 10 - 2017

Wednesday 20th September 2017

Wow! What a super busy term! I think I can speak for all of us when I say we have definitely deserved the oncoming holidays! Thank you to all of the staff, students and parents that have made term 3 a successful one and I hope you all enjoy your holidays.

I would especially like to thank Mrs Beard who will be finishing up this week as Mrs Sansom will be returning from maternity leave next term.

Thank You Mrs Beard!



Year 6 STEM and Orientation

Last Wednesday Year 6 travelled to Gloucester Public School (GPS) for the first of a series of orientation activities with Gloucester High School (GHS) in preparation for transition to High School next year. Mr Wisely, Ms Edman and Ms Ribbons, with 2 year 9 students provided vast amounts of information including uniforms, welfare and subject choices. Year 9 students demonstrated some of their design skills with an air pressure rocket and plane. We joined with Barrington, Stroud Road and Gloucester Public Schools.

Thank you to GHS for entertaining us and GPS for hosting us. We are all looking forward to our next 'get together'!

Parent and Teacher Meetings

If at any time parents and carers need to discuss their children's academic or social behaviour at school. Please ring the office and make an appointment to see their teacher.

St Joseph's Musical Presentation

It was a lovely surprise to be invited to watch the Matinee Performance of St Joseph's Musical 'A Book Without a Cover'.

The school travelled to Gloucester on the bus and were treated to a fabulous play which was co-written by the students. It was funny and entertaining and a lovely treat for our last week of Term 3.

Taronga Zoo Snooze Excursion

Thank you for the speedy return of all students medical information. If your telephone number changes before this excursion please contact the school with your new details and these numbers will be the ones we contact families with our 'Time Home' drop off information. As our arrival time will depend on traffic on the day we cannot be any more precise.

Mrs Hughes will keep you all informed of any traffic delays via the Skoolbag App.

Last minute details will come home first week back next term.

Not long now! How exciting!



Thank you
Amy Hughes
Principal

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Assembly Awards - Week 10

Core Value Awards

Acting Responsibly - Brady

Showing Respect - Thomas

Class Awards

Christian for an outstanding effort in writing and creating an information report and Powerpoint.

Josh for his positive attitude towards class work.

Library

Brady, Jaxon, Connor, Hayden and Josh.

Homework

Brady, Connor, Jaxon, Hayden, Thomas, Henry, and Hunter.

Attendance

Brady for 100% attendance in Term 3, Well done!



Dates to Remember

22nd Sept: Last Day of Term 3

9th October: First Day of Term 4

17th October: Pet Education Program

19th and 20th October: Zoo Snooze Excursion

Intensive Swimming Term 4

As always we will be participating in the Intensive Swimming Program again in 2017.

As previously advertised they will take place in week 9 of term 4. From Monday 4th Dec to Fri 8th Dec. There will be a cost attached to this five day program. I will advise families when I have exact figures. It will be in the vicinity of \$20 per child for the weeks, bus, instructors and pool admissions.

School Photos

We expect our school photos to be back very early next term.

Puberty Clues

All year 6 students are invited to attend the Puberty Clues sessions at Gloucester Public School next term in week 2, (it will be a very busy week).

It will run from 9am to 11am on the Monday 16th, Tuesday 17th and Thursday 19th (for those not attending the Sydney excursion).

A permission note is attached to the newsletter for those students.

This very successful program will again be led Ms Ribbons (relieving Head Teacher Wellbeing at GHS).

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