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15 August 2023

Principal's Report

What a wonderful two weeks we have had at Cambridge Gardens Public School!

It was fantastic to have so many parents, carers and friends visit our classrooms during our Open Classroom's opportunities throughout the Education Week period. As you are aware, we offer these visits each term to provide the options for everyone to share in the classroom activities and learning of their child as well as build the connection and relationship with your child's classroom teacher.

A big shout out to Mrs Antonelli for her amazing organisation and enthusiasm around our Book Fair. We were overwhelmed by your support in purchasing books for your children. This enthusiasm for reading is infectious and so important that we encourage the joy of reading in both school and at home. A big thank you also to those staff who helped out in the running of this fantastic event! A big wow and keep up the amazing work to our Boys State Knockout Soccer team. Another win against Glenbrook and next we will face Samuel Gilbert Public School. Well done to our boys and their super coach, Mr Dearie. Good luck to the team with this Round 6 match. The winners of this match will

What a fun day we had wearing our PJs to school and having bad hair last week. Thanks to everyone for your efforts to participate and a big thanks to our P&C and Mr Tate for their organisation and promotion of this event.

move into the regional final!

A reminder to all about school procedures around medication. Please always discuss the need or necessity with your doctor around your child needing to have medication during school hours. It is quite a process of paperwork and approval for the school to have permission to administer prescribed medications. Parents or carers are welcome to drop up to school to administer medication if you can. Parents or carers must also bring medication directly to the school office and organise collection. No medication should be in student bags or delivered to the office with a hand written note. Always be aware that documentation from your doctor around medication, dosage, before or after food and timing is needed. If it appears that your child will need medication at school, please discuss with your child's doctor that the school administers medication during student eating breaks at either 11.10-11.20 or 1.20-1.30 and which time is the most appropriate. As you can imagine the school receives many such requests and it is not feasible to keep track of all medication schedules if they are spread randomly across the day. If the doctor states lunch time, the school will take this as meaning at 1.20pm. A reminder again, that parents and carers must discuss and deliver all medications with our school administration staff. Thanks for your help with this.

What an astonishing night we had at the Penrith Valley Performing Arts Festival. Our choir students were amazing singing with skill, gusto, and joy throughout their performance. What an amazing level these students have achieved and how excited and committed they are. Well done, Mrs Smith! A big shout out to our very own Steve Cochoco who entered as an individual solo item. What a staggering performance. Congratulations, Steve. We have received a number of emails from other Principals and schools congratulating Steve on his performance.

Good luck to our students who will be representing our school at the Penrith Zone Athletics carnival tomorrow. We know you will represent our school with pride and excellence. Mrs Nelson and Mr Wood will be accompanying the team tomorrow.

Have a great two weeks and looking forward to seeing all that can attend at Friday week's Book Week Parade!

Adam Wynn Principal

Current Notes

Please follow the links to all current notes and please note their closing date. Please ensure you put your child's full name and class name on all notes.

Event

Date

Closing Date

Reading Eggs 2023 – for all students

Click here to download the Reading Eggs flyer

Mathletics 2023-for all students

Click here to download the Mathletics flyer

General Voluntary Contributions

Click here to download the Voluntary Contributions flyer

Kindergarten My Chinese Program 2023

Click here to download the My Chinese Program Kindergarten flyer

Stage 1 My Chinese Program 2023

Click here to download the My Chinese Program Stage 1 flyer

Stage 2 and Stage 3 My Chinese Program 2023

Click here to download the My Chinese Program Stage 2 & 3 flyer

Class Waterloo My Chinese Program 2023

Click here to download the My Chinese Program Waterloo flyer

Class Willandra My Chinese Program 2023

Click here to download the My Chinese Program Class Willandra flyer

Stage	1	Sydney	Zoo
Excursion			Wed
6/09/2023	Due 25/08/202	3	

Click here to download the Sydney Zoo Excursion Note

Kindergarten	Calmsley	Hill	City	Farm
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31/08/2023				

Click here to download the Kinder Calmsley Hill City Farm Excursion Note

Mon 6-

Stage 3	Overnight Excursion
9/11/23	Due 15/08/2023

Click here to download the Camp Final Payment Plan note

Click here to download the Camp Behaviour Agreement flyer

Click Here to download Overnight Excursion Dietary and Medical Note

A deposit of \$100 will be required by Tuesday 14th March, 2023. Deposits are **non-refundable** as student numbers will be confirmed with the bus company on this day. Please be aware, we will confirm the final cost and update the **instalment plan below** once we have finalised accommodation and activities:

Payment ID	Payment Amount	Payment Due
Deposit (Non- refundable)	\$100	Already paid
Payment 2	\$100	Tuesday 9 th May, 2023 (week 3)
Payment 3	\$100	Tuesday 30 th May, 2023 (week 6)
Payment 4	\$100	Tuesday 20 th June, 2023 (week 9)
Payment 5	\$100	Tuesday 25 th July, 2023 (week 2)
FINAL PAYMENT	\$105	Tuesday 15 th August, 2023 (week 5)
Total Cost	\$605	Final payment due on or before Tuesday 15 th August, 2023

Please note:

For any above Excursion/Incursion Notes attached, ALL Notes must be returned by the return date of the note for the purpose of Risk Management, confirming numbers with Venues/Performers and payments received.

Online Payments cannot be made after the return date of the note. Only Cash will be accepted after the return date, as long as the note has been returned on time.

REFUNDS are not possible after the return/closing

date as all above Excursions/Incursions are priced and planned to include all students.

Kindergarten 2024 Enrolments



Attendance Matters!

