



Russell Vale Public School Newsletter

Think Act Speak Well

Week 3 Term 3

30 July 2012

Principal's Report

Open Day

We look forward to welcoming parents next Thursday at our Open Day.

Activities will commence at approximately 9:15am with a hall assembly.

A Date for your Calendar!!

Interrelate Family Centre's Human Sexuality evening:

Tuesday 18th September

6:00pm Yrs 3&4 - Where did I come from?

7:15pm Yrs 5&6 – Preparing for Puberty

Flyer to come in coming weeks but this exceptional program was highly acclaimed by parents when held here 2 years ago.

Thanks To

Patsy Ross for picking up 30 free plants for our gardens from Wollongong City Council.

Athletics Carnival

After a couple of false starts the carnivals were a great success.

Involvement by students was outstanding and at the field events last Wednesday it was fantastic to see the students assist by packing away all equipment at the end of events. Again involvement and team spirit were outstanding.

I'm always very proud of our students on days where parents and visitors are present.

My thanks to Mrs. Cleall and Mrs Rafferty for their organisation of these events.

Public Speeches

I was fortunate to watch Stage 3 and Stage 2 students deliver their speeches. I have seen a huge improvement in the skills of delivery and in content since we made public speaking more of a focus. The students who present their speeches at Thursday's assembly will impress parents I'm sure.

CANTEEN CLOSED Tuesday 31 July.

Mark Grierson
Principal

Upcoming Events

Jul 31

CANTEEN CLOSED

Aug

Thurs 2

Wed 8

Mon 13

Fri 17

Fri 31

Open Day for Education Week

P&C Meeting 7PM

District Athletics

District Athletics

Regional Athletics

Kindergarten Enrolments 2013

We are now taking Kindergarten enrolments for 2013.

If you know of anyone needing to enrol for 2013 or you have a sibling due to start school please call in and pick up enrolment forms.

Congratulations!



BRONZE School Award

Eden Jones, Bronte Sweeny, Joshua Crimston, Liam Barkley

Academic MC

Jet Tane, Jarrod Phelan, Hayley Schoupp, Ginger Little, Keeley Nethercott, Bronte Sweeny, Chloe Reali, Lillie Ritchie, Sienna McDonagh, Charlotte McIntyre, Gary Bowen

Creative Art MC

Ruby Burden-Hill, Bailey Walker

PD/H/PE MC

Thomas Heaton, Teliah Court, William Grace, Cassie Pratt-Johnson, Kieran Fowler, Kendall Linsley, Stella Ross

Sports News

Finally our Athletics carnival is completed.

We had a fantastic day on Wednesday during our field events and all the students participated in events even if they were not in the finals.

Students will receive their participation ribbons at the Monday 31st assembly and winning house will be announced.

District athletics will be held over two days Monday 13th August & Friday 17th August. Buses will be booked for this event and more information about costs etc will be given to relevant participants.

Each school can submit 3 age entries and 2 entries for all other events. Students going to the district carnival will receive a note and proposed program next week.

PSSA will commence for Term 3 on Friday week 3, 4, 6, & 8.

Mr Jones has kindly agreed to take the boys soccer and Mr Cuthbertson will assist. Mrs Body has volunteered to take the Girls Netball and Mrs Beck will assist.

School sport will commence Term 3 weeks 3, 4, 6, & 8 to coincide with PSSA. If you can spare an afternoon to help with school sport please come and talk to Mrs Cleall

Thank You
Jeanette Cleall

Coles Vouchers

Our Coles Sports for Schools voucher collection is well underway. Coles is offering double vouchers [until August 14th](#) to coincide with the Olympics. So keep collecting and hopefully we can earn even more sports equipment than last year.

K-2 Athletics Carnival

On Thursday July 19 K-2 students had a wonderful time with races and novelties at their annual athletics carnival.

Congratulations to our race winners:

Boys

Girls

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| Kinder | 1st | Chad Moore | 1st | Ava Sutton |
| | 2nd | Joshua Paulo-Smith | 2nd | Janaya Baroudi |
| | 3rd | Travis Lee | 3rd | Elinya Collins |
| Year 1 | 1st | Aaron Mills | 1st | Charli Whitefield |
| | 2nd | Saxon Bell | 2nd | Amelia Spence |
| | 3rd | James Klein-Essink | 3rd | Katie Ross |
| Year 2 | 1st | Solomon Little | 1st | Nikki Taylor |
| | 2nd | Cameron Lloyd | 2nd | Darby Walsh |
| | 3rd | Bailey Leadbitter | 3rd | Sierra McDonagh |
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Well done especially to every child who 'had a go' and 'did their best'.

House Results:

1. Terania
2. Pacific & Brokers

Thank you to all of the parents and carers who 'walked the talk' (I mean ran!!) and demonstrated that life is not a spectator sport.

I'm sure it was a highlight for many.

