Dear parents and students,

Junior Playground Equipment

I have written previously regarding the practice by some parents of letting their children and their pre school children play on our junior play equipment before the school day has commenced and after the school day has finished. Unfortunately I have to remind those parents that that equipment is out of bounds to all children at those times. The equipment is out of bounds because at those times there is no direct supervision of that equipment by members of the school staff. As it is school climbing equipment parents are not able to supervise its use, as its use will encourage other students that will have no parental supervision to play. This decision is one that has been made by our legal department. I do hope that you will support me as in the end it is all about student safety.

Professional learning and Planning

Over the last two weeks of school there will be several days when teachers will be released from class for the day to participate in collaborative planning meetings. These meetings happen in each of the first three terms and are essential to ensure that continued quality teaching happens at our school. We are very fortunate that we are able to give all staff members this time to plan and prepare as it ensures that all students are receiving the best individualised teaching programs.

Extended Leave

A reminder to all parents that if your child(ren) are going to be absent for greater than twenty(20) school days you need to complete an application for extended leave form. These forms are available from our main office.

B.Kunkler
Principal

Coming Events

This calendar of events will be updated in each edition of the newsletter. Dates are accurate at the time of publication but can be changed for various reasons

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Student Achievement

Excellence Award

Students who have been awarded 2 Teacher’s Awards (30 class awards) receive an Excellence Award for excellent application to learning. Congratulations to the following students who have received an Excellence Award:

Feorella 3W
Mariam 5O

Principal’s Award

Students who have been awarded 2 Excellence Awards (60 class awards) receive a Principal’s Award for outstanding application to learning. Congratulations to the following students who have received a Principal’s Award:

Jasmine 5/6S
**English Classes for Parents Term 3**

Parents are invited to register for English classes due to start week 2 of term 3. The classes will run every Thursday from 9:15-11:15 and will run from week 2 until the end of term. Free child minding will be provided. Contact Lina on 0403 433 212 to register or for more info. You may also register through a note to be sent out to you this week.

**Mosaic Art Program**

Parents will be putting the finishing touches on the mosaic table being created at Chester Hill community garden on Waldron Road. 2 more sessions will be held on the 16th and 23rd of June from 12:30-2:30pm.

**Health & Wellbeing Program in Vietnamese Language**

The Vietnamese health program has been running for 2 weeks and we have 2 more sessions left. You can still take part in these sessions on the 10th & 17th June from 9:15-11:15am in the community hub.

**School Readiness Program**

Give your child the best start to school in 2015 through the school readiness program held in our hall. This program is open to children starting school next year along with any younger siblings and an adult. The program runs on Tuesdays during school term from 9am-11:30. To enrol please contact Lina on 0403433212 or 96441286.

**P&C Next Meeting**

**Items Suggestion Box**

Our next P&C meeting will be held on Wednesday 24th June at 9am in the community hub. If you would like to contribute to the meeting but cannot attend, you can place your suggestions in the agenda items suggestion box available in the canteen.

**Like us on Facebook**

The school has a Facebook page where you can find up to date information about school events and important reminders. Like us to stay up to date.

**Primary Schools Sports Association (PSSA)**

**Friday 5 June Week 7**

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**District Cross Country**

On Friday 29th May, 43 students qualified to represent CHPS at the District Cross Country Carnival at Flinders Slopes Milperra. All students performed to the best of their ability and were very well behaved throughout the day. Some outstanding results were achieved in both Division 1 and Division 2.

**Division 1**
- 8th     Zahia       5O
- 6th     Dominic     5O
- 7th     Gulagha     5O
- 3rd     Hillary     5/6S

**Division 2**
- 1st     Jayden      1/2P
- 7th     Yasmine      3W
- 5th     Karim       3W
- 2nd     Cedra       4B
- 7th     Faramaz     5L
- 1st     Elijah      6L
- 8th     Arthur      6L
- 8th     Kyalah      6RA

Zahia, Dominic, Gulagha and Hillary will now represent CHPS at the Regional Carnival on Thursday 11th June at Hurstville Agricultural High School. We wish them a speedy run.

**School Notes**

Please remember replacement notes are no longer available from the office. Notes can be printed at home from the CHPS website by following the below link.


**School Traffic**

A reminder to all parents, family and friends who drop off and collect children by car each day:
- Please be considerate of other drivers, residents and students.
- Please do not park or stop in the "NO STOPPING" zones and do not double park.
- Observe the 40K speed limit in the school zone.
- Please do not park in residents’ driveways.

**Why is arriving at school on time important?**

Arriving at school on time:
- Ensures that your child doesn’t miss out on the important learning activities scheduled early in the day when they are most alert.
- Helps your child to learn the importance of punctuality and routine.
- Gives your child time to greet their friends before class and therefore reduces the opportunity for classroom disruption.

Lateness is recorded as a partial absence and must be explained to the school the same way as other forms of absence.

**Child Protection lessons K - 6**

As required by the Department of Education and Communities all students will participate in age appropriate child protection lessons which are part of the Personal Development, Health and Physical Education syllabus at school. These lessons will cover the subject matter of safe living, personal health choices, interpersonal relationships and growth and development where the skills of communicating, decision making, interacting and problem solving will be developed. If you have any enquiries please arrange an interview with your child’s teacher.
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