

Caddies Creek Chronicle

Term 2 Week 6 – 4th June, 2009

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Dates To Remember: 10th June Science Competition
10th June Regional Cross Country
12th June Krispy Kreme donuts orders filled



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School Hours 9am – 3pm
OOSH Ph: 9629 9200
Assemblies this week – 1T & Proms

Uniforms are ordered through the office

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Dear Dads and Mums,

2008 Annual School Report

The 2008 Annual School Report is now ready for parents to read. It contains considerable information about the programs, activities and results of our students in 2008. An electronic copy is available on our school website. We also have hard copies available at the office for any parent who would like to collect one.

Thank you to Mr Beggs and the team responsible for compiling, what I believe, is an excellent document. I commend it to you.

Power Upgrade – Sub Station

Work has commenced on our power upgrade and new sub station. The contractors have placed a “site shed” near the hall and have cleared an area at the front of the staff car park. As well as installing the much needed substation, the contractors will be taking a direct additional electricity feed up to the demountable area. The majority, if not all the digging work will be completed on the weekends. The safety of our students and staff is paramount during this time.

Enrolment Numbers

Our student numbers have continued to grow this term. Our population now totals 829 students. With this increase in enrolments we are entitled to an additional classroom teacher. At least in the short term, this teacher, Mrs Glanville, will be team teaching with Kindergarten and Yr 2 teachers. Kinder and Yr 2 are predominately the years where we have additional student numbers.

Good Guys Promotion



The Good Guys at Castle Hill have a “Shop for School” Promotion occurring at the moment. For every \$25 you spend in the Castle Hill store, you receive a \$1 voucher for **our school** to **purchase equipment**. All you need to do is mention **Caddies Creek** at the time of your purchase. If you make a purchase at this store our school would appreciate it if you requested the vouchers.



“Thought To Ponder”

“Take time to laugh: it is the music of the soul!”



Phil Nash – Principal

Conduct Code Awards



Excellence Awards

Congratulations to the following children who received their **Excellence Award** at the last assembly.

Ashleigh Grech	Tayla Rees	Justin Cruz
Tara Coglan	Jasmine Kaur	Lilli Levy
Jemma Bonnell	Mostafa Haschemi	Brinda Dogra
Shanela De Mel	Chloe Booth	Nicholas Gail
Nadine Kimble	Isaac Laws	Aryan Singh
Meredith Welch	Nyssa Castillo	Andrew Laing
Braden Ligertwood	Tehiwi McMeekin-Stevenson	Dibya Phuyal
Ainesh Jain	Shereen Radwan	Neveen Radwan
Saya Varandani	Jed McKenzie	Ashna Aravinthan
Joshua Pumipi	Laura Bunting	Tyanna Perkins
Ben Fenton	Jack Fenton	Pranav Sharma
Tayla Schofield	Charlie Ascone	Marlene Dalpadado
Aishwarya Kuthethoor	Sarscha Bates	Rabi Attaii
Hayagreevan Rathishkumar	Daniel Robertson	Jarrod Henson

Merit Awards

Each week two children in each class K-6, receive a Merit Award to acknowledge the excellent work they are doing in the classroom. The recipients at our last assembly were:

KD	Vikil Chandrapati and Ryan Spry	KE	William Cescato and Amy Searle
KK	Zane Brackley and Nicholas Mejias	KL	Isaac Nicholls and Lara Bohle
KJ	Zac Witenden and Hayden James	KS	Victoria Fsadni and Tamanpreet Singh
1A	Paige Brown and Kevin Lin	1M	
1S	Bhupraj Saini and Kristen Hockley	1T	Irene Brakoulis and Jonathan Staker
1W	Jack Stagg and Jasleen Bhullar	2C	Rebekah Wishart and Abhishek Sharma
2H	Samantha Hayes and Imaan Malik	2R	Sadaf Naziry and Zack Streeter
2S	Aryan Singh and Ainesh Jain	2T	Kristell Sandhya and Zach Munro
3C	Zakia Sahib & Dylan Oloapu	3G	Akshay Rampersad & Aimee Trenholme
3M	Harsimarjit Sohal & Hayagreevan Rathishkumar	3R	Jayden Hall & Joshua Gerges
34N	Aalapi Sreekumar & Harrison Marley	4M	Tori Balding & Alvin Sudarmadi
4R	Sofia Ahmad & Nakita Harema	4S	Madison Childs & Dwayne Oloapu
5O		5R	Paige Ruri & Courtney Heath
5Q	Jake Laws & Natasha Masi	56L	Matthew Staker & William Hansen
6J	Joshua Gittoes and Laiken Fosker	6M	Alex Mooy & Anushka Shrestha
6S	Dilsher Malhi & Emily Sunderland	1/6A	

Zone Cross Country Carnival



Last Friday 24 runners represented Caddies Creek at the Wentworthville / Seven Hills Combined PSSA Zone Cross Country Carnival with outstanding success. The carnival was held for the first time at Glenwood Reserve in very wet and challenging conditions. The runners all showed the Caddies Creek fighting spirit to perform way above expectations.

We were fortunate to have one **Zone champion** in **Nicholas Henson** (12 / 13yrs 3000m's. Well Done Nicholas! Great performances were also produced by Tiana Jaber 2nd (8 / 9yrs 2000m), Ashlie Crofts 2nd (11yrs 3000m), Jessica Hayes (3rd 10yrs 2000m) and Charlotte Light (4th 10yrs 2000m). The above mentioned runners have now been selected to represent the Wentworthville / Seven Hills Combined Zone at Sydney West Regional Carnival at Castle Hill Showground, next Wednesday 10th June. Good Luck to our super fit cross country runners

Kylie Quinn -Cross Country Team Manager

Library News



Premier's Reading Challenge (P.R.C.)