K-2 Teachers

Teachers Race



TRACK EVENT FINALISTS 100MTRS**FIRST 3 STUDENTS IN 100M AGE RACE GO TO DISTRICT.****ALL OTHER INDIVIDUAL EVENTS HAVE 2 ENTRIES IN DISTRICT.**

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| 8YR GIRLS | AMY JOY SIENNA McCLAFFERTY BRINLEY SMART |
| 8YR BOYS | WILLIAM GRACE JAYDEN LEA CHRISTOPHER ROACH |
| 9YR GIRLS | BRIANNA ROBERTS DANIELLE ROBERTS TAYA NYE |
| 9YR BOYS | WILLIAM GRACE JAKE SMITH THOMAS JOY |
| 10YR GIRLS | JASMIN LITTLE OLIVIA VALE LAUREN MORGAN |
| 10YR BOYS | THOMAS HEATON THOMAS HOLLIDAY COREY SNELSON |
| 11YR GIRLS | KENDALL LINSLEY CAITLIN WESTON OLIVIA SMITH |
| 11YR BOYS | JORDAN ERRINGTON AARON SCHOUPE JACK DONNELLY |
| 12YR GIRLS | ZALI HAWKEN HAYLEY WALKER HAYLEY WALLER |
| 12YR BOYS | LIAM EVANS CONNOR RICHARDSON CALEB WALKER |
| 13YR BOYS | ALEXEI ROSSER |
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| 200MTRS | <u>FIRST 2 GO TO DISTRICT</u> |
| JUNIOR BOYS | THOMAS HEATON NOAH McINERNEY STUART LOGAN |
| JUNIOR GIRLS | AMY JOY JASMIN LITTLE SIENNA McCLAFFERTY |
| 11YR BOYS | AARON SCHOUPE HARRISON BENN JACK DONNELLY |
| 11YR GIRLS | OLIVIA SMITH CAITLIN WESTIN JEZEBEL SPENCE |
| 12YR BOYS | ALEXEI ROSSER LIAM EVANS SAMUEL ADNUM |
| 12YR GIRLS | ZALI HAWKEN HAYLEY WALLER HAYLEY WALKER |
| 800 MTRS | <u>FIRST 2 GO TO DISTRICT</u> |
| JUNIOR BOYS | THOMAS HEATON NOAH McINERNEY COREY SNELSON |
| JUNIOR GIRLS | AMY JOY JASMIN LITTLE ZARA SHARMAN |
| 11YR BOYS | BLAIR DUNN JACK DONNELLY HARRISON BENN |
| 11YR GIRLS | OLIVIA SMITH BRONTE SWEENEY CAITLIN WESTIN |
| 12/13YR BOYS | ALEXEI ROSSER SAMUEL ADNUM LIAM EVANS |
| 12/13YR GIRLS | HAYLEY WALLER ZALI HAWKEN STELLA ROSS |



FIELD EVENT FINALISTS

ALL OTHER INDIVIDUAL EVENTS HAVE 2 ENTRIES IN DISTRICT.

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| HIGH JUMP | <u>FIRST 2 GO TO DISTRICT</u> |
| JUNIOR GIRLS | LAUREN MORGAN STAR LARNACH OLIVIA VALE |
| JUNIOR BOYS | THOMAS HEATON JOSH CRIMSOM COREY SNELSON |
| 11YR GIRLS | CAITLIN WESTIN JEZEBEL SPENCE AMY TODD |
| 11YR BOYS | AARON SCHOUPP ETHAN LARNACH BRONSON ROSTIROLLA |
| 12YR GIRLS | HAYLEY WALLER KIRA SMALL PIPAH GRUBB |
| 12YR BOYS | ALEXEI ROSSER LIAM EVANS SAMUEL ADNUM |
| SHOT PUT | <u>FIRST 2 GO TO DISTRICT</u> |
| JUNIOR GIRLS | ZARA SHARMAN HAYLEY SCHOUPP OLIVIA VALE |
| JUNIOR BOYS | COREY SNELSON THOMAS HEATON RILEY WALKER |
| 11YR GIRLS | GEMMA OBRIEN JASMIN OWEN TALIAH COURT |
| 11YR BOYS | BRONSEN ROSTIROLLA AARON SCHOUPP CALEB HOCKING |
| 12YR GIRLS | PIPAH GRUBB ERIN KAYNAK CASSIE PRATT- JOHNSON |
| 12YR BOYS | ALEXEI ROSSER KIERAN FOWLER ANGUS CROSS |

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| DISCUS | <u>FIRST 2 GO TO DISTRICT</u> |
| JUNIOR GIRLS | ZARA SHARMAN CHLOE REALIE OLIVIA VALE |
| JUNIOR BOYS | STEWART LOGAN NOAH MCINERNEY ANIKAN HUGHES |
| 11YR GIRLS | JEZEBEL SPENCE KENDALL LINSLEY TAISIA RIDGEWAY |
| 11YR BOYS | BRONSON ROSTIROLLA AARON SCHOUPP JACKSON ADDO |
| 12YR GIRLS | PIPAH GRUBB HAYLEY WALKER ERIN KAYNAK |
| 12YR BOYS | ALEXEI ROSSER KIERAN FOWLER BRYSON BARKER |
| LONG JUMP | <u>FIRST 2 GO TO DISTRICT</u> |
| JUNIOR GIRLS | OLIVIA VALE STAR LARNACH LAUREN MORGAN |
| JUNIOR BOYS | THOMAS HEATON NOAH MCINERNEY STUART LOGAN |
| 11YR GIRLS | FINLAE WATSON / GEORGIA GREEN (Shared first) KAYLA PROKOPOVICH |
| 11YR BOYS | AARON SCHOUPP BLAIR DUNN JORDAN ERRINGTON |
| 12YR GIRLS | KIRA SMALL JACQUELINE HOLLIDAY MADISON McDONALD |
| 12YR BOYS | ALEXEI ROSSER CALEB WALKER SAMUEL ADNUM |

