SCHOOL CALENDAR

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CAMPSIE PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER
Term 2, Week 6  2nd June, 2014

Know Waste Schools Program
Stage 2 students participated in one-hour workshops on Thursday 29th May, provided by Canterbury Council. They participated in hands-on activities and games and learnt about recycling, reusing and reducing waste and what goes in each of the bins at home, and met Bernadette the Burrowing Cockroach!

Student Achievements
Maggie Pirangi, played in the Wiley Park Zone netball team at the Regional Carnival at Menai Sports Centre. The team won 5 matches, winning their pool. They then played the winner of the other pool but lost that game, coming second overall: an incredible achievement!!! They were the talk of the carnival.

Congratulations to the 16 students who represented our school on Saturday at the 2014 National Chinese Eisteddfod. This is a national recital competition for Chinese language speakers. Of these 16 students, 5 were awarded trophies! Congratulations Jocelyn Xia, Crystal Chen & Cona Xu (1st place), Kelly Lin & Bruce Xu (3rd place). Thanks to Ms Tan and our team of Mandarin teachers who prepared the students and accompanied them on the day.

Congratulations to our Premier’s Debating Team on their win against Elderslie Public School this week. Eugene, Jessica, Ethan and Dasha successfully argued that public schools should have longer holidays. We wish them luck in their next debate.
**P&C Corner**

A reminder P&C will be having their next meeting at 6pm on Monday 23rd June, in the school library. Money raised from the P&C/SRC disco has been donated to the SRC and is being used to fund prizes for students who wear full school uniform as part of the SRC’s uniform campaign.

P&C will be running a fundraising raffle this term. First prize is a Samsung Galaxy Tablet, 2nd Prize is a bike & 3rd prize is a scooter. Tickets will be distributed in class this week.

In the coming weeks, the P&C will be working with the school, Canterbury Council & neighbouring schools to develop a plan to keep our students safe while coming to and from our school. Road safety, parking and drop-off zones will be the main focus. Your feedback on this important initiative is welcome.

Please email or message us on Facebook so we can provide you with further details. We hope to see you at the next meeting! P&C committee can be reached at: campsie.pandc@gmail.com

Or through our Facebook page: https://www.facebook.com/CampsiePandC

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**SRC News**

The SRC hosted Walk Safely to School Day on Friday 23rd May. On this day, students were encouraged to walk to school and were rewarded for their efforts with stickers and a healthy snack provided and prepared by the staff and the P&C.

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**Public Speaking**

Students in years 3-6 have all presented speeches to their classes as part of our annual Multicultural Public Speaking Competition. Each class awarded two winners who then competed for the honour of being the Grade Winner who will represent our school at the Regional Multicultural Public Speaking Competition. We wish our winners luck as they present their prepared speeches, as well as an impromptu speech, which they are required to write on the day. Good luck to Clarice (Yr3), Jay (Yr4), Alex (Yr5) & Eugene (Yr6).

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**Reconciliation Week**

This week, students across the school participated in activities in recognition of Reconciliation Week. Students developed a higher level of knowledge and pride in Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander histories, cultures and contributions. We hope this will increase respect, reduce prejudice and strengthen positive relationships between our students.

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**Morning Activities**

There are numerous activities for students to participate in each morning including Clubs such as Reading (T-F), Computer (M-F), Environment (F), Greek, Art (T), Cantonese (F), netball for stage 1 only (Th) and ipad club for years 3-6 (T-Th). Get to school early and have fun participating!
CPS Herbs and Vegetables
Since Term 4, 2103, we have been growing our own vegetables at school in the area next to our new building in Harold Street in garden frames that came all the way from Goulburn and Engadine. We purchased some organic soil, filled the frames and we were away.

By early November, we had tomatoes, basil, silver beet, parsley and marigolds taking off in our first bed. Everything apart from the tomatoes is still growing.

We grew tomato and English spinach from seed and planted them in our second bed in late November.

Still in November, we sowed some pumpkin seeds.

Soon our tomatoes and pumpkins had started to really take off. The tomatoes were ox heart (heirloom), which were all grown from seed.

Sporting Carnivals
On Thursday 22nd May, Campsie held its annual Athletics Carnival, at Campbell Oval, for students in years 3-6. All students participated in a wide range of events including shot put, discus, high jump, long jump and 100m age races. Some students challenged themselves in the 800m race and the relay races. Students earned points for their “house” throughout the day and the results were:
Massey 298 points
Bryce 242 points
Paterson 232 points
Morcom 224 points

Congratulations to all students and teachers on a fun and successful carnival, and good luck to the students who qualified for the Zone Athletics Carnival, to be held in August.

On Wednesday 21st May, approximately 30 students represented our school in the Zone Cross Country Carnival at Lees/Croydon Park. Our runners faced some stiff competition, but all did themselves proud in both their efforts and their behaviour. Congratulations to Joban who will represent the Zone at the Regional Cross Country Carnival in Miranda.

Indonesian Music Workshop
On Monday 26th May, the Indonesian language students participated in a music workshop with Made Denis, a visiting musician with the Australian Indonesian Arts Alliance. Students learnt about traditional Indonesian instruments such as the Balinese bamboo flute, the Balinese drum and gamelan, and had an opportunity to play them!
CPS Herbs and Vegetables
continued…

Before long our pumpkins had grown, though we lost a couple to mice, (we think.) This one was used to make pumpkin soup in the canteen.

And so, in early 2014 the Environment Club started our fifth bed. This one would be for lettuce. We are still changing things, with the seasons, as we continue to learn about sustainable organic gardening. We have started our sixth bed and have set up two more, ready to fill…..

Our ox heart tomatoes just kept growing…..

We were learning about pumpkins.

By now we had four productive beds, with spinach, tomatoes, pumpkin basil and parsley.

Part of our tomato harvest…ox hearts, gross lisse and cherry tomatoes…

CAMPSIE OSHC NEWS
JUNE 2014

Thank you to all the families who completed our menu survey. Our revised menu for winter includes the following suggestions made by families and children: butter chicken and rice, Chicken noodles soup, homemade pizza and sandwiches.

July Vacation Care program is now available, we have a lot of fun incursions and excursions planned for the children based on their ideas and feedback received from families and children via our vacation care survey.

We will be hosting a community meeting on the 24th June 2014 more details will be available closer to the date.

During the past weeks children participated in Australia biggest morning tea, international day of families and Jamie Oliver’s food revolution. Photos from these experiences can be found in the daily journal which is located in the OSHC room.

OSHC Staff complete regular training related to their work – this includes management of children’s behaviour, WHS, Food handling, Child Protection, First Aid and CPR.

Jaspreet Saini is the Centre Co-ordinator and is assisted by Sharon Azzopardi, Amalia Stratilopoulos, Paul Thompson and Fatima Mashud. We would like to welcome Christina Tran, Manpreet Kaur and Brodie as Casual staff to our team.

Families can contact staff at the Centre by calling 0430 369 286 or emailing coshc@primaryoshcare.com.au. Centre Managers can be contacted directly by emailing headoffice@primaryoshcare.com.au. Alternatively you can visit our website www.primaryoshcare.com.au

Kind Regards: Jaspreet, Sharon, Amalia, Paul, Fatima & Maria

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Students participating in tennis on Thursdays or for Friday afternoon sport can purchase a correctly sized children’s tennis racquet for $20.