Dear Parents

It has been an incredibly busy term with so many showcase events and swimming also. Such events provide wonderful opportunities for our students and families. I thank all involved for providing such rich experiences for the students at Campbell. Many of these events are shared within this newsletter.

Recently I had the pleasure of visiting a Year 6 class that have been working on writing persuasive texts. I was very impressed with their knowledge of the structure and the language features used to complete a powerful persuasive text. We also have several students working with great enthusiasm on poetry in order to enter the upcoming poetry competition. The quality of curriculum being delivered across the school is a credit to the hard working staff.

Campbell Coffee Chats
The next parent coffee chat is scheduled for this Friday 28 August directly following the assembly at approximately 9:40 am. The meeting will be held in the Library. I hope to see many parents of our Year 4 students attend. The meeting will provide you with an opportunity to share what you value about Campbell PS and to consider how it could be even better.

Ms Lynne Bates
Principal

Reminders:
The Cyber Playground: The parent workshop – The Cyber Playground – Parenting Gen i in the Online World is being held TONIGHT at 7.00pm – 9.00pm in the Information Centre. Tea, coffee and refreshments provided.

Advise the School Administration or email Susan.Forman@education.wa.edu.au:
If your child/ren are not returning to Campbell PS in 2016.

Group Photos – Band Choir and Student Leaders: Group photos are available in the Administration for parents to view and order. Payment of $15.00 is to be made at the time of ordering. Orders and payment must be made by no later than Friday 28 August 2015.

Important Dates at a Glance

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**Scholastic BOOK FAIR**
Our annual Scholastic Book Fair has been another great success. Thank you to Mrs Goddin, Mrs Maskos, Mrs Elkins, Mrs Musilli and Mrs Browne for all their efforts.

Thank you to all the wonderful people who purchased items at our Book Fair. We ended up with sales of $7790 and this gave us a commission total of $2760. With this, we have picked 169 new books and resources for the Information Centre.

**CAMPBELL COMMUNITY**
We would like to invite you to come along to a morning of fun filled activities, sharing and chatting whilst supporting out students learning. Activities include the covering of new books, scanning, shelving, mounting artwork and classroom preparation. This will be held every Tuesday Morning from 9am – 11am in the Information Centre.
*If you would like more details please contact Maria Goddin in the Information Centre.*

**Kindy News**
We have had a great, but busy start to Semester 2. During this term we have been practicing our games for the Kindy sports carnival. The children have been learning the fundamental movement skills of underarm throwing, catching, running and jumping.
Along with learning fundamental movement skills needed for the games, the children are also developing teamwork, cooperation, turn taking, speed and accuracy and hand and eye coordination.
Children are also given the opportunity to practice these games during playtime and are incorporated into the weekly obstacle course.

Thankyou
Kindergarten Staff

**Phys Ed News**
*Inter school cross country:*
**CONGRATULATIONS** to our inter school cross country team for winning the inter school event last Friday the 21st August. All of our runners had been training hard for the last 4 weeks during their lunchtimes and after school at Homestead Park. Our Campbell kids demonstrated outstanding sportsmanship and ran hard through the mud and the wet weather!

Special mention to the following students who received medallions for finishing in the top 3 for their year level:
- Ethan V 2nd place
- Declan S 3rd place
- Hannah Y 2nd place
- Melanie S 2nd place
- Tomas W 3rd place

**Interm Swimming Year 1 - 3**
With Interm swimming coming to a close at the end of this week, we have a collection of goggles that have been found and handed in. If your child is missing their goggles, please contact School Administration.
SMARTIES ♪

Rock Band Lunchtime Concert
Our amazing Campbell Rock Band will be giving their first performance this Friday during lunch time!
Be there or be square 😊

Australian Girls’ Choir Assessment Workshop
On Wednesday 9th September a group from the Australian Girls Choir will visit Campbell Primary School and run a short assessment workshop for any girls from Years 1-6 wishing to audition.
A note will be distributed in classes this week and those interested in joining this fantastic ensemble should return their permission slips to the front office by Friday 4th August.

KABOOM Percussion Incursion
On Monday 7th September a special group called KABOOM will visit Campbell Primary School for a whole school incursion. KABOOM’s brand new interactive show is designed to inspire and amaze, showing the exciting possibilities of music through the fascinating world of percussion. It features a wide range of percussion instruments, with a focus on creating incredible music with simple and common instruments and objects, and demonstrates how easily students can make music with things in their own environment.

Please get your permission slips in as soon as possible!

Ensemble News
Senior Choir – MASSED CHOIR FESTIVAL IS NEXT WEEK
- Monday 31st August – Massed Choir Rehearsal, University of WA – Please be at school at 7:45am!
- Tuesday 1st September – Massed Choir Festival – PERFORMANCE – UWA – Please be back at school at 4:15pm. You will need to have an early dinner before we leave!

Senior Band - ABODA Festival
Thank you to all family and friends who came to support the Senior Band on the 13th of August at the ABODA Festival. The students gave a spectacular performance and we are all very proud of how they represented Campbell Primary School.

UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS
All students performing will need to wear long black pants (no leggings) or a black skirt and black stockings, black closed-in shoes and black socks. Shirts will be provided.

DONATIONS: The Music Department would welcome any donations of long black pants and black shoes for students for the upcoming festival performances. If you have any lingering at the back of wardrobes that no longer fit please bring them down! Thanks in advance

P&C News

P&C Father’s Day Stalls: Once again the P&C are running the Mother’s Day Stalls for the school. All gifts are $6.00, parents are asked to send funds in a sealed envelope on the day of their child’s stall. Stalls will be held on the following days:
- Group A Kindergarten – Tuesday 1 September 2015 – 1.45pm
- Group B Kindergarten – Thursday 3 September 2015 – 1.45pm
- Main School – Friday 4 September 2015. Classes will go during school hours on a roster system from 9.00am.
If you are able to assist the P&C on the days for any period of time please contact the P&C on their email campbellpandc@hotmail.com
DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO SHINES AT CAMPBELL?
Do you think there is a teacher that deserves to be recognised and thanked for all their hard work at Campbell? Well why not recognise them by nominating them for the “Who Shines at your School?”
Voting is open to both parents and students. Nominations close 25th September 2015

Silver Coin Frenzy
In the lead up to Faction Sports Carnival, we will be holding a Silver Coin Frenzy. This will be from 7th September till 15th September. Bring in your 5c and 10c coins and place them into your sports faction jar. Let’s see which faction can bring in the most silver coins! Let the RACE begin.

Renee Montemayor
P & C Committee

Woolworths Earn and Learn: It is as easy as shopping at Woolworths between 15 July and 8 September 2015 and collecting the stickers. You can download a sticker sheet (be sure to print in black and white to save costs) from www.woolworths.com.au/earnandlearn. There will be boxes for sticker sheets in the School Administration and at the offsite Kindy office.

Heron Park Primary School in Harrisdale: Applications for Kindergarten to Year 6 for the new Heron Park Primary School in Harrisdale can now be submitted at the Campbell Primary School Administration. Parents and community members are asked to please inform friends and families who reside within the area. Applications forms are available from the Campbell Administration and the Campbell website. Any queries can be directed to the Campbell Office staff and if required will be redirected to Karen Duncan, Principal or visit the Facebook page – Heron Park Primary School in Harrisdale.

PEAC 2015
My name is Anurag Govindan and I am a grade 6 student at Campbell Primary School. As part of my school project, I am trying to create awareness about the traffic congestion on Ranford Road. I have created an online petition addressed to our Member of Parliament, Peter Albetz. The link to my petition is below: http://www.petitionbuzz.com/petitions/traffic-congestion-in-canningvale
I request you to have a look at it and if you agree with my views, sign the petition. Please share the message with your family and friends. The success of my project depends on the number of people who can sign up for the petition. Thanks for your support.

COMMUNITY NEWS

2015 MAKE SMOKING HISTORY CANNING SHOW
CELEBRATING 120 SHOW YEARS
FRIDAY 6 NOVEMBER 5PM - 10PM
SATURDAY 7 NOVEMBER 9AM - 10PM