Friendly Kids, Friendly Classrooms

Students have been learning about positive tracking. Please take time to read the information below and discuss it with your child.
Thank You – G Jones

SHARING

It's fair to share

Interesting people show interest in others

Do's

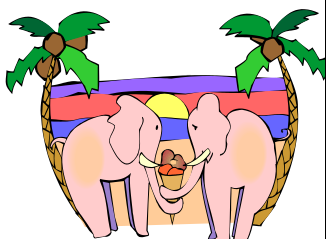
Put away or use privately anything that you can't share or really don't want to share because it's special to you, e.g. one icy pole, something a relative brought you back from a trip.

Offer to share your things when you feel that other people would enjoy them too.

If someone asks to use something of yours, say yes and show them how to use and take care of it properly, and tell them where you want it to be used.

If you and another person both want to use something that neither of you own, take turns at using it for an equal amount of time. You may need to negotiate about this.

Remember to tell people that you allow to use your things if there are special ways to care for these things.



Don'ts

Don't show off things that you are not willing to share with others.

Don't refuse to share any of your things which you show in public.

Don't hog things which don't belong to you and which other people are wanting to have a turn at.



Canteen News

NEEDING VOLUNTEER HELPERS ASAP

We need families to be really active if available any day through out the term to fill the canteen roster, you will find it under the COLA or near the uniform room alternatively call Kelly Mills on 0414 851 914 (after 5pm) or email kellymills5@bigpond.com If we are unable to have new volunteers help out this term the P&C will certainly have to evaluate if we close it down, we cannot have the same families on every week or fortnight, it's not fair. We appreciate even just once a term help if you can to keep the canteen running and providing major fundraising for our school each year. Kind regards, Kristy (Canteen Secretary)

KristyElliott [m] 0425 326 290

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| Mon | 30 Jul | HELPERS NEEDED |
| Tues | 31 Jul | CANTEEN CLOSED |
| Wed | 1 Aug | CANTEEN CLOSED |
| Thurs | 2 Aug | Vanessa Bowler, Julie Hardy |
| Fri | 3 Aug | Tanya Love |
| Mon | 6 Aug | Steve Joy |
| Tues | 7 Aug | Patsy Ross, Nicole Ficker |
| Wed | 8 Aug | CANTEEN CLOSED |
| Thurs | 9 Aug | Julie Sweeney |
| Fri | 10 Aug | Lara Jones, Ann Wallis |

Thank You.
Canteen Committee.

P&C News

School Disco

The annual RV School Disco will take place at Woonona Bulli RSL on Friday 14 September from 6pm to 8.30pm. This "whole school event" is held for all of our students from Kindergarten to Year 6 and is not a fundraiser, but a *night of fun!* Over 200 students had a great time last year and we are hoping to have even more this year. Tickets will be approx. \$7.50 each which includes 3 glow bracelets. Please keep this date free in your diary. Ticket order forms and all details will be available mid August.

Bunnings BBQ

Saturday 20 October - Please also keep this date free in your diary. We have managed to raise a lot of money over the years with the support of Bunnings Wollongong. About 20 volunteers will be needed to work 1 hour shifts during the day. It's a lot of fun and all money raised goes directly to our school.

Next P & C Meeting will take place on **Wednesday 8 August at 7pm**. Come and learn about the wonderful things happening at Russell Vale School. Coffee & tea provided and all welcome.

P & C Enquiries: Contact Julie Hardy 42 854095

Community News

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RUSSELL VALE COMMUNITY HALL

Available for Hire

Phone: **42 84 2799** (business hours) or
42 84 3742 (after hours)

The Hall is managed by Russell Vale P & C and a discount is available to all P & C Financial Members

PARKVIEW TENNIS COURT

Available for Hire

\$5 per hour or \$15 half day

Phone: Megan 0420 287 521

Court is managed by Russell Vale P & C

All hire moneys received are used to improve the Court for the benefit of our school and the local community.

RUSSELL VALE TENNIS COACHING

By David Macquire

At the adjoining Parkview Tennis Court

Bookings available for hourly lessons (\$10)
conducted before or after school.

Phone David's mobile 0422 576 306 or

Email: davidmacquire@hotmail.com



**Education
Week
Meal Deal**

**Thursday,
Aug 2nd
2012**

Parents & Friends
Welcome!
No Orders
Necessary

Sausage Sizzle - \$2
Drinks - \$1
Tea & Coffee - \$1
Tea & Coffee with
Pikelets/Cake - \$2



