UPCOMING EVENTS

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PAYMENT/PERMISSION REMINDERS

Please refer to the school money collection policy regarding payment for activities and excursions. All money to be placed in a clearly marked envelope in the secure box outside the Admin Office. No late payments will be accepted. Where possible payment before due date would be appreciated. Spare notes available in the rack in the office foyer.

STAGE 2 HANDWRITING YEAR 3 & 4
Permission slip and $13 due by 9.10am Thursday 17 March.

MATHLETICS K-6
Permission Slip and $10 due by 9.10am Thursday 3 March.

CANBERRA/SNOWY MOUNTAINS EXCURSION YEAR 5 and 6
$100 deposit as expression of interest due by 10 March, 2011.

CLOTHING POOL

Clothing Pool Under COLA
2.30pm Thursdays.
Dates for this term are: 17/2, 3/3 and 17/3.

BANKING

The School Banking dates for this term are fortnightly on a Tuesday: week 5, week 7 and week 9.

Canteen News

Open Wednesdays and Fridays Only.

- There will be a new canteen Menu to coincide with the new lunch times.
- All orders must be received by the canteen directly before 9.10am
- Reminder that all drink orders must include a separate bag.
BOOK CLUB

As in previous years our wonderful volunteers, headed by Mrs Paula Rowe, will be running the Scholastic Book Club as a way of building our resources. Every order contributes to our Bonus Points tally. This allows the library to choose a range of titles for free. In previous years Book Club has been one of our major fundraisers providing thousands of dollars worth of books and teachers’ resources.

For those who are new to Book Club it may help to know that there are five levels of brochures: *Busy Bees* *Wombat* *Lucky Arrow* and *Star*. Occasionally there are additional brochures for Bestsellers or Computer Software. Book club leaflets are distributed twice each term.

The family order should be returned to the box in the School Office in an envelope clearly marked Book Club, with your oldest child’s name and class. Unfortunately we can no longer accept cash. Cheques should be made out to Scholastic or you may prefer to use your credit card. All the order slips should be combined into one total. Even if your child fills out the form, we ask parents to check that it has been properly completed.

Brochures will not be given to Kindergarten children until the second issue this term but if you would like to collect a brochure please visit the library.

SCRIPTURE

Last year the community was asked for volunteers to train as teachers of Ethics for senior Non Scripture classes. As we have had no expressions of interest Scripture classes will continue as before. Each child attends a thirty minute scripture lesson each week. At our school we have volunteer scripture teachers from the Catholic and Protestant faiths. If you do not belong to either of these faiths your child will be allocated to a Non Scripture group. All classes have a teacher from our school in attendance. If you have any questions please contact me in my role as Scripture Co-ordinator.

Jan Clarence

CONFIRMATION

*Padre Pio Parish Glenmore Park Sacramental Programme- Confirmation.*

The 2011 Confirmation Programme will commence in March. Parents of children in Year 6 who wish their child to enrol in the programme are asked to collect an enrolment package after the 18th February from either the Padre Pio Parish Office, 34- 36 William Howell Drive, Glenmore Park, contact phone number 47379735 between 8.30am and 3.00pm weekdays, or at any of our weekend Masses.