Congratulations to the following students who recently completed the P.R.C.: *Vikil Chandrapati (KD), Nabarun Tamang (KE), Himansh Tamang (KE), Matthew Tindale (KE), Lavinia Kaufusi (KE), Brent Iredale (KK), Domenico Lopresti (KK), Daniel Lakeman (KK), Robbie Clark (KK), Maddison Lim (KK), Chelsie Kalupahana (KK), Madeline Natter (KK), Jeshurun Pillay (KK), Emilia Bru (KK), D'Anjelo Gonzalez (KK), Mason Szela (KK), Ishraq Quashem (KK), Zane Brackley (KK), Caleb Langan (KK), Annaliese Bowden (KK), Nicolas Mejias (KK), Hayden Bliss (KK), Ebony Pool (KS), Tharini Rangasamy (1A), Anirudh Muthusamy (1T), Raunak Srivastava (1T), Aaina Bhahia (1T), Livia Suric (2R), Mitchell Butta (2R), Samarjeet Saluja (2R), Luke Tindale (2S), Izaak Poole (2S), James Ryan (3/5L), Isaac Mar (3C), Lucie Coventon (3G), Shania Gounder (3/4N), Haarani Gobishankar (3/4N), Rania Bhasin (3/4N), Ashleigh Grech (3/4N), Britney Hunter (4R), Tijana Suric (4R), Lauren Butta (4S), Marc Gibbons (5O), Emily Balcombe (5Q), Wei- Feng Kao (5/6L) and Supreet Kaur Sandhu (5/6L).*

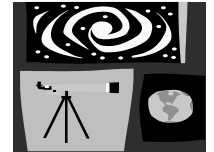
Our school total is now **175** students. Don't forget our school's **closing date for all PRC forms** to be given to Mrs Scheffers is **Friday 31st July!**

Annual Book Fair

Thank you to the whole school community for their overwhelming support of our Library Book Fair last Thursday! We sold over **\$10000** worth of books and received **140** book donations! The school receives about **\$1800 cash commission** from these sales.

The Book Fair would not have been possible without the assistance of so many staff members, P & C volunteers and student Library monitors. Thank you to these kind people for all their time and hard work!

Mrs Jenny Scheffers -Teacher Librarian



2009 International Competitions & Assessments for Schools

The **Science** competition will take place on Wednesday 10th June. This will be held in Mrs Collins' classroom for Year 3, Mrs Raymond's classroom for Year 4 & 5 students and Mrs Joukhdar's classroom for Year 6 students. The Currawong St gate will be open at 7.40am on the day for easy and secure access before normal school hours.

Students participating in this competition need to be at their appropriate classroom at **7.45am sharp** with their school bags. Administration forms, which take 10-15 minutes, need to be completed at this time before the commencement of the competition at 8.00am. Unfortunately late arrivals will not be admitted. Individual reminder notes have already been distributed this week to each student.

Each student will need their own B or 2B pencil and eraser. If your child is unsure of their birthday, could you please ask them to practise writing their birthday as DD/MM/YY in order to save time on the day. eg 27/04/99

Good luck to students participating in this competition.

Mrs M Raymond ICAS Co-ordinator

P&C News

Thank you to all the families who have supported our Krispy Kreme fundraiser. Orders are now closed. The doughnuts will be ordered this week and will be delivered to school next **Friday June 12th**. Keep an eye out in next week's chronicle for further collection details.

Once again, thank you for your ongoing support.

P&C Fundraising Committee

Congratulations Dance Group!

Last week The Dance Group had two opportunities to dance for Education Week. The performances were at Rouse Hill Shopping Centre and at school on Open Day. Both performances were fantastic! I would like to congratulate all of the children in the Dance Group on such a wonderful performance. They conducted themselves in such a professional manner and were outstanding representatives for our school.



If you missed the opportunity to see the Dance Group, they will be performing again on Friday 12th June 2009 at the K-2 assembly. We hope to see you there!

Thank you

Miss Mandy Swanson - Dance Group Coordinator

1-2-3 Magic 3-12 years old

Presented by The Hills Family Centre - 5 weeks

This is a five session program to teach you effective and well researched ways to manage challenging behaviour in children 3- 12 years old.

The aim is for participants to learn:

- to strengthen their relationship with their children
- to help children understand their own emotions and behaviour
- to discipline without arguing, yelling or smacking
- to manage change in families.

When: Thursdays, 11 June to 9 July 2009

Time 10:00am - 12:00 noon

Where: McPhail Cottage (rear of The Hills Family Centre, 30 Showground Rd, Castle Hill with a possible change of venue to Bella Vista.)

Cost: \$60 (Ph: 9899 2944 to register & payment)

Childcare: Limited childcare available for this program

Parenting Between Cultures Bridging the Gap

A two consecutive weekends **Three hours Workshop** for parents from culturally and linguistically diverse communities

This workshop aims to provide an opportunity for parents to consider what it takes to parent confidently in the Australian context and to explore:

- what works for others
- how parents transmit their cultural practices and beliefs
- How to develop a strong ethnic identity in children while incorporating positive aspects of Australian society.

For more information

The group is offered at no cost to participants

For more information contact Sonal Chatrath or Geodhini Sivaraj on 9621 6633

E-mail sonal@sydwestmsi.org.au or geodhini@sydwestmsi.org.au

When: Saturdays 13th and 20th of June 2009

Time: 12:30 am till 3:30pm

Venue: Caddies Creek Public School
Currawong Street
Glenwood

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