



NEWSLETTER

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Dates to Remember	
2 Mar	Cricket Workshops
3 Mar	Surf Carnival
4 Mar	P&C Cake Stall 8am
6 Mar	Labour Day
7 Mar	Early Close 2.30
9 Mar	Snr Class Assembly 9.05am P&C Meeting 3.30pm

Chaplaincy Programme

A Chaplain is a supportive person who is available to support students, staff and parents. Audrey Crompton, our Chaplain is at school on Fridays and every second Monday. She works with each class, teaching the students various social and resilience skills.

The 'BUZ Friends' programme continues again in the Junior and Middle Room. The focus of this programme is to enable students to initiate, develop and maintain successful friendships. It teaches them to cooperate with others.

The Senior class will continue with the 'Rock and Water' programme. They interact through games, and activities to learn respect, self acceptance and how to cooperate.

Audrey looks forward to working and encouraging all the student of C.P.S. to get the best out of their day.

Swimming Concludes



Thank you to Gemima, Erin and Penny for their fantastic efforts in providing a professional swimming programme for the students at Cervantes Primary School. I would also like to extend my thanks to the school staff and parents for ensuring the week went smoothly. It was hard work, but it is done and the students can now concentrate on other learning adventures.



Our Surf Carnival will take place on **Friday, 3rd March** for students in PP to Year 6.

Students are to meet at school at the normal time and will walk down to the beach in their faction group with staff. Every child will be in several events, both for fun and to show their swimming technique. There will be an opportunity for the Kindergarten students to participate in 2 events, if they are at the beach with their parents on the day.

Please ensure your child is sun protected in a rashie or t-shirt and sunscreen. They need to have appropriate footwear and a towel, along with snack foods and water bottle to keep them going throughout the morning. A permission form was sent out earlier this week and needs to be returned by, Tuesday the 28th February.

Students will return to school for the presentation and a sausage sizzle at the completion of the morning at around 12pm. Parents are welcome to join us both at the beach and for lunch. We would love to have some parents prepared to get in the water to help.



Faction Leaders

Congratulations to the students who were chosen by their peers to lead the Red and Blue Factions in 2017. Their first duty is to lead their teams in an aerobic warm up at the Surf Carnival!

Blue Captains: Tami MacKay and Elijah Bradshaw
Blue Deputy: Brianna Turbett

Red Captains: Emily Avery and Seth Johnson
Red Deputy: Jayden Wyatt



BOARD MEETING

Our next Board meeting on the **29th March at 5pm** is an open meeting. We extend the invitation to any parent or community member who is interested in seeing what the Board does to come along.

We will be asking for nominations from people to join the Board early in Term 2, so this is a great chance to find out what it is all about.

Cervantes Primary School Board members:

- B**anding together to improve CPS
- O**verseeing the vision and direction
- A**ctively working for all students
- R**eviewing progress and school targets
- D**eveloping plans to reach our goals

P&C News



Our first event in 2017 is a Cake Stall to be held on **Saturday, 4th March**. We would like every family to support this event and provide some baked goodies. Any items can be left at the General Store on Friday or be delivered to the shopping car park by 8am on Saturday morning.

The P&C meeting will be held on **Thursday 9th March at 3:30pm**. Please note the new timeslot.

Natalie Dennis
 Principal



Assembly

Our first assembly will be hosted by the Senior Class on **Thursday, 9th March** starting at 9:05am. This year the class holding the assembly would like to welcome parents and family into their classroom after the assembly for 15 minutes to share what they have been learning. So the Year 4 to 6 students would like to invite their parents into class at the conclusion of assembly!



Tennis Lessons

Through the Sporting Schools programme I have arranged for the coach from Sun City Tennis Academy to provide lessons this term for students in Year 1 to 6.

These will begin on **Thursday 9th March** and run for 4 weeks.



Our singing and dancing will begin on **Friday, 10th March**. The session runs for half an hour and starts at 9:15am. All children ages 0 to 4years are welcome to come along and join in the fun. Spread the word!

GET YOUR KIDS INTO THE FUN OF T20BLAST

FUN, SAFE & ACTIVE
IT'S CRICKET & IT'S A BLAST!

Turquoise Coast T20 Blast Family Fun Day

Mums and Dads come and have fun with Kids playing against their parents, siblings, friends etc. All are welcome

Location – Cervantes Football Oval

Date & Times – Saturday Morning 10.00 am– 13.30 pm

Commencing – 25 March 2017

Cost – Nil

Contact – Mike Hind – 0439 098 274

ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST REGISTER

