

## Diary Dates TERM 4

### NOVEMBER

#### Wednesday 9th

- Kindergarten Orientation
- Dragon Tag Gala Day

#### Friday 18th

- PSSA Finals

#### Wednesday 23rd

- Year 6 fun day

#### Friday 25th

- School Spectacular

#### Tuesday 29th

- Disco & BBQ (Night time)

### DECEMBER

#### Monday 5th

- Year 6 Orientation Day

#### Tuesday 6th

- Yrs 3-6 Excursion to Aquatic Centre

#### Wednesday 7th

- Year 6 Farewell

#### Thursday 8th

- Combined Scripture Christmas Assembly in Hall

#### Tuesday 13th

- Whole school presentation assembly at GRC Peakhurst High—12noon

#### Friday 16th

- K-2 excursion to the movies
- Last day of term for students.

The back gate to Treloar Ave will now be locked between 9.30am and 3.15pm

Also if you need to come to the school for any reason or if you are helping out in the classroom, please go to the office first and get a visitor sticker.



# Best of the West

*We are also on the web...*

PENSHURST WEST PUBLIC SCHOOL PH:9570 4602

## Principal's Report

### Dear Parents

Thanks to the Glee Club and Recorder group for performing at the Riverwood Police Station Open Day on Saturday. Thank you to the parents and students for giving up part of their Saturday to represent the school and thanks to Mrs Smith and Mr Matthews for preparing our talented students so well.

Hopefully by now you have had the opportunity to complete the parent surveys online. These can be found on our school website. Just Google "Penshurst West Public School" and under the "surveys" tab at the top, complete the online surveys around anti bullying and school management. It is important to get this anonymous parent feedback so we can continually improve what we do. Students in Stage 3 have had their opportunity to complete a similar survey online at school.

Miss Leece is on leave for the next two weeks and we welcome Mrs Michelle Selby teaching 2L. Thanks to Mrs O'Brien for managing the school for the last week while I was at the state Principal's conference. Mrs O'Brien will be on leave from 10<sup>th</sup> November till 24<sup>th</sup> November and Miss Natalia Mourad will be teaching KO.

Due to the two hour teacher stop work on Wednesday morning, our Kindy Start program has been moved from this Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> November and an extra session has been added on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> November. Our new students are settling in well and we look forward to their start in 2012.

Please be advised that Hurstville Police recommend that any child who is out "Trick or treating" for Halloween is accompanied at all times by a parent.

Thank you for your support.

Merrilyn Jenkins  
Principal

### SPARE NOTES:

All notes are on the school website.

If your child has misplaced their note regarding an excursion etc please download another from our website under the "NOTES" tab at the top of the page and fill it out.



## INDUSTRIAL ACTION—WEDNESDAY 2ND NOVEMBER

The NSW Teachers' Federation has called a stop work meeting on Wednesday 2nd November. As most teachers will be taking action we will only be able to offer MINIMAL supervision at school until 11.00am on this day.

## CANTEEN NOTICE FOR WEDNESDAY 2ND NOVEMBER

**PLEASE NOTE** that the canteen will **NOT** be taking lunch orders on Wednesday but will be open for over the counter sales at **LUNCHTIME** only. Please make sure your child brings their lunch from home on this day.

## TERM 4—CANTEEN ROSTER FOR NEXT TWO WEEKS

<b>TERM 4</b>	<i>Tuesday 1st</i>	<i>Wednesday 2nd</i>	<i>Friday 4th</i>
<b>NOVEMBER</b>	James McMaster	Janelle Vizy (From 11am)	Kerrie Coleman Rachel Hornby
<i>Monday 7th</i>	<i>Tuesday 8th</i>	<i>Wednesday 9th</i>	<i>Friday 11th</i>
Gusnita Senior	Sophie Barclay Dina Stojanovska	Lisa Pemberton Lynne Chignell	Ziba Sabri-Matanagh Marian Stefanidis
<i>Monday 14th</i>		<b>Please be at the canteen as close as possible to 9am for opening</b>	<b>THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP</b>
Annie Inskip			

## FUNDRAISING

For all those people who have Gold Coast Raffle Ticket books could you please return to the office with the money no later than the 15th November

## KINDERGARTEN ORIENTATION

The Kindy Orientation program has already begun, if you have not enrolled your child or you know someone who needs to start school next year please enrol as soon as possible so they can be included in the next two weeks.

