

Oakville Public School

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Issue 2

Tuesday, 3 February, 2009

P & C Meeting

Wednesday, 4 February

7.30 pm

School Staffroom

Plans and organisation for the year will be discussed
All interested people welcome!

Dear Parents and Friends,

We have had a great start to the year. All classes have settled very quickly and are working very hard on their interesting class programs. It is pleasing to be able to visit the rooms and see the happy faces enjoying their set activities. A big thank you and congratulations to all students and teachers.

Also, thank you to the Canteen people and P & C, who have had a smooth start to the year and catered very well for the Tea & Tissues session last Thursday.

Tomorrow night, we have the first P & C Meeting for the year. We will look at plans for 2009 and review some of last year's events. It is a fantastic opportunity to contribute to the functioning of the school.

Two other important events coming up are the Parent Information Sessions and the Welcome BBQ. Information on the Parent Information is in this Bulletin and details of our first ever Welcome BBQ (to be held on Friday 13 February) will be in next week's Bulletin.

Class Names

This year is the International Year of Astronomy, so the class names are based on this theme. The classes are:

Early Stage 1	Astronauts	Miss Woodbury
	Comets	Mrs Hassan/Mrs Payne
	Venus	Mrs Vanderburg
Stage 1	Clusters	Mrs Clarke
	Delta Star	Mrs Duncan
	Jupiter	Mrs Johnston
	Rockets	Miss Rose
Stage 1 / Stage 2	Halley's Comet	Miss Howes
Stage 2	Blue Moon	Mrs Beck
	Calypso	Miss Iori
	Futurama	Mrs Finn
	Galileo	Mr Burton
Stage 3	Draco	Miss Downie
	Krypton	Mr Kenna
	Light Year	Mrs Lorenzo
	Pisces	Miss Parkinson

Parent Information Meetings

The Information Meetings are on *Wed, 11 February*.

On the Wednesday evening all parents are invited to attend their child's class to discuss the procedures for the year. All meetings are planned for 30 minutes with the venue to be advised in next week's bulletin.

The program is:

6.00 p.m.	Astronauts, Comets, Venus
6.30 p.m.	Clusters, Delta Star, Jupiter, Rockets
7.00 p.m.	Blue Moon, Calypso, Futurama, Galileo Halley's Comet
7.30 p.m.	Draco, Krypton, Light Year, Pisces

Throughout the year, the teachers are happy to discuss issues with you, but we ask that you contact the Office to make an appointment. This will ensure that we make best use of the time available to both you and the teachers.

During class time, the teachers need to concentrate on their classes and should not be speaking with visitors and most Tuesday mornings are set aside for staff development and the teachers are unavailable at this time.

Open communication between the school and home is vital and we look forward to working closely with every family.

Levels of Student Management

Attached to the bulletin is a comprehensive outline of our school reward and discipline system. Hopefully this will assist you to understand the process that we follow.

Gary Condon, Principal

Uniform Orders

We have now received most of the summer stock. If you haven't received an order that you have placed, please ring the office to arrange collection.

Uniform shop hours: Thursday and Friday 3:00-3:30pm

If you can't come to the shop, an order form can be collected from the office. Fill out your order and place it in an envelope with payment and return it to the white box in the foyer. Your order will be filled on Thursday or Friday and sent to your child's class the following day.

Raelene Burke & Sandra Woodward

Dates for the Diary

Wed 4 Feb	7.30pm P & C Meeting
Wed 11 Feb	Parent Information Night
Fri 13 Feb	Welcome BBQ
Wed 18 Feb	School Swimming Carnival
Tues 10 Mar	District Swimming Carnival



Swimming Carnival

Our annual school swimming carnival will be held at the Windsor Oasis Swimming Centre on **Wednesday 18 February**. This involves Yr 2 eight year olds who can swim 50metres and all students in Years 3 – 6.



Students **MUST** come to school in the morning for roll call and to receive their wrist band. **NO** bands will be given out at the swimming pool. **No band no swim.**

If your child is swimming in the carnival the blue note sent home last week **MUST** be returned, fully completed and signed, to school as soon as possible.

Please read all the information sent home as it is very important that you understand the implications of not complying fully with the school's requirements regarding the delivery of these programs.

Permission notes with more information will be sent home in the coming week.

Any issues or concerns regarding sport, please see me.

Mrs Finn, Sports Coordinator

P&C Association

Business Directory

This week every family in the school will be given a copy of the "Oakville Public School Business Directory". This directory advertises local businesses, who have generously supported our school's fundraising efforts last year.

Please use the directory if you need a trade or service and support the businesses who have supported us.

Carmen Teuma, Fundraising Coordinator