



Governor Philip King Public School 'Our school exists for children'

Week 10 Term 3
18 September 2012

From the Principal...

Holidays

As Term Three draws to a close we would like to wish our students a safe and enjoyable holiday. This is a good opportunity for students to relax and unwind after a very busy term. Term Four will commence on Monday 8 October.

NAPLAN Results

NAPLAN results will be sent home today for students in Year 3 and Year 5. These results are a snapshot of your child's achievement in Literacy and Numeracy on a single testing day. Please take the time to read through the results and highlight with your child their achievements. If parents have any questions or concerns about student results please contact your child's class teacher or grade supervisor to organise a time to discuss the results in conjunction with class and grade assessments. Class teachers gather on-going information about your child's progress and achievements throughout the year which is used to complete school reports and parent-teacher interviews.

MP3 Players and Hearing Loss

If your child can't hear you talking when they're listening to their MP3 player, then their music is up too loud. Find out what you can do to help protect your child's hearing. Go to <http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/wellbeing/health/mp3-players-and-hearing-loss>

Road Safety Tips

Kids can be easily distracted on busy roads. Here are some tips to help you show your child how to make safety a priority when they're near traffic.

Go to: <http://www.kidsafensw.org/road-safety/>

School Holiday Activities

Looking for ways to get your kids off the computer these holidays? Happily, there's an app for that - and a website. Go Play has loads of holiday activities across NSW to get kids out and about. Go to: www.goplay.nsw.gov.au

2013 Kindergarten Enrolments

Kindergarten enrolments are now being accepted for next year. If your child turns 5 before 31 July, 2013, he/she is eligible to be enrolled in Kindergarten next year. Applications are available from the Office.

Newsletter

Values Education - The value for Week 10 is Democracy/Citizenship. When we are citizens of a country or members of a community we follow certain moral, legal and social ethics. Citizenship is the knowledge and skills of this role. A good citizen:

- * understands and follows rules in the family, school and community;
- * treats others and the environment with respect and dignity;
- * is responsible, fair and courageous;
- * is patriotic and has civic pride.

Please have discussions about citizenship qualities with your child/children. Mrs S. Kumar, Student Welfare.

Track Pants Sale - We still have some Size 6 track pants available, selling at half price. Get yours now! There will be **no refunds or exchanges** given and **no** Student Assistance funds will be available for these purchases.

The new style track pants with straight legs will be available for purchase from March 2013 at a cost of \$25.

Sports/Group Photos


Orders for these photos have now closed.

Have a great week!

Jason Corcoran
Principal

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**Female Soccer players U6/7 & U13/14 to play
in a Summer soccer competition**

Event Dates: 24.09.12 - 20.12.12

**At: Sydney United Sports Centre,
Edensor Road, Edensor Park, 2176**

**Contact: Peter Mitchell, Tournament Administrator
Mob: 0447 948 126**