CALENDAR – TERM 4

Week 2 - OCTOBER
Mon 13 Stage 3 to NRL Headquarters
Tue 14 Back Yard League. Wear sport uniform.
Wed 15 Assistance dogs at assembly. Gold coin donation requested.
Thu 16 Kindergarten 2015 Orientation Day 1

Week 3 - OCC
Mon 20 Regional Final of Public Speaking
Tue 21 Visit by Pagewood Kindy
Back Yard League. Wear sport uniform.
Wed 22 Kindergarten 2015 Orientation Day 2

2015 RETURN TO SCHOOL
Tue 27 Jan: Teachers return
Wed 28 Jan: Years 1-6 return
Mon 3 Feb: Kindergarten starts

UNIFORM SHOP
Next opening time is 9.15am on Thursday 23rd October and continuing fortnightly after that. The Uniform Shop will also be open for new parents at the Kindergarten Orientation morning on Thursday 16th October. Uniform orders can be placed at the office (with correct cash, or cheques payable to Pagewood Public School P&C).

THANK YOU
The Senior Dance Group and I want to sincerely thank Ms Melanie Goodhew for all that she has done for our school.
Melanie has given up endless hours of her time to meet with me, choreograph movement sequences, design costumes, organise props and help with supervision for both excursion and performances. She does all of this willingly and with a smile on her face.
We are so lucky to have you here, Mel!
Mrs Chrysostomou

CANTEEN NEWS
Thank you to our canteen volunteers from last week:
Wed 8 Oct: Tara Moran & Jason Ryder
Fri 10 Oct: Chrissy Jenner & Michelle Wood (9-12)
Melissa Hausman (12-2)

Thank you to Jason, Tara, Michelle and Melissa, for doing a great job, the first week back, in the canteen.

This week’s canteen volunteers are:
Wed 15 Oct: Tony Faust & Christel Lichtner
Fri 17 Oct: Donna Jones & Jana Ukropec

Hot Chocolate drinks can be purchased this term until it is finished.

New volunteers are always welcome. Forms can be collected from the office.

If you have any feedback regarding the canteen, our menu etc. we would love to hear from you. Please email us at pagewood-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Please refer any canteen rostering issues/changes to Chrissy Jenner (4jfam@live.com.au)

YEAR 3 ROocked WITH PET ROCKS!
The Year 3 class had a wonderful time designing and making impressive pet rocks. The students went to a lot of effort to create new ideas including: super hero, teacher and bug pet rocks. Many students demonstrated leadership skills when working in groups whilst others showed initiative to type creative and informative flyers, brochures, posters and newsletter articles.
The children sold the rocks with enthusiasm and danced to entertain the crowd. They managed to raise $349.45.
The class agreed to donate this money towards the Assistance Dogs Association.
Well done, Year 3!
I am very proud of you,
Mrs Chrysostomou

GOLD COIN DONATION REQUESTED TO SUPPORT ASSISTANCE DOGS AUSTRALIA
PRESENTATION AT ASSEMBLY 15TH OCTOBER

SCHOOL TEA TOWEL FUNDRAISER
In recent weeks your children may have come home talking about drawing their faces for a tea towel. Drawings from all children in the school will be collated and made into an attractive tea towel – you can see examples on display in the school office from previous years. Order forms are attached to this newsletter and are due by the Friday of Week 3, ie 24th October, so the tea towels can be delivered in time for Christmas!
New Dogs on the Block

You’ve seen guide dogs and heard of hearing dogs. Now meet the new dogs on the block.

Assistance Dogs Australia is a non-profit organisation that trains Labradors and Golden Retrievers to help enhance the quality of life and improve the level of independence for people with disabilities. As a result of the program, these highly trained dogs allow recipients to have greater mobility, gain confidence and have higher self-esteem.

A relatively small charity Assistance Dogs Australia was started in 1996 and has since placed over 180 dogs around Australia. Each dog has an investment of over $27000 and they are given free of charge to recipients. Assistance Dogs Australia relies solely on the generosity of the Australia public, corporate and philanthropic sectors.

ADA has recently been reaccredited by Assistance Dogs International, making it the first and only assistant dog organisation to be reaccredited in the Southern Hemisphere.

Puppies are trained through the assistance of volunteer puppy raisers or through innovative programs such as our Pups in Prison a training programs.

ADA’s mission is to increase the independence of people with disabilities.

To learn more about ADA please view the website www.assistancedogs.org.au or call them on 1800 688364.

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2014 TEA TOWEL FUNDRAISER

Dear Parent / Carer / Friend,

We are running a Tea Towel Fundraiser!

The P&C is running the popular group tea towel project to raise funds for our school.

The unique tea towel design is made up of drawings by all our students and staff at Pagewood Public School. The drawings are arranged into one commemorative design with students in class order and the school logo in the middle. The design is then screen printed in forest green onto high quality white tea towels.

We chose tea towels because the project gets the children involved, produces a wonderful memento and meaningful gift for parents, relatives and special friends. The tea towels look amazing, are so easy to post and make a fabulous reminder of your child’s early years. In the school office you can see past school tea towels on display in frames - the children still love to find themselves and their teachers here.

It is only $12.50 for a limited edition tea towel. We have kept the price low so that you can order as many as you like for yourself, keepsake box and Christmas presents. Tea towels can be ordered by dropping the order form below with payment to the school office in an envelope clearly marked "TEA TOWEL ORDER. Attn Emily Norman".

Make sure you don’t miss out! All children have drawn their own picture with their name underneath so you can preserve your child’s artwork and remember friends and teachers forever! Funds raised will go to support our school.

Final orders are due on Friday 24th October 2014.

If you have any queries please email Emily Norman on schmem2@hotmail.com

TEA TOWEL ORDER FORM

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Please enclose payment with your order.

CASH OR CHEQUES MADE PAYABLE TO: PAGWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOL P&C

TOTAL Enclosed $______

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