



Term 3 Week 7

Wednesday 8 September, 2010

Parent Survey

At Cedars Christian College we have a commitment to being a school where students, staff and families all actively learn and grow. Our staff seek to meet the needs of our families and develop the best ways of serving them. We are aware that there are things that we can improve and we invite you to join with us in identifying those areas.

Those of you who are School parents will have received either a letter or an email explaining that you can actively help us by giving us your honest feedback. To help you to do this we have put together a quick survey. Please fill in the survey mailed or go online to <http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/CTWV5MP> to let us know what we do well and what we could do better.

All information is anonymous and will be reviewed by the Executive team. We value your feedback both positive and negative. Please return via post or reception in a sealed envelope by Friday 17th September.

Trivia Night

The final countdown is underway as we make final preparations for the exciting Trivia Night to be held on Saturday, 18th September from 7.00.

If you have not booked your table, please do so right away so that you will not miss out. Fantastic prizes have been donated for the night, and there are some great items for the silent auction.

Don't miss out! Call Michelle now on 42 718124.



Upcoming Events

Thursday 9th September

EXO Day for Middle School and Senior College 12.40pm - 3.20pm

Friday 10th September

- Source of Life spinal checks, Yr 7
- Year 9 Mathematics Talented Students Day, Smiths Hill

Tuesday 14th September

- CIS Secondary Athletics, Homebush
- U14's Rugby League Comp

Wed 15th - Fri 17th September

Duke of Ed Silver Hike

Thurs 16th - Friday 17th September

- Duke of Ed Bronze Hike
- Year 6 Excursion

Thursday 16th September

Teddy Bears' Picnic, Junior School 9.30am - 11.00 - for those going into Kindergarten 2011

Saturday 18th September

Trivia Night 7.00pm

Monday 20th Sept—Wed 22nd Sept

Year 10 Trial Examinations

Monday 20th Sept—Friday 24th Sept

Year 11 yearly examinations

Wednesday 22nd Sept

Year 12 Final Assembly

Thursday 23rd Sept

- End of Term Assemblies
- Treat Day - Canteen

Friday 24th September

Final Day of Term 3

Monday 11th October

First Day of Term 4



Prayer Points

We want to praise God for:

- A wonderful family fun day recently put on by our P&F.
- The students from Peterborough School who recently came and visited our School and had a wonderful time interacting with students and staff.

Bible Verse for the Week

"Do you see a man who excels in his work? He will stand before kings; He will not stand before unknown men."

Proverbs 22:29

We also want to pray for:

- The upcoming Duke of Ed hikes taking place next week.
- A beautiful day for our Teddy Bear's Picnic next Thursday.



Canteen Roster

	Help Needed
Mon 13 Sept	
Tues 14 Sept	Sharlene
Wed 15 Sept	Helen Djukic
Thurs 16 Sept	Palesa and Simone Vlandys
Fri 17 Sept	Janet Owen

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

Parent Participation Scheme Opportunities

Canteen

Narelle, our Canteen Manager, is always looking for help from parents to work in the Canteen. This is a great opportunity to add to your PPS hours and is a lot of fun! Call Narelle on 0418 685 802 to book in a day or two to help out at the Canteen. We are so appreciative of all the parents who have given of their time in this area and in so many other areas of our College.

Teddy Bear's Picnic



All students entering Kindergarten in 2011 are invited to come, with their Teddy Bears, to our Teddy Bears Picnic on Thursday, 16th September from 9.30am - 11.00am.

The picnic is designed to help students to get to know each other and to become more familiar with the School and staff. The event is also a wonderful time for new and current parents to meet and get to know one another.

EXO Day

Our own School EXO Day which has been extremely successful in past years, is on this Thursday, 9th September from 12.40pm - 3.20pm for Middle School and Senior College.

Students can wear mufti and lunch is provided for a \$2 donation. Lunch includes a sausage sizzle and drinks. With live entertainment, games, prizes, electronic surfboard and skate park (note from parents required) the day is set to be fantastic!

Year 12 Formal - Deposit Due

The Year 12 Formal will be held at the Premier Room at the WIN Entertainment Centre (WEC) on the 15th November 2010, commencing at 7pm and concluding at 11pm.

The cost is **\$66 per person** and this includes a 3 course meal, DJ/ Dance floor and a 4hr soft drink package. Paul's Photographic will be present on the night to take photographs.

A \$33 deposit per head is required by Friday 10th September, 2010 to be paid to Sandra in the front office. Final payment is to be made by October 15th, 2010.

Creation Ministries International

Dr Tas Walker of Creation Ministries International is coming to Gateway City Church on Sunday, 19th September at 10am to speak on Creation: a Key to the Gospel. Please phone Gateway Office on 4226 4466 for further information.

Cedars Umbrellas

We now have new Cedars umbrellas available to purchase for \$30 each from the main School office. The new umbrellas are an upgrade from the original design and are maroon with a white Cedars' logo. Feel free to drop into the office to have a look or to purchase; stock is limited.

Trial School Certificate Timetable

The Trial School Certificate will be held during Week 9 of this Term for Year 10 students. To prepare for this, students can complete practice exams on the Board of Studies website <http://www.boardofstudies.nsw.edu.au/schoolcertificate/>.

Parents please note the following dates for exams:

Monday 20th Sept:

- English
 - Computing Skills
- ### Tuesday 21st Sept:
- Maths
 - Aust History, Geography and Civics

Wed 22nd Sept:

- Science

Thursday 23rd Sept

- Normal Classes

Friday 24th Sept

- Normal Classes

Year 11 Yearly Examination Timetable

The Year 11 Yearly Examination Timetable will be held Week 9 of this Term. Parents, please note the following dates for exams:

Monday 20th Sept

- English
- Business Studies
- Chemistry
- PDHPE

Tuesday 21st Sept

- Geography
- Music
- Design and Tech
- Biology

Wednesday 22nd Sept

- Maths
- Music

Thursday 23rd Sept

- Visual Arts
- Photography
- Physics
- Modern History

Friday 24th Sept

- English Ext 1
- Maths Ext 1

Rio Tinto Big Science Competition

On 1st September 85 of our brightest Science students from Year 7-12 completed the Rio Tinto Big Science Competition. This international competition tests the students' ability to think scientifically about a range of topics.

We look forward to hearing the results for our students and have high hopes for their success.

Mr Steve Walton
Deputy Principal

Family Photo Day Saturday 23rd October

The P & F are holding a family photo day in Term 4 – Saturday 23rd October. Bookings will be taken at the end of Term 3 and more information will be available to families before then.

