A small community where the students shine!

School Hours and Break Times
Playgrounds supervised from 8:45 a.m. and from 3:30 -3:45 p.m.
Students arrive 8:50, Classes start promptly at 9.00 a.m.
Morning Recess is from 11am – 11.30am Lunch 1:40 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

February

12th
School Council Meeting
3.45pm

27th
District Athletics

March

12th
School Council AGM 3.45pm

Foundation (Preps) start 9.00am – 1.30pm until the end of February.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Items sent home will generally be colour coded.

- Pale Blue or White General Notices
- Gold Excursion Incursion
- Orange Important Messages
- Bright Pink Fundraising

Please read this newsletter, as it is an important communication between school and home.

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Dear Parents and Friends,

Welcome to the 2014 School Year.

I hope that everyone had a happy and enjoyable holiday and that you had the opportunity to enjoy many family gatherings. I look forward to working with you to provide our precious children with a happy and engaging educational experience and another highly successful year here at Southern Cross Primary School. Also a warm welcome is extended to all of the new families that have joined us this year.

Classes for 2014

I would like to welcome our staff and in particular our new staff members.

The classes and class teachers for this year are:-

Foundation Year – Mrs Kristina Krikas & Mrs Leigh-Ann Schouw (formerly Rutgers)

Years 1 and 2 - Mrs Pam Crawford / Mrs Anne Robinson

Ms. Renae Wright & Ms. Amanda de Netto

Years 3 and 4 - Ms Leonie Lapthorne & Ms Laura Flanagan

Years 5 and 6 - Mrs Angeline Singh & Mr. Shannon Gallagher

Art / Music / Drama / Choir – Mrs Jenny Graham.

Physical Education / French – Mr Andrew Altube

Teacher Support – Junior School – Mrs Rhonda Smith

Middle / Senior School – Mrs Lisa McKenna & Mrs Louise Blackman

Office Staff

Business Manager – Mrs. Sue Jones

Office Manager – Mrs. Kaye Schendzielorz

Appointments

If you would like to discuss anything pertaining to your child with their teacher please make an appointment. It is a much more productive way to be able to have uninterrupted time to talk and answer any queries you may have. A teacher must give priority to their role in the classroom and will not be able to discuss anything at length when they have a class of students for whom they are responsible. So please understand that if a teacher states that they would be happy to make a time with you when they are not teaching this is the expectation of their role. If you do make an appointment please be courteous enough to let us know if you cannot make that time.

Averil Nunn
Principal
Preps First
Day 2014!!!
STAY HEALTHY IN THE HEAT.

Extreme temperatures can lead to heat-related illness and deaths. Drink plenty of water, stay cool and out of the sun and avoid exercise. Check on vulnerable family, friends and neighbours – especially children and frail or elderly people.

STAY COOL STAY SAFE.

For health concerns, contact your doctor or call NURSE-ON-CALL on 1300 60 60 24.
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