

EA Southee Public School



Newsletter

Term 2 Week 1 - Wednesday, 30th April, 2008

Dear Parents

P&C Meeting

Tonight's P&C Meeting will be held in the school staff room commencing at 7.00pm. Please come along and have your say.

ANZAC Day

Thank you to those parents who dressed up their children in school uniform on ANZAC Day and allowed them to proudly march in the parade. It was a big occasion for them and they did a wonderful job in representing the school. I am always saying what a well-behaved group of students we have and this was again proven at the commemoration in Albert Park following the march. Despite having to sit for long periods (or so it seemed to the students) our children sat quietly and respectfully and didn't have to be spoken to at all, apart from the praise I gave them at the end. Following the ceremony many individuals commented favourably to me on the good little ambassadors that we have.

Walk Safely to School

The Walk Safely to School Day will occur throughout NSW, and at Southee, this Friday, 2nd May. Apart from the physical aspect of the day it will also include a Top-Up Healthy Breakfast which will run from 8.45 until 9.30am on that day. If your child did not get a note please ask them to see their teacher for one.

Apex Public Speaking

Year 5 and 6 students will be involved in the Apex Public Speaking Competition this term with the finals being held on Monday, 26th May during Education Week. Please assist your child as much as possible at home by listening to their presentation and offering praise and constructive comments where possible.

Contact Cards

Thank you to those parents who have updated the contact cards and returned them to school. They are invaluable, especially if we have to contact parents in an emergency. This week 4G and 4/5W will be taking their cards home for updating. Please make sure that they are accurate and send them back to school as soon as possible.

Sporting Calendar

This term is going to be very busy as far as representative sport is concerned. In the next couple of weeks our students will be involved in rugby league, soccer, touch football, netball, athletics and skipping, just to name a few. The students and staff all appreciate the time and effort that parents put into assisting us with our sporting endeavours. It keeps the school strong in these areas and lays a good foundation for healthy activity among our children for many years to come.

Health Warning!

Be aware that cases of whooping cough are starting to occur in Cootamundra. If you are unsure of the status of your child please consult your local doctor as soon as possible.

Bulbs

Bulbs have arrived at the front office and are now available for collection.

Mothers Day Raffle

Raffle tickets for our mothers day raffle were handed out late last term. Please make sure all tickets and money are returned to school by Friday, 9th May when the raffle will be drawn. 1st Prize is \$100 fuel starcard donated by South West Fuel, 2nd prize is twin porcelain dolls, 3rd prize is Avon pack including bathrobe donated by Kim Rumble. Tickets \$1.00 each. "Got to be in it to win it!"

SoulSpeak Productions

SoulSpeak is proud to be able to offer individual or group music lessons at your school. Learn on your own or join with others in a 30 minute lesson on the instrument of your choice. SoulSpeak offers lessons in piano/keyboard, acoustic/electric/bass guitar, drums/percussion and vocal training. A flyer is also going home today. For further information phone 69427751 or 0438 475 778.

Student Banking

Student banking will re-commence tomorrow, Thursday, 1st May, 2008.

Jump Rope for Heart Meal Deal

The canteen is having a special lunch on Friday, 9th May for Jump Rope for Heart. Please hand your order in to the Canteen if you would like a delicious lunch

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

If it's logical, rational, reasonable and makes good common sense, it's not done.

Canteen Roster

Thurs 1st – Karina Millikin, Narelle Sheedy

Fri 2nd –

Mon 5th – Leearn Sedgwick

Wed 7th – Debbie Dodwell, Donna McAllister

Some Dates for your Calendar

Tonight, 30th	P&C Meeting
Fri, 2 nd May	Walk Safely to School Day, District Netball, Riverina Boys Soccer, Cross Country trial run
Mon, 5 th May	Special Aussie of the Month Assembly
Tues, 6 th May	Open Rugby League State Knockout at Junee
Wed, 7 th May	Girls Touch Football State Knockout at Young
Fri, 23 rd May	P&C Disco at RSL Auditorium 5-7pm