Now that the sun is finally getting a bit stronger and the colder days of winter seem to be behind us, we are hoping the coughs and sniffles are gone too and it would be great to see every student back at school every day.

The expected rate for student attendance is above 95%. As you can see, even having a couple of days off makes a significant difference.



Each day here or there adds up very quickly. Missing school means your child is missing opportunities to learn and also to make those important social connections face to face. Poor attendance can also have long term impacts on a child's engagement in their learning and affect their mental health. More detailed information is det out in the attached flyer.

Let's make a big push to have every child at school every day they are well, joining in and having fun. How many can make the expected attendance rate of 95%?

Alison Patrick Assistant Principal - Attendance

Community Building Partnership Grant - Upgrades coming soon!

We are pleased to announce that we have successfully received the funds amounting to \$40,000 from the Community Building Partnership Grant. This achievement is a result of the dedicated efforts of Belinda Adams, our Vice President of the P&C. Alongside the school's funding, we are now poised to begin a new project at the front of the school within the coming month. We are excited about the introduction of a serene play space for students and a seating section for both parents and students to gather. Collaborating closely with our local AECG, we will also be incorporating a yarning circle as part of this upgrade. While these improvements are underway, there might be minor disruptions to the front section of the school. We eagerly anticipate the opportunity to share this revitalised space with you in the near future.

Daniel Attard Assistant Principal – Student Support

Kindergarten News

Kindergarten are looking forward to an action packed and entertaining day when we go on our main excursion for the year to Calmsley Hill City Farm. A reminder to all parents that this excursion will take place on Thursday 7th September and permission notes and payment for this excursion are to be received by the office on or before Thursday 31st August. Please ensure you have returned these by this date so all arrangements can be finalised.



Rose

Will Tate and Noelle Stoeckl Antonelli Classroom Teacher Assistant Principal – Early Stage 1

Stage 1 Fun!

These past few weeks have been filled with loads of learning and a whole lot of fun! It's exciting to highlight some of the fantastic events and upcoming activities that make Stage 1 such an exciting place to be.

Our Stage 1 students, along with their teachers, beamed with pride as we warmly welcomed parents, carers, family members (some even from New Zealand!) and friends into our classrooms. It was a heartwarming experience to see the joy on our children's faces as they shared their love for learning and reading with their loved ones. Thank you for joining us and making this event truly special. We also thoroughly enjoyed our Pyjama Day and Crazy/Bad Hair Day last week and got super cosy with our learning that day!

Here in Stage 1 we are also very excited about some upcoming events that are now just around the corner!

 Book Character Parade– Make sure your calendar is marked for the much-anticipated Book Character Parade on Friday 25th Our little bookworms will have the chance to dress up as their favourite literary characters and families are more than welcome to join in the excitement of the parade!

- 3. Public Speaking Program– Our K-2 students will take the stage next week in their classrooms (Week 6) for their public speaking presentations. We encourage parents to support their children as they showcase their reading skills by reciting their selected poem or excerpt. The emphasis of this program is to discover and enjoy rhymes, poems and books all whilst developing their confidence in public speaking. Two students from each class will then be selected to recite their poem at the K-2 public speaking assembly.
- 4. Sydney Zoo Excursion We are getting ready for a fun adventure to Sydney Zoo on Wednesday 6th September. Please ensure all permission notes and the \$37 payment is submitted by 25thAugust 9.30am. Having these submitted on time assists our staff to organise buses and risk management processes for the day. We thank you in advance.
- K-2 Sports Carnival Our annual K-2 sports carnival is set for Wednesday September 13th. We extend a warm invitation to parents and families to come along and cheer for our little athletes as they showcase their athleticism, sportsmanship and team spirit.

As we move forward in the term, we are excited to see our students continue to shine in their learning journey. Your support and involvement in our school community makes all the difference and we are truly grateful.



The Anxiety Project

Last week our students started a series of 7 lessons for the term to introduce a better understanding of how their body and brain work when they are feeling different emotions - stressed, anxious, worried, happy, nervous.

Kindergarten to Year 6 have discussed a specific part of the brain called the 'amygdala' which is responsible for processing and expressing emotions and is always on the look out for times where there is danger or when we feel threatened. We often call this the fight or flight part of our brain and some classes will talk about it being our reptilian brain.

Our students will continue to learn more about how their brains are growing and developing. They will also learn different strategies to calm themselves when faced with different challenges.

Casey Hetherington The Anxiety Project Coordinator

Premier's Debating Challenge

Round 3

In Week 3 our Year 5 and Year 6 debating teams competed against each other in the third round of the Premier's Debating Challenge. This was our school's first debate in front of an onsite adjudicator in over three years. The theme of these debates was 'Parents and Kids' and the topic was 'That parents should force Year 5 and Year 6 kids to do 30 minutes of chores each day'.

The Year 6 team, Hayley Mackie, Celesse Lipscombe, Kirrily Cohen and Allegra Bavaro were the affirmative. Their arguments included that it would help create a good work-ethic for students are older and that it teaches them independence and responsibility. The Year 5 team, Izzy Bowerman, Ethan Robinson, Steve Cochoco and Zachary Christie were the negative. Their arguments included that students have more important things to do like sport and spend time with family, and that kids will break things whilst doing chores and then create even more work for their parents.

It was a tight debate and it was the Year 6 team who came out on top, registering their first win for the year.

Click on photo to enlarge:

















Round 4

On the P&C's Bad/Crazy Hair and Pyjama fundraiser day, our wonderful Year 5 debating team competed in the