

Green Valley Voice

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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT



I mentioned in the last newsletter that we are in the process of evaluating what it is that we do as a school so we can set directions for the next three year school plan.

We are seeking your input into this process in a number of ways:

1. You may be selected randomly to complete surveys. Because a small number of families are selected to complete some surveys, it is important that these are returned to get a sense of community understanding of certain areas.
2. Survey links may be posted on our school Facebook and website for some areas.
3. This newsletter will have return slips to be filled, cut and returned to school (see p4 of this newsletter) and
4. You may be invited to attend open forums and focus groups to discuss aspects of the school. The first of these will be at next Wednesday's P&C meeting.

At next week's P&C meeting I am planning to have some discussion groups run to get feedback directly from parents and carers about aspects of Green Valley PS that you feel we do well but also to explore areas in which you would like to see some change. This will be part of the normal P&C agenda and is open to all families to attend. Please consider coming along next Wednesday 3rd September.

Mr B Warwick
Principal

CONGRATULATIONS

To the following students for their achievements in the ICAS Writing Competition:

- Year 3 April Tran—Credit
Jessica Tran—Distinction
Alicia Yang—Credit
Year 4 Queenie Le—Credit

Nathan Luong—Credit

Jonathon Mu—Credit

Isabelle Ngo—Credit

Year 5 Christina Le—Distinction

Eric Le—Credit

Vina Nguyen—Distinction

Lachlan Rawlins—Merit

Ivy Zerafa—Merit

G.V.P.S. WRITING COMPETITION WINNERS

Kindergarten Winner Thomas Pagano

Highly Commended Kristine Vo and Lachlan Boland

Stage 1 Winner
Simran Kumar

H i g h l y
C o m m e n d e d
Jorja Grech

Stage 2 Winner
Ruby Hong

H i g h l y
C o m m e n d e d
Jessica Tran



Stage 3 Winner
Justin Khannara

H i g h l y

Commended Isabella Rawlins and Melanie Luu

GVPS School Writing Competition Winners

TOURNAMENT OF THE MINDS

KINDERGARTEN 2015 ENROLLING NOW

Ensure a place for your child in 2015 by asking for an application for enrolment now!

If your child turns 5 before the 31st July 2015 they are eligible to start school at the beginning of 2015.

It would be appreciated if you passed this message on to prospective parents who are looking to start their child in Kindergarten in 2015.



Applied Technology Challenge Team *Design a new product. How about an "Appy Nappy"*



Social Science Challenge Team . *Should the Leaning Tower of Pisa be Moved to New Zealand and Why?*

STAGE 1 SPELLING BEE WINNERS



Class Winners



Liana Elsoufi 1A & Landon Dinh 2Z

CONGRATULATIONS

To the following students for their achievements in the ICAS Spelling Competition:

Year 3 April Tran—Credit
Alicia Yang—Credit

Year 4 Nasser Abelal—Merit
Nathan Luong—Merit
Isabelle Ngo—Merit

Year 5 Yasser A Belal—Credit
Jerry Chanton—Credit
Christina Lee—Credit
Cassey Chau—Credit

DIARY DATES

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

AUGUST

26 Book Fair departs
27 Parent Workshop 9-11am
28 Book Parade
29 Footsteps
29 PSSA Round 10

SEPTEMBER

1 Footsteps
1 WLFPA
2 WLFPA
2 K-2 Assembly
3 WLFPA
3 P&C Meeting
4 Fathers Day stall
4 Year 5 to JBHS
5 K-6 Assembly
5 PSSA Trials
5 Footsteps
8 Footsteps
9 Stage 1 Toy Incursion
10 SWS Zone Athletics
11 3-6 Assembly
11 Debate vs GPPS
11 Debating Presentation
12 PSSA Season 3 Round 1
12 Footsteps
15 Footsteps
15 Kinder Farm Excursion
17 *Buzz Day
18 Parent Workshop 9-11am
19 PSSA Round 2
19 Footsteps

OCTOBER

7 Students and staff return for Term 4
10 PSSA Round 3
13 Koori Club 2pm
14 K-2 Assembly
14 Koori Club 2pm
16 Koori Club 2pm
17 PSSA Round 4
19 *P&C Shopping Tour
20 Koori Club 2pm
20 Stage 3 Camp
21 Stage 3 Camp
21 Koori Club 2pm
22 Stage 3 Camp
23 3-6 Assembly

Next P&C

Wednesday 3rd September
9.00am in the school Staffroom
All Welcome.

SCHOOL INFORMATION

LIBRARY NEWS, BOOK CHARACTER PARADE 2014

When: Thursday 28th August

Who: All students K-6

Time: 9.30am

It gets bigger and better every year! Dress up as your favourite book character. Parents are welcome to attend the parade.



SCHOOL BANKING

Don't forget school banking every Thursday morning. A token is given for each deposit, when you reach 10 tokens they can be redeemed for a reward. If your child does not have a Commonwealth Bank Account, forms are available from the school office.

A BIG THANKYOU!

