Electronic Payment of Voluntary Contributions - can be made to BSB: 066-109 Account #: 00900114 using the narration ‘fees and your child’s full name’.

From the Principal’s Desk

We welcome 11 new students and their families to the Caversham Primary School community for the commencement of Term 3. William (Kindy Blue), Andrew (Kindy Green), Chloe (Room 2), Ellis (Room 3), Luke and Jayden (Room 13), Joshua, Aseemveer and Khushnoor (Room 15) and Di On and Isaac (Room 4).

Events this term range from The Year 4 PEAC testing, Kindergarten Health screens, Book Week with an incursion production, Science Week, Cross Country and Athletics Faction Carnival, Learning Journey and InTerm Swimming.

The focus for staff learning on the School Development Day held yesterday was mathematics. Also staff had the opportunity to familiarise themselves with the new reading books purchased to cater to our growing student population.

Hon Peter Collier MLC, Minister of Education will be attending the school on Wednesday 27th July for a general visit.

Ms Rita Saffioti MLA will be attending the school on Tuesday 26th July to plant a tree to celebrate National Tree Day. Year 5 students and selected Student Councillors will be hosting Ms Saffioti during her visit.

End of Term - Pizza with the Principal & Faction Treat

On Wednesday 29th of June Xander, Tannah, Joyce, Navi, Aarush, Zachery, Jordan, Hayley, Rachael, Phoebe, Pasrisa, Olivia and Zoe enjoyed a reward of Pizza with the Principal for their efforts in the Accelerated Reader Program in Term 2. Congratulations.

Well done to Bodley for achieving the most points as we work towards upholding the school expectations: we are respectful, we are safe, we are responsible and we are achievers.

Better Beginnings - Kindergarten

Next Monday and Tuesday our Kindergarten students will enjoy a visit from a representative from Altone Library to introduce the Better Beginnings Program. This is a fantastic opportunity for students to develop a love of reading and to learn more about libraries. Each student receives their own special library bag and a complimentary book.

Disco and Friday Lunch Popcorn and Juice Box Sale

Thank you to all families who supported the school disco. The children looked fantastic and enjoyed the event. $900.00 was raised. Ten percent will go to support research of the Western Swamp Tortoise and the remaining funds will go towards the purchase of soccer goals. A huge thank you also to Audrey and Shirley’s dad for transporting the goals from Waikiki to the school. There are some remaining supplies of juice boxes and popcorn.

The Student Councillors will be selling Popcorn and Fruit juices for $1 each at the canteen at lunch on Friday. Thank you.

Open School Council Meeting - Thursday, 11 August at 5pm

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The Agenda will include the School Performance Assessment and guest speaker Shayne Harris, East Beechboro Primary School. All members of the school community are invited to attend.

Term Planner Change of Dates - Rm 9 and 10 Assemblies

Please note the following changes on your Term 3 planner. Room 10 will host assembly on Monday the 8th of August and Room 9 will host assembly on Monday the 29th of August.
Reminder Pre-Primary Enrolments
A reminder to our Kindy families - please return your child’s Pre-Primary Application to Enrol letters and forms to the office by this Friday the 22nd of July. Please include your child’s immunisation record only if they have had an immunisation since their enrolment in Kindy. We do not require birth certificates/passports for this process as we hold these on file.

Cross Country - Friday 5 August
The Faction Cross Country event for Yr 1 - Yr 6 students will be held on Friday the 5th of August 2016 commencing at 12.30pm. Lunch on the day will be from 12.00 - 12.30pm. We look forward to seeing families attending and cheering students on at the event.

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The above times are only approximate and may be changed on the day depending on the weather or how quickly the events are completed.

Mrs Jeayes will be holding Cross Country training sessions on Tuesdays at lunch time for any students wishing to do extra preparations for the big event.

Nature Playground Addition
An impressive old tractor has been positioned in the ‘back paddock’ behind the school oval as the new centre piece to the development of the nature playground. Students are already enjoying the option to play in this area and we look forward to seeing their imaginations at work as this area continues to develop.

Book Week Celebration - Change of Dates
With our increasing student numbers we have made a change to the dates for our Book Week celebrations. Book Week will now be held during Week 4 of this term (8th August - 12th August). Central to the Book Week celebrations will be an incursion from visiting performance group Perform! Educational Musicals. This event will be enjoyed by students in Kindergarten to Yr 6. The cost of the incursion is $6.50 per student. A permission slip and further details will be sent home with students next week.

Trial of New 4WD Drive-Through Pick Up Yrs 1-6
As the valley enjoys a cold winter Origin Developers closed Coast Rd and have been busy in the school holidays laying infrastructure to create the least disruption possible. During this time, Origin has directed their huge machinery to benefit the school.

Our long jump pits have been relocated ready for the Faction Carnival.

A gravel road has been laid close to the verge in front of the oval to create a safe drive through area for four-wheel drives. There is now a designated waiting area for students in Years 1-6 where they may be dropped off and picked up before and after school.

We ask all parents to be vigilant and patient as we trial this new area. Please see map and further details over the page for changes that will take effect during this trial. The new system will commence as of tomorrow.
Trial of New 4WD Drive-Through Pick Up Yrs 1-6

Please read the following changes we will be trialing as we continue to try and improve the flow of traffic for all families and local traffic at school drop-off and pick-up times.

- Students from Yrs 1-6 that are unable to locate their parents at their usual pick-up spot are to make their way across the school oval to the new pick-up area located near the goal posts. Students are NOT to walk through the staff carpark or down the 4WD drive-through lane to get to the pick-up waiting area. Students that previously waited at the front of the Library are to make their way to the new designated area.

- The new drive-through lane is designed for 4WD vehicles as there is a significant kerb drop at the exit end of the lane that is not suitable for low vehicles.

- In wet weather, students will wait under the playground shelter or a portable shade shelter until their parent’s vehicle stops safely in the drive-through lane.

- We ask that parents drive safely through the drive-through area to keep the flow of traffic moving. If your child/ren are not at the pick-up area please re-do the loop rather than stopping and waiting for them. This will ensure families that have collected their children can move on. Please do not park in the drive-through to wait for your child/ren.

- All parents are asked not to park or block the drive-through access or the parking area at the entrance of the drive-through lane.

- Families that have been parking in the area in front of the goal posts are asked to park in alternative parking areas or make use of the drive-through lane to collect their children.

- Yr 1-6 students dropped off in the 4WD drive-through lane in the mornings are asked to make their way across the oval to their classroom or the under-cover area.