



Term 2 Week 3

Wednesday 5th May, 2010

Expo a Great Success!

After weeks of planning and preparing for our College Expo, Saturday's event was a huge success with many new families coming along to see the wonderful displays, enjoy a bbq and be entertained by some of our talented students.

Thank you to the many parents who gave of their time to help organise and run the delicious bbq, serving 600 sausages, make amazing espresso coffees, organise the sound and various other jobs which helped make the day so great. We couldn't have done it without you.

Thank you also to the families who brought friends along for the day, or who came to support their children as they performed or helped out in many other different ways.

Mother's Day Stall

The P & F Mother's Day Stall will be open for Junior School students to purchase a gift for their mums. The stall will be located next to the Canteen this Friday, 7th May, and will be open during recess.



Upcoming Events

Monday 3rd May—Wed 5th May

Careers Expo for Years 10 and 12

Thursday 6th May

Yr 10 & 11 Geography excursion depart School 8.45am return 3.15pm

Friday 7th May

State Cross Country Primary and Secondary, Eastern Creek own transport

Monday 10th May

CIS Rugby League Trials

Wednesday 12th May

CIS Soccer Trials

Tues 11th May, Wed 12th May, Thurs 13th May

NAPLAN for Years 3, 5, 7 and 9.

Tuesday 18th May

Photo Day

Thursday 20th May

Year 11 and 12 parent/teacher interviews 5.30pm-8.00pm in School Library.



Prayer Points

We want to praise God for:

- Beautiful weather and many new families attending our College Expo held last Saturday.
- The tremendous support of our P&F.

Bible Verse for the Week

"Don't just pretend to love others. Really love them. Hate what is wrong. Hold tightly to what is good. Love each other with genuine affection, and take delight in honoring each other. Never be lazy, but work hard and serve the Lord enthusiastically. Rejoice in our confident hope. Be patient in trouble, and keep on praying."

Romans 12: 9-12

We also want to pray for:

- Students and teachers as they prepare for the NAPLAN next week.
- Safety for students and staff as they participate in various sporting events and excursions this week.



Parent Participation Scheme Opportunities

Library PPS

Would you like a good parking spot? Would you like to get your PPS hours done easily? Why not come half an hour early to pick up your children and come and put books away and tidy the shelves in the Library. I need some regular helpers to ensure the books are where they're supposed to be. If you are interested, please contact me on 42 71 8124.

Mrs Sheree Pupovac
Teacher Librarian



Canteen Roster

Mon 10 May	Catherine Vormister
Tues 11 May	Kristy Boswell
Wed 12 May	Paula Holt
Thurs 13 May	Linda Johnston
Friday 14	Carol Hutchinson and Help Needed

For more information or to volunteer please phone Narelle Petrovski on 0418 685 802.

Book Club

Please note: Titles in the Scholastic Book Club brochures that are deemed inappropriate for the College to support are no longer being crossed out. The College is leaving it to parents to decide on appropriate reading material for their own children. Please scrutinise carefully your children's choices as some publications may present a world view that is not inline with the Christian world view we support at Cedars.

Book Club brochures have been given to students this week and the Book Club orders and **correct** money are due back in this Friday 7 May. Please note that only exact money will be accepted as no change is given. Please ensure your child's **full name and class** are on the order form. Thank you.

Mrs Pupovac
Teacher Librarian

Westpac Mathematics Competition

The 2010 Australian Mathematics Competition for the Westpac Awards will be held on Thursday, 5th August, Term 3 Week 2.

This competition started in 1978 and is now in its 33rd year. It is an international competition with primary and secondary students participating from 37 countries and is sponsored by Westpac Banking Corporation. The competition consists of intriguing problems which students can enjoy solving and is mostly multiple choice. Every student receives a Certificate (*High Distinction, Distinction, Credit, Participation*) together with a summary of their results. These Certificates are great for enhancing a student's CV. The Competition is open to all students from Years 3 to Year 12 and those in advanced mathematics classes are expected to enter.

A Mathematics rewards excursion will be planned for Term 4 for all students entering the competition. Please let your Mathematics teacher know if you would like to enter.

Cost is \$5 per student. Place correct money in an envelope and give it to Mrs Skinner in the front office. **REGISTRATION CLOSES ON FRIDAY 7th MAY 2010. (The end of Week 3).**

Year 11 and 12 Parent/Teacher Interviews

Year 11 and 12 parent/teacher interviews will be held on Thursday 20th May from 5.30pm-8.00pm in the School Library.

Year 11 students have been issued with a Term 1 Progress Report and Year 12 half-yearly reports will be issued prior to the interview date.

Mrs Sue Walker
Deputy Principal of Curriculum

Photo Day

Photo Day for 2010 is being held in Week 5 of Term 2 on Tuesday, 18 May 2010. Please take care not to book any appointments on this day as your child could miss out having their photo taken.

Deadline for payments is Friday 14 May 2010.

- If paying by cheque make out to "ADVANCED PHOTOGRAPHICS."
- Change will not be given so please pay the exact amount.
- We are not able to offer 'pay later' as an option.
- Prep students whose days are Wednesday and Thursday or Friday will need to come in on the Tuesday (details regarding the time are on the timetable).
- All students must come to school dressed and prepared to have their photo taken, even if you are not purchasing photographs.
- Orders for portraits will not be accepted after photo day.
- Sibling photograph order envelopes are available at the front office should you require them. Winter uniforms are to be worn including ties and long pants for the boys. Do not wear sports uniform on this day.

If you have any questions regarding Photo Day please contact the office on 4271 8124. A schedule for the day will be sent out late this week.

Junior School Cross Country Awards

Parents of Primary Students please note that we will be handing out Cross Country Awards in Week 4 Assembly, Tuesday, 11th May at 2.00pm.

2010 Ski Trip - Thredbo

As part of our Year 7—12 extra curricular program, a snow ski trip weekend has been organised during the school winter holidays at Thredbo Ski Fields. This event has been popular in previous years and we anticipate another exciting time of fun and for building relationships. The program is hosted by Boomerang Adventures in conjunction with staff from Cedars. The trip caters for all skiing abilities and includes lessons by qualified instructors.

The ski trip will be held on Friday 23rd July to Sunday 25th July 2010. Cost of trip is \$520. A minimum of 20 students are required to make the trip viable.

For further information please call the office on 42 718124.