This term, the Year Ones in Room 1 have been learning about Space. So far they have learned that the Earth and seven other planets are part of the Solar System. They have made their very own aliens. The students have given their aliens names and written stories about them. There is still lots to learn about Space before the term finishes and they are enjoying every minute of it!
From the Principal’s Desk

One of the down sides of our rapidly developing technological world is the misuse of social media. Cyber bullying is a real problem and one that we must all be vigilant about to reduce its impact.

Unfortunately we have had an incident of this at our school and have worked with the family involved to ensure all appropriate action was taken. The Police were informed. We will take strong action any time we see evidence of cyber bullying. A useful website where incidents of cyber bullying can be report is the Australian Cybercrime Online Reporting Network (ACORN) https://www.acorn.gov.au/. Nola Marino, our federal member of parliament, has been visiting schools to outline the many issues relating to cyber bullying. We were fortunate to book Mrs Marino to share this presentation with our senior classes on Tuesday morning. It is important that we all work together to protect our children from the damage that this form of bullying can inflict.

Another useful website to assist with learning more about cyber bullying and how best to deal with it is the Office of the Children’s eSafety Commissioner: https://www.esafety.gov.au/

We have been thrilled with the response we have received over the past two years when we have organised activities to encourage the involvement of Dads with our school. The next one of these activities is on this Thursday evening when we are holding a Dads’ Disco. We are looking forward to hosting another big crowd of Dads enjoying time with their children. We define Dad as any significant male role model in your child’s life so we also look forward to welcoming pops, granddads, uncles and partners.

All families who have provided us with an email address will receive an invitation to complete a survey about our school by the end of this week. We really value feedback from our school community and I strongly encourage you to complete this short survey to assist us in continuing to improve our school. If you don’t receive this email or would prefer to complete a hard copy of the survey, please collect from the school office from Monday 7 November. Once completed, surveys can be returned to a box in the front office so that all responses remain anonymous. Thank you in advance for providing the feedback we need.

Staff will be busy analysing student performance data at our SDD this Friday. We use this information to determine recommendations for next year’s school plans.

KIND REGARDS
GUY ASSER, PRINCIPAL

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Does your child have books sitting in their room that they have already read? Then bring them in for a BOOK SWAP, it is an inexpensive way for children to obtain new books, recycle books they’ve finished and encourage reading for pleasure.

Students may bring their lightly used books to the BOOK SWAP trolley located outside the library before school or during lunchtimes and swap for others. I.e. bring 2 books take 2 books etc. Students may swap as many books and times as they like.

Swapped books will be kept by students forever, so please make sure your child does not bring a book that they will want back. Books will be accepted under the following guidelines:

- Books must be appropriate for years Kindy-6 only
- Books must be in lightly used condition: cover on, no rips, tears, or bent edges
- Books with coloring or writing in them will not be accepted
- Coloring books, activity books, and sticker books will not be accepted

Bringing in “lightly used” books to swap for some fresh ones is a great way to get new reading material without spending any money, as well as learning about the value of recycling.

So, start looking for those unwanted but GOOD books!
**THE 2016 INTERM SWIMMING LESSONS** for students in Years PP – 6 will this year be held from MONDAY 21 NOVEMBER UNTIL FRIDAY 2 DECEMBER (10 lessons). The cost is $50.00 per student.

**THE 2017 INTERM SWIMMING LESSONS** for current students in Years Kindergarten to 5 will be held from THURSDAY 2 FEBRUARY UNTIL FRIDAY 10 FEBRUARY (7 lessons). The cost is $35.00 per student.

Payment for both sessions of Interm Swimming Lessons can now be made at the school office by cash, EFTPOS or cheque. Alternatively payment can be made by Internet banking to the school account BSB: 016560 Account Number: 340823513 (Your child’s name as detail).

**WE ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THESE TWO SESSIONS OF SWIMMING LESSONS ARE CLOSE TOGETHER BUT OUR ONLY OTHER OPTION FOR 2017 WAS JUNE.**
ADAM ROAD
50TH ANNIVERSARY
PAVERS

Etch your name in our schools history!
Up to 36 characters per paver over 3 lines (max 12 characters per line including spaces)
Forms available from the office. Please return it completed with payment (cash only) to the office by 3pm Tuesday 13th December 2016
Pavers will be available to view on our Open Day, Sunday 12th March 2017.

GIFTED AND TALENTED PROGRAMS

Parents of students in all years (particularly parents of students in Year 5, 2016) may be interested. Children with exceptional academic ability and creative talent thrive in the Gifted and Talented Programs. These unique academic, arts and languages programs provide a challenging curriculum designed to bring out the very best in your child.

Applications are open from Monday 10 October 2016 to Monday 6 February 2017.

If your child has exceptional academic ability, you can find out more at a parent information session at Bunbury Senior High School on Thursday, 10 November 2016. Bookings are essential, visit the website to confirm your attendance.

TERM 4 • DATES TO REMEMBER

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BRING HOME A BIG BROTHER OR SISTER AND BRING FRENCH CULTURE TO LIFE!

Why not volunteer to host an international student from France next year? We have a small group of delightful French students coming to Australia for 10 weeks to immerse in local Australian culture, experience our High schools, sports, environment and lifestyle. All the French students are around 15 years old, speak excellent English, have their own spending money, cover all school expenses, and we arrange all aspects of their program. They are looking forward to joining an Australian family for a short term. It’s fun and interesting to help these young people achieve their Australian dream. If you’d like know more, please email your interest to Rob at Inter Cultural Management on rl@scce.com.au

2017 January School Holidays
Yr 7-10 Head Start Program
6 hours/subject over 2 days

Get a flying start to the year
Need support? We are the school help specialists.

Learning Skills
Learn study techniques, goal setting, homework strategies, time management and many more skills to improve your year’s work.

NAPLAN Preparation
Review NAPLAN questions with help from specialist teachers who will clarify your child’s skills and how to ace a testing situation.

Essay Writing
Your child will learn how to write great essays for any subject and develop skills to improve their writing.

Foundation Maths and English
Is your child going into Year 7 or 8? This course will develop their skills in key areas, building their confidence and providing a head start to their high school studies.

Advanced Maths and Intermediate English
Is your child going into Year 9 or 10? This course will consolidate their skills and prepare them for the year ahead with extension and advanced question practice.

Have Fun With Drama
Build your child’s confidence with a range of drama activities designed to improve communication skills.

Interactive Science
Help your child discover a love of Science with interactive activities to encourage science enquiry and learning engagement.

Computer Coding
Set your child up for the future with a computer coding course perfect for beginners to budding coders.

To find out more visit: www.academictaskforce.com.au

Bunbury Summer School 2017 is a series of 100 workshops and activities for all ages from 5 upwards which runs out of the Stirling Street Arts Centre and other venues in Bunbury’s CBD, over the school summer holidays, from 9-21 January 2017. There are classes in categories ranging from Healthy Living, Drawing & Painting, Exploring Culture, Music, Dance & Performance, to Photo & Print, Pottery & Glass, Textiles & Fibres, Sculpture and Structure. Workshops and activities are all very reasonably priced and some are free. We are currently offering EARLY BIRD discounts of 10% off the catalogue price until November 27. Gift Vouchers can also be purchased in office or by phone, which will make a great Christmas gift for that hard-to-buy-for person.

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