

# Peats Ridge Weekly



Week 9 Term 3

SEPTEMBER 12 2011

## COMING EVENTS

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| <b>Thursday 15th September</b> | Schools Environmental Judging                |
| <b>Monday 19th September</b>   | 3 day Jenolan Caves/Bathurst 4/5/6 Excursion |
| <b>Friday 23rd September</b>   | End of Term 3                                |
| <b>Monday 10th October</b>     | First Day of Term 4                          |

## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGES

### I 2 3 MAGIC - PARENTING TRAINING

An opportunity is available for no more than 5 parents who may be interested in attending the I23 Magic Parenting Program to be held at Central Mangrove Public School on THURSDAYS 13 October, 20 October, 27 October from 9.15am until 11am. Please return the registration form at the bottom of the flyer attached to last week's newsletter.

### NAPLAN RESULTS

Results will be sent home today with Year 3 and Year 5 students. Please view these results, considering the assessments were completed in May and contact your child's teacher if you wish to discuss the information contained in the report.

### 4/5/6 BATHURST-JENOLAN CAVES EXCURSION

Please see separate information sheet. Be at Central Mangrove PS by 6:15am next Monday, 19th September for a 6:30 departure time.

### INFORMATION PROVIDED by the Department of Education and Communities

#### Spring holidays

The last day of Term 3 is Friday 23 September. With warmer weather hopefully upon us, here are some ideas for enjoying the holidays with your family:

[www.nsw.gov.au/school-holidays](http://www.nsw.gov.au/school-holidays)

<http://goplay.nsw.gov.au/>

[www.kidspot.com.au](http://www.kidspot.com.au)

<http://ourkidz.com.au/content/view/196/156/lang,en/>

[www.visitnsw.com](http://www.visitnsw.com)

#### Building Self Esteem

It's never too early to help build self-esteem and resilience in a child. Self-esteem builds a solid foundation for people to deal with life and the many challenges it can pose.

### reminders

- **ENROL NOW for KINDERGARTEN 2012**
- **School Phone Number:** 4373 1149
- **Email:** [peatsridge-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:peatsridge-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au)
- **Newsletter available online at our website:**
- <http://www.peatsridge-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/sws/view/home.node>

The Department of Family and Community Services has a good publication on this subject, as well as more for grandparents who are caring for young children, step families, single parents and coping with grief. Go to: [www.community.nsw.gov.au/parents\\_carers\\_and\\_families/parenting/general\\_tips\\_for\\_parents\\_and\\_carers.html](http://www.community.nsw.gov.au/parents_carers_and_families/parenting/general_tips_for_parents_and_carers.html)

Garry Standen  
Principal

## SPORT REPORT

### Jump Rope for Heart Jump Off

On Wednesday 14th September the students of PRPS will be holding a jump off for Jump Rope. Students will need to wear comfortable shoes/sneakers and their sports uniform. We will begin the jump off at 9.10 am and will engage in a range of fun skipping activities for approximately 1 hour. It is important that all students bring along their sponsorship forms and money so prizes can be ordered and money sent to the Heart Foundation.

Shane Randall, Sports Coordinator

## ASSEMBLY AWARDS-WEEK 8, TERM 3

### Citizenship

Angus G., Sophie G., Logan J., Tessa H., Charlie L., Jazmin P.

### Merit

Jazmin P., Chanyce P., Dusten L., Logan J., Katina S., Monique G., Harry M., Jade W., Thomas H.

### Library

Connor B., Jared S., Kaitlyn G., Monique G., Ryan P., Sophie, Harry M.

### Bronze

Thomas H., Mia W., Chanyce P., Marcus S., Connor H., Rose K., Sophie G., Angus G.

### Silver

Tessa H.

## CANTEEN NEWS

Canteen days for the remainder of Term 3 are as follows:

### Wednesday 14th September

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| Chicken and corn soup with bread or<br>Toasted Ham & Cheese Sandwiches | \$3.00 |
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Prepared by: *Kate P.*

### Monday 19th September

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| Recess - Banana Smoothies | \$2.00 |
| Lunch Chicken Wraps       | \$3.00 |

Prepared by: *Toni and Tina*

### Wednesday 21st September

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| Meat Pies | \$3.00 |
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Prepared by: *Annameika*



## P&C REPORT

Our last P & C meeting for this term will be held this Wednesday, 14th September at 3.15pm. Please feel free to come along and join us for a cup of tea and catch up on school news.

Elise Kemp, P&C President

## SCRIPTURE NEWS - OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

**Week 5:** *Something Special* e.g., Carry bag, sunglasses necklaces, craft kits (no glue), stickers etc

All items must be new. Remember the items can't be too big as they have to fit into a shoe box with everything else.



For more information you can visit: [www.operationchristmaschild.org.au](http://www.operationchristmaschild.org.au) or call Melinda on: 0408 701 144

## COMMUNITY NEWS

**Do you want your child to learn a  
Life saving skill  
During the holidays?**



**Book them into a St John Ambulance  
Junior First Aid course (11 to 14 years)**

This course aims to provide knowledge and skills in basic First Aid, such as resuscitation, fractures, burns, bleeding, bites & stings, shock, asthma and much more

**To be held at St John Ambulance  
2/88 Mann St Gosford  
Monday & Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> September  
9.00am – 1.00pm each day**

**Cost \$50.00**

**FOR INFORMATION contact Simone, Wendy or Libby on  
43246047**

**or**

**Send the enrolment form and course fees to the above address**

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### FIRST AID APPLICATION FORM

NAME.....PHONE.....

ADDRESS.....

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DATE.....SCHOOL.....DOB.....