

Green Valley Voice

Green Valley Public School

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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT



Welcome back to term 4.

I am sure before we know it; we will be talking about end of year matters and preparing for 2015. For now though, the message staff and families all need to send to our students is that there is still much to achieve before the year is done and that students need to maintain a strong focus on their

learning right up until the last day of term.

One way you can do this at home is to have a read through the term overviews that will be coming home. Talk with your children about the learning that has been planned with the class for the term and if unsure of what this involves, give us a call so we can help you to help your child.

By sending a strong message to your child that you are interested in what is coming up for the term, you will show your support of their education and go a long way to improving their results at school.

I need to let you know that at the end of last term, I received notice that I had been successful in an application for another position titled Principal, School Leadership. This is a two days/week role for two years working with a range of other schools throughout the Macarthur, Wollondilly and Campbelltown areas. This will mean that on a Thursday and a Friday I will not be in the school. The school will be led on these days by a relieving principal, this person will be appointed later this week and I will inform you who this is once this is known.

It does not mean that I am leaving the school, but will work in very close collaboration on these two days with the relieving principal. The school will operate as per usual; it will just mean that you may be addressing any matters you have to one of the two principals who will be leading the school.

I am excited about the term ahead at Green Valley PS. Again, I am sure it will go very quickly but be a very rewarding, learning packed term for our students. Please keep a close eye on the calendar section of this newsletter for date changes or new events.

All the best for the term ahead, show your support of your child's education and ask them lots of questions of what they're doing and learning.

Mr B Warwick—Principal

SCHOOL INFORMATION

UNIFORM SHOP

All prices have increased except for school hats, library bags and sports socks. The Uniform shop is open Monday mornings from 8.30am—9.00am. Orders can be placed and paid for at the school office. These will be taken to your child's classroom within 48 hours. Hats can also be purchased from the school office.

SCHOOL CAMP

All camp balances must be paid before the school camp commences. All medical forms need to be returned to the school office before the students leave for camp.

STAGE 1 SYMBIO WILDLIFE PARK EXCURSION

When: Thursday 30th October

Cost: \$25 All payments and permission slips to the school office by Friday 24th October.

P&C NEWS

SHOPPING TOUR

WHEN: Sunday 19th October

COST: \$40.00 (non refundable) Enclose payment in an envelope with name, contact details and number of people attending. The bus will leave school at 7.30am and return approx. 6.15pm. We will visit: Home & Gift Warehouse, Manchester Importer, Card Clarence, Deb's Hidden Treasures, FSW Shoes/envy, BTC Fashion, Bonds, Jean Town, Georgiou's, Barcs and Whiff Scented Candles.

HALLOWEEN DISCO

This disco will be run by the Footsteps Dance Program Coordinators.

When: 30th October

Time: 5.00pm—7.00pm

Who: K-6 students

Cost: \$5.00 per student. Students can dress in their favourite Halloween costume.

NEXT MEETING DATE

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday 26th November. Everyone is welcome to attend. This meeting will include the AGM meeting.

PRESIDENTS REPORT

Our P&C will continue to grow with the support of parents in our school. All our fundraising is for the benefit of every student in our school. The money raised this year will go towards helping all our students grow and learn.

Rosa Clima—President P&C.

SPORT

CONGRATULATIONS

We congratulate Nadia Wang, Christie Wang & Tiana Yan for their results at the Gymnastic Nationals. Tiana came 6th in her individual routine, Christie came 2nd in her individual routine and 2nd in her multiple routine. Nadia came 13th in her individual routine and 2nd in her multiple routine, all representing NSW. Nadia and Christie came 3rd in their pair routine representing Green Valley Public School. The girls showed great sportsmanship and maturity beyond their age.

PSSA Best & Fairest

		Round 2	Round 3
Girls CRICKET	Juniors	Lili Cai	Angela Clima
	Seniors	Tayllah Kalcher	Denise Coates
Boys TOUCH	Juniors	Ronin Phillips	Allan Saisanavong
	Seniors	Zain Davis	Carlos David
Mixed NEWBALL	Juniors	Miha Whitaker	Kalebb Kalcher
	Seniors	Justin Khannara	Sandy Do
Girls BASKET BALL	Juniors	Layla Davis	Aaliyah Rima
	Seniors	Shevlyn Maharaj	Aneena Souksavong
Girls SOFT-BALL	Juniors	Vivian Nguyen	Angelyne Abdishou
	Seniors	Isabella Rawlins	Jasmine Gunn
Boys CRICKET	Juniors	Yousuf Zaidi	Daniel Sofkovski
	Seniors	Jarrett Zhang	Aadarsh Anuj

DIARY DATES

Dates are subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances, * indicates new or changed dates since last newsletter.

OCTOBER

13-17 Swim Scheme Years 2-6
 13 Fitness Club K-2 Starts
 13 Koori Club 2pm
 14 K-2 Assembly
 14 Koori Club 2pm
 14 Chillax Program 9-9.50am 10-10.50am
 15 Fitness Club 3-6 starts
 17 PSSA Round 4
 19 P&C Shopping Tour
 20 Stage 3 Camp
 21 Stage 3 Camp
 21 Koori Club 2pm
 21 Chillax Program 9-9.50am 10-10.50am
 22 Stage 3 Camp
 23 Grandparents Day
 24 PSSA Round 5
 27 Kindergarten Orientation 9.00am—10.30am
 27 Koori Club 2pm
 28 Kindergarten Orientation 9.00am—10.30am
 28 Koori Club 2pm
 28 Chillax Program 9-9.50am 10-10.50am
 29 P&C Meeting
 30 3-6 Assembly
 30 P&C Halloween Disco
 30 Koori Club 2pm
 31 PSSA Round 6

NOVEMBER

3 Kindergarten Orientation 2.00pm—2.55pm
 3 Koori Club 2pm
 4 Kindergarten Orientation 2.00pm—2.55pm
 4 Koori Club 2pm
 6 Koori Club 2pm
 7 K-6 Assembly
 7 PSSA Round 7
 10 Kindergarten Orientation 9.00am—10.30am
 11 Kindergarten Orientation 9.00am—10.30am
 11 Remembrance Day
 11 K-2 Assembly
 14 PSSA Round 8
 18 Chillax Program 9-9.50am 10-10.50am
 19 Prefect Speeches
 21 PSSA Round 9
 24 Fitness club K-2 finishes
 24 Prefect Interviews
 25 K-2 Assembly
 25 Chillax Program 9-9.50am 10-10.50am
 25 Fitness Club 3-6 finishes
 26 P&C Meeting
 27 3-6 Assembly
 28 PSSA Round 10



Kindergarten Orientation

Monday 27.10.14 (9:00am-10:30am)
 Tuesday 28.10.14 (9:00am-10:30am)

Monday 3.11.14 (2:00pm-2:55pm)
 Tuesday 4.11.14 (2:00pm-2:55pm)

Monday 10.11.14 (9:00am-10:30am)
 Tuesday 11.11.14 (9:00am-10:30am)

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Next P&C

Wednesday 29th October
 9.00am in the school Staffroom
 All Welcome.

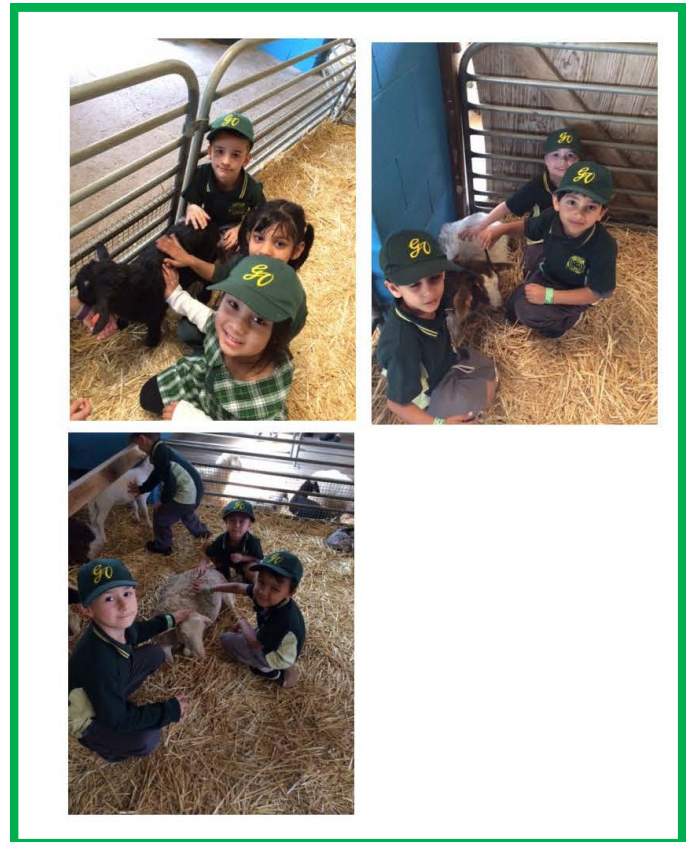
STAGE 1 INCURSION—Toys Over Time

Students had the opportunity to take part in Construction, Imagination, Up and About and Skill activities when they attended the Toys Over Time incursion last term.



KINDERGARTEN—Farm Excursion

Last Term students from Kindergarten travelled to Calmsley Hill City Farm. They had a great learning experience interacting with various farm animals.



STAGE 2 INCURSION - The Human Body

Last term students in Stage Two studied the Science and Technology unit; A look Inside - The Human Body. In week 9, they attended an incursion where they used microscopes and hands on models to look at major body systems and how the five senses work.



CRAZY CARNIVAL

Last term on Wednesday the 17th September, Green Valley Public School had its annual Crazy Carnival. There were many stalls such as the cake stall, white elephant, snow cones, fairy floss and many more. There were also many activities and rides such as the Super Sizzler, the haunted house, throw-a-sponge-at-the-teacher and lots more. The local fire brigade, police and Campbelltown Community Radio also came and provided us with useful information and lollies. Some lucky kids even got to go inside the fire truck. We also had sport clinics run by our local AFL and NRL clubs. We would like to thank all the families who brought in money to fundraise for Year 6. Thank you to all the parents who donated items to the White Elephant and cake stalls. A special thank you to the Brook family for all their help on the day. We also want to give a BIG thank you to all the teachers and students who helped to organise and run the carnival. It was a great success and we hope everyone had a lot of fun and enjoyed the day with their friends.

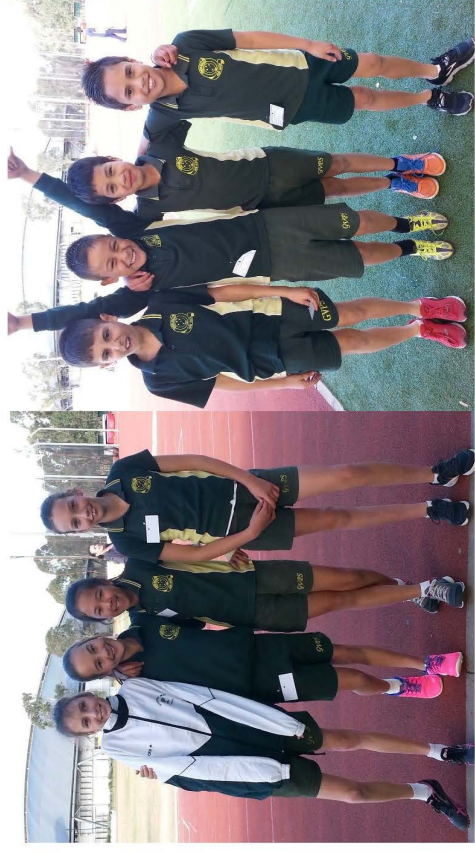
By Isabella Rawlins and Christina Le 6K



GVPSSA Zone Athletics Carnival



Friday 5th September was a day of mixed weather and little champions. The Green Valley Athletics superstars travelled to The Crest, Bankstown, to compete at the GVPSSA Zone Athletics Carnival. From sprinting, to discus-throwing to long-jumping, the Green Valley students showed great sportsman ship and did our school proud. Well done, athletes! Congratulations to Isabella Rawlins and Trinity Brook who have qualified for the SWS Regional Athletics Carnival.





This term, 3W are participating in a range of fitness activities on Wednesday afternoons to promote lifelong physical activity.



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