Thank you to the following parents who have worked tirelessly covering books over the past few weeks. Our appreciation goes to Mrs Rawlins, Mrs Youkhanna, Mrs Sribnoski, Mrs Madikian, Mrs Tong, Mrs Lay and Mrs Thornton. A special thank you to Mrs Thornton for covering what seems to be hundreds of books for our students to date. Your help has been greatly appreciated. The books are now in our classrooms, being enjoyed by our kiddies!

P&C NEWS

FATHERS DAY STALL

WHEN: Thursday 4th September

COST: \$5.00—\$10.00

Don't forget Dad on his special day! Please send money with your child and they will be taken to the stall in class groups.

WORKING BEE

We will have a working bee for the Fathers Day stall on Wednesday 3rd September. If you can help, please join us in the school hall at 2.00pm.

SHOPPING TOUR

Ladies would you like to get out for the day without the kids??? We are holding a full day shopping tour fundraiser on Sunday 19th October, at a cost of \$40 per person, If you would like to join us, place your name and contact details and number of people attending on an envelope and pay at the school office.

HALLOWEEN DISCO

WHEN: Thursday 30th October

COST: \$5.00 per student

Students can dress up in their favourite Halloween costume. More details later.

SPORT

PSSA Season 3 Trials will be held on Wednesday 27th August 2014 between 11:40-1:40pm. Sports running for this season include: Girls Cricket, Girls Softball, Girls Basketball, Boys Cricket, Boys Touch, Mixed Netball. PSSA Season 3 will start in Week 9 on Friday 12th September.

DISTRICT ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

The District Athletics carnival was cancelled due to rain. It will now be held on Friday 5th September at The Crest, Bankstown. New permission notes were handed out last week. If your child is attending, please ensure these notes are returned ASAP.

PSSA Best & Fairest rounds 8

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|----------------|---------|------------------|
| Mixed AFL | Juniors | Jacob Palepoi |
| | Seniors | Ahmed Yasin |
| Mixed RUGBY | Juniors | Mark Ramsay |
| | Seniors | Malekai Moutrage |
| Mixed NEW/BALL | Juniors | James Nguyen |
| | Seniors | Shevlyn Maharaj |
| Girls NETBALL | Juniors | Lara Ly |
| | Seniors | Honeyleen Bohol |
| Girls OZ TAG | Juniors | Layla Davis |
| | Seniors | Vina Nguyen |
| Boys SOCCER | Juniors | Ashour Joseph |
| | Seniors | Justin Khannara |

COMMUNITY NEWS



LIVERPOOL JUNIOR OZTAG 2014 SUMMER REGISTRATIONS

ERNIE SMITH RESERVE, MOOREBANK played TUESDAY

Registrations being held:

Tuesday 12th & Tuesday 19th August 14 4.30 – 6.00pm
at Moorebank McDonalds

LIVERPOOL WEST, BROWNES FARM RESERVE played WEDNESDAY

Registrations being held:

Wednesday 13th & Wednesday 20th August 14 4.30 – 6.00pm
at BROWNES FARM RESERVE

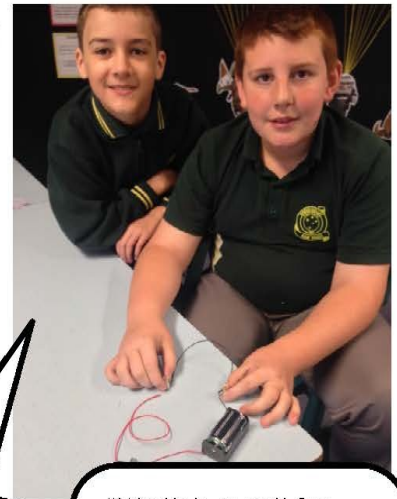
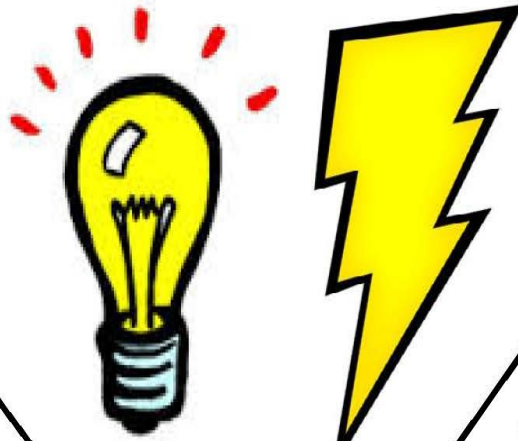
Registration \$65 per player

Both teams & individual players are welcome

For further details contact Prue: 0410 649 393

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"A closed circuit is when both ends of the battery are connected to the light globe".

"An open circuit is when there is a break in the circuit".

"A load or resistance is an electrical device like a light bulb".

"Watt: is a unit for measuring electrical power.

Amp: is the scientific measurement unit for electric current."



**In Science
students in 5/6C
are learning
about electricity.**



"A conductor allows electricity to flow through it easily".

"Did you know? An insulator does not conduct electricity".



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