Summer Fun Day
Friday 6 December 2013

Summer Fun Day is being held once again this year as both a treat for the children and a fundraising activity. From 12:30 pm onwards all classes will be holding activities such as the thong throw, gamezone, chocolate wheel, nail painting, jumping castle, colouring in competition, lucky dip, giant bubbles and more. The P&C will be running a sausage sizzle and selling fairy floss and popcorn. The canteen will be selling drinks and other goodies. The idea is to have an afternoon of fun and at the same time raise some much needed funds to extend our technology program and purchase additional much needed reading material K-6.

Parents are invited to attend and we also hope that some of you will be able to help out on the day. Keep watching the newsletter for further details.

Parent Survey 2013

Attached to this newsletter is a parent survey about our school. This survey forms part of our annual school evaluation. It would be appreciated if you could complete the survey and return it to your child’s class teacher or the office by 15 November. The survey is anonymous.

Linda Green – Principal

PBIS

Our PBIS focus areas for Week 3 are:

- Cooperate with all staff members and peers including scripture, RFF and casual teachers and with students who are not in your class.
- Take responsibility for your learning.

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Summer Fun Day Fundraiser

Please find attached to this newsletter Summer Fun Day Fundraiser note.

Kindergarten Teachers

From the P&C

Fundraising
Reminder that artwork payment is due by Friday 25 November for calendars, iPhone covers, mouse mats, cards and diaries.

K-2 Athletics Carnival
P&C will be running a sausage sizzle and cake stall at the K-2 Athletics Carnival on Tuesday 22 October 2013. Children in Yrs 3-6 need to pre-order their sausage sandwich/roll. Parents and children K-2 can purchase on the day.

All donations of cakes are greatly appreciated and should be delivered on the day.

Normal canteen service will operate and if you wish to order lunch please do so before 9:00 am.

Christine Wright - P&C President

Stewart House Clothing Bags
Stewart House provides short-term respite care to thousands of public school children each year.

Any quality old clothes would be greatly appreciated. Please return full or empty bags to your child’s classroom by tomorrow Friday 18 October 2013.

Paula Clements – Charities

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Each year the school as part of its annual evaluation process completes a number of surveys to assist with planning and to help identify future directions and priorities for the school. To assist with this process we request that parents complete the survey. Please return the completed survey to your child’s class teacher by Friday 15 November 2013.

Thanking you for your continued support.

Linda Green
Principal
17 October 2013

### Parent Satisfaction Survey 2013

Please tick the box which most appropriately reflects your opinion. If you wish to make more comments, please use the space provided.

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| How welcome do you feel when entering the school |
| School administration generally |
| The leadership and direction provided by the administration of the school |
| The external appearance of the school and its grounds |
| The internal appearance of the school |
| The emphasis on reading, writing and mathematics skills |
| The use of computers in the classroom |
| The quality of the resources available to your child |
| The amount of help and support provided to your child by the teachers |
| Your child is challenged to do their best |
| Your child/children's academic achievement |
| The amount of homework your child has |
| Your child is learning to take responsibility for their own actions |
| The discipline at the school |
| Staff response when there is a problem |
| The safety of your child at school |
| Communication generally about school events and activities |
| The information you receive from the school in the Newsletter and Information Booklets |
| The access to and quality of information you receive from the school about your child/children's educational progress (reports and parent/teacher interviews). |
| The opportunity for you to be involved in decisions affecting your child/children's education |
| Your opportunities to participate as a parent in the school community |

**Additional Comments**

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Dear Parents/Carers,

The Summer Fun Day will be held on Friday 6 December 2013 from 12-3 pm.

As part of our school fundraiser we will be hosting a **Hamper Raffle Stall**.

We kindly ask students to donate various items each week before the event to contribute to the hampers. All contributions are to be placed in the boxes outside K/1B’s classroom before or after school each day.

**Weeks 2 & 3 – Food/Pantry items**

Example: Tuna, pasta products, spaghetti sauce, canned fruits, canned vegetables, beans - canned or dried, rice, flour, baking goods, cereals, chocolate, tea, coffee.

To ensure food safety, we cannot use: rusty or unlabelled cans, perishable items, homemade items, alcoholic beverages, open or used items.

**Please No Perishable Items**

**Weeks 4 & 5 – Toiletries & Candles**

Example: Scented candles, tea lights, scented oils, hand cream, body lotions, bath wash, shower gels, soap, bathroom items, bubble bath, shampoo and conditioner, bath crayons, bath toys, bath mitt or decorative face cloth, hand towels etc.

**Weeks 6 & 7 – Small gifts/Baskets/Gift Boxes**

Example: Kitchen utensils, stationery, note books, diary, barbecue tools, chocolates, car cleaning items, tea infuser, mugs, decorative teapot, tins for holding tea, cards, checkers, pens, dominoes, puzzles.

Thank you for your continued support.

Kindergarten Teachers

Linda Green
Principal
17 October 2013