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NEWS & NOTICES



CELEBRATION

**WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 7
FIGTREE ANGLICAN CHURCH**

The Cedars Christian College annual Celebration service for Junior School, Middle School and Senior College is being held on Wednesday December 7 at Figtree Anglican Church.

The evening has 2 services; one for Junior School beginning at 6.00pm and one for Middle/Senior College starting at 7.30pm. Students will perform items and various awards will be handed out on this special evening.

Students are rehearsing their performances in the areas of drama and dance, and it is set to be a very exciting, entertaining event. All parents and families of students are warmly welcomed to attend.

On the night all families will receive a 2012 Cedars Calendar and our yearly magazine 'Celebrating 2011,' which includes all this year's awards and is a wonderful remembrance of this past year.

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to our
major
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LOCAL FIRE

We would also like to thank the sponsors of the Students Awards for the night:

- **Zweefers Great Cakes**
- **MMJ Dapto**
- **Gateway Creative Arts Academy (GCAA)**

CELEBRATION DVD'S

A professionally filmed DVD of the Celebration night will be available for purchase. There are two dvd's available including Junior School Presentation and Middle/Senior College Presentation:

- Junior School \$25
- Middle/Senior \$25
- Junior and Middle/Snr \$45

A DVD order form has recently been sent out to each family; please fill in the order form and hand into the office asap.

DVD's will be available for pick up from the School Office on the following days:

- Thursday December 15 from 9.00am - 12.00pm
- Friday December 16 from 9.00am - 12.00pm

Please note that DVD's will not be mailed out.

NOTICES



BLAZERS FOR 2012

All Senior College students must have a school blazer from the start of the year. Blazers are worn for formal assemblies in Terms 1 and 4 and everyday in Terms 2 and 3 as part of the winter uniform.

Fittings can be arranged through the school uniform shop which is open on Tuesday afternoons from 3:00pm – 4:40pm and Friday morning from 8:15am – 11am up to and including 9th December. During the holidays the shop will be open on:

- **Monday 23rd Jan 9am-4pm**
- **Tues 24th Jan 9am-12pm**
- **Tues 31st Jan from 8am**

Appointments will be necessary and can be made through Reception.

Cedars Uniform shop is happy to accept laybys for next year so get on in and avoid the new year rush!

Please Note:

The deadline for students ordering blazers for next year is Friday 2nd December. After this time there will be no guarantee that the blazers will be ready for collection in Term 1, 2012.

Please remember that those parents who make appointments will be given priority at the uniform shop. Please ensure you make an appointment to avoid extended waiting times. Parents are also encouraged to bring their own bags to transport their purchases home. This is an attempt to reduce costs and help our environment.

CEDARS BACKPACKS

An exciting new addition to the Cedars uniform beginning in 2012 will be Cedars backpacks. Available at the end of January 2012, Cedars backpacks will be phased in throughout 2012 and will be compulsory in 2013.

Backpacks are available in two sizes:

- Intermediate \$66
- Senior \$68

The backpacks will have a removable back brace which helps to provide support for children's backs and have a five year guarantee.

TERM DATES FOR 2012

2012	
Term 1	Year 1-12 Jan 31
	Kindy Feb 2
	Prep Feb 3
	Finishes Apr 5
Term 2	Apr 23 - June 29
Term 3	July 23 - Sept 21
Term 4	Oct 8 - Dec 12

PARENT PARTICIPATION OPPORTUNITIES

Reminder - PPS Hours Recorded for Term 4

Just a reminder that all PPS hours for Term 4 need to be recorded on your card in Reception in the main office so that a charge won't be added to your account.

These cards are the record we use to calculate credits for PPS so we ask that you check your card if you are unsure if all your hours have been recorded.

Please ensure your card has been completed by Monday December 5.

CANTEEN ROSTER

DATE	STAFF
5/12/2011	Narelle
6/12/2011	Andrea
7/12/2011	CLOSED

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

NOTICES



MUSIC LESSONS FOR 2012

Gateway Creative Arts Academy is now taking enrolments for Term 1, 2012.

Private lessons during school hours are available in Clarinet, Saxophone, Flute, Piano, Guitar and Vocals. For all enquiries please contact Annette Collins on 0435 346 833.



PHOTOGRAPHERS

If you have a passion for photography and would like to help stock our photo library here at the School; please call, email npiper@cedars.nsw.edu.au or come in and see Nicola Piper in the Office.

We are constantly looking for great photos for our newsletter and publications from various school events, assemblies, etc. Why not test out your talent and perhaps see one of your photos in a newsletter, calendar, magazine or another school publication?

BEACH STREET LOYALTY CARDS



Beach Street offer a 10% discount off every purchase for any families from Cedars with a Beach Street loyalty card. Cedars also benefits by earning Beach Street dollars with every purchase (see Beach Street on following page). Loyalty Cards can be picked up at Reception.

LIBRARY 'CYBER SPOT'



Google search tip: If searching for **news articles** you can restrict your search to a particular country. Type in your search string ending with a colon and the name or abbreviation of your country. For example, *sars virus:au*. This will limit your search retrieval to information on the sars virus to Australian websites or *sars virus:Canada* to Canadian websites.

Mrs Sheree Pupovac
Teacher/Librarian

P & F COLD ROCK FUNDRAISER

P&F would like to thank all families who supported the Cold Rock fundraiser.

Well done to Joshua White from 5S who is our winner of the Ice Cream cake voucher!



STUDENT VIDEO EXPERTS

Calling on any students who have a flair for videoing and editing. We require a student to film, edit and upload videos of school events for our weekly newsletter. Tutoring in video editing can be given before Term 4 ends. If you think you are up for the job and would like to earn a bit of money, please contact Nicola Piper in the office or email :

npiper@cedars.nsw.edu.au



UPCOMING EVENTS



WEDNESDAY DEC 7

- Last day of Term 4
- Canteen closed

WEDNESDAY DEC 7

- Celebration at Figtree Anglican Church
- JS at 6.00pm
- MS/SC at 7.30pm

WEDNESDAY DEC 14

HSC results via schools online

TUESDAY JAN 31

- First day of School for years 1 - 12

THURSDAY FEB 2

- First day of School for Kindergarten

FRIDAY FEB 3

- First day of School for Prep
- Secondary Swimming Carnival

WEDNESDAY FEB 8

Primary Swimming Carnival

WEDNESDAY FEB 15

Primary Parent Night

WEDNESDAY FEB 22

Senior College Parent Night

Upcoming Event Information is also located on Cedars Website. Go to: <http://cedars.nsw.edu.au/calendar.html>

PRAYER POINTS



WE ARE THANKFUL TO GOD FOR:

- A wonderful year full of many successes, celebrations, achievements; there are so many reasons to be thankful!

WE ARE ASKING GOD FOR:

- A beautiful evening on December 7 as we Celebrate this past year.
- A restful holiday and blessed Christmas for all of our College community.

BIBLE VERSE OF THE WEEK:

"Give thanks to the Lord and proclaim his greatness. Let the whole world know what he has done."

1 Chronicles 16:8 NLT



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-SURF SCENE-

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