FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Office opening hours are- Tuesday-Friday 8:30-2:00, if you need something outside of these hours, please see a member of staff.

Car park- Pick up/ drop off zone is not a carpark. This space is to be used to pick up and drop off students at the school. If you need to stop your car, then please do so in a space provided.

Pedestrian crossing – Please ensure that your child/children are using the crossing. As adults, we also need to set an example and ensure that we are using this.

Attendance so far…. Term 3
Please remember to contact the school if your child/children are going to be absent. If they are away for more than three days, then the school requires a medical certificate.

Year 5/6 class update…
This term we have started looking at the solar system in Science. Students are researching about the planets and discovering some interesting facts. Over the past week there has been some interesting news come in about Pluto and many of the students have brought along interesting facts to share. In English we are reading the diary of Eva Fischer. The novel looks at the construction of the Snowy Mountains Hydro Scheme. The students have had to further investigate and share with the class their findings about the construction of the scheme. At the end of the unit, students will have to construct a letter to another pupil which will be opened in 45 years’ time. In Mathematics were are investigating shape. The students are looking at 3D shapes and their nets. We are also looking at views (top, side, front) and drawing these using grid paper. As always, if you have any questions about your child’s education then my door is always open!!! Or contact the school to arrange an appointment.

I look forward to a happy and healthy term 3 :)

Bookclub - Issue 5 due Monday 3rd august 2015

OFFICE NEWS

Medication At School - Should your child require ANY medication to be administered at school, you need to complete and sign a “Medication Administration Form”. These are to be collected from the office. All medication MUST have a pharmacy label attached. School staff keep a register of when medication has been administered to your child and this is kept on file at the school.

Student Sign In / Sign Out - To ensure accurate records of student movements are kept please make sure you sign your child in or out if they are late, attending an appointment inside school hours, or have to leave early. The student sign in book is located in the office.

Thanks, Miss Hayley
Woolworths Earn & Learn 2015

This year we will be participating in the Woolworths Earn & Learn program. Through this program we will be able to get new educational resources for our school/early learning centre – and all we need you to do is shop for your groceries at Woolworths.

From Wednesday 15th July to Tuesday 8th September, we are collecting Woolworths Earn & Learn Stickers. You will get one Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker for every $10 spent (excluding liquor, tobacco and gift cards). Place the Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker onto a Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker Sheet and when it's complete, the Sticker Sheet can be dropped into the Collection Box here at the school or at your local Woolworths. Sticker Sheets available from the office.

If you'd like to know more visit woolworths.com.au/earnandlearn


Leadership Certificate's: Elizabeth, Hannah, Bridget and Kelsey

School Banking Rewards

Weekly Events

Tuesday: Parade / Music
Tuesday Fortnight: Religious Instruction
Wednesday: School Banking
Wednesday Fortnight: Newsletter
Thursday: PE / LOTE
Library: Mon: 56, Tues: 34, Thurs: P12

School Times

Arrival: from 8:30am (bus kids from 8:00am in 56 classroom)
Supervised Play: 8:30am to 8:50am
1st session: 8:55am
1st break: 11:00am
2nd session: 11:50am
2nd break: 1:30pm
3rd session: 2:00pm
Finish: 3:00pm

Please ensure that students are not at school before 8:00am. Staff do not start until 8:00am and are unable to guarantee their supervision and safety prior to this time.
STUDENT AWARDS, ACHIEVEMENTS, EVENTS & NEWS

9yrs Boys Theebine Age Champions

10yrs Girls Theebine Age Champions

9yrs Girls Theebine Age Champions

11yrs Girls Theebine Age Champions

9yrs Boys Theebine Age Champions

P/1/2 News
Thank you to the Parke School Community for the nomination with regards to the 2015 ASG National Excellence in Teaching Awards. It is an absolute pleasure to teach at Parke and I certainly appreciate the acknowledgement.

At the start of his term our class is learning about “Bats”. We are beginning to note take and learn how to constant interesting sentences using describing words.

Mrs T.

Reminder: All belongings (jumpers/hats) are to labelled with students names.

SCHOOL PHOTOS
20 AUGUST 2015
Envelopes coming home soon!

STATION SQUARE SHOPPING CENTRE

Year 3 & 4 - Saturday 9am, 1st August
Year 5 & 6 - Sunday 10am, 2nd August
Year 7, 8 & 9 - Saturday 9am, 8th August
Semi-Finals - Sunday 10am, 9th August
Finals - Saturday 9am, 15th August
Uniforms: These items can only be purchased from Tuesday – Friday 8:30am – 2:15pm. No one can help themselves to uniforms there must be a member of staff or P&C committee present when purchasing. We do not do IOU’s but we do have a layby system but you must pay a deposit at time of layby.

Fundraising: We are having a Father’s Day raffle and are trying to get goods donated so if there is something you would like to donate please bring it to the office. On the 7th of August we are doing Jeans for Gene’s day it will be free dress with a gold coin donation for the cause. Also on this day we will be having a steak burger and sausage sizzle. Order forms will come home closer to the day.

We are also reminding people of the road safety in the car park could all parents and students please use the pedestrian crossing at all times when crossing the road for the safety of all.

End of Year Gift: In previous years the school fees have covered the end of year book that the children get, as fee weren’t paid this year we are asking parents if they could purchase a book from book fair or a shop of your preference.

Thank you
P&C Committee

IF YOU CAN HELP US DO A SAUSAGE SIZZLE ON THIS DAY COULD YOU PLEASE PUT YOUR NAME ON THE ROSTER.

PARKE STATE SCHOOL
P&C COMMITTEE BUNNINGS SAUSAGE SIZZLE
SATURDAY 1ST AUGUST 2015 TIME 8AM – 3PM

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COOKS: ONLY cook sausage & onions.
MONEY person: ONLY collects customers money for sausage sizzle/soft drink.
ODD JOBS: refills bread / soft drinks contains.
SERVING: Serving customers (doesn't touch money)
Gloves are to be worn at all times by the people who are touching the food.
Please change gloves often.

All persons working in the food preparation tent are to wear closed in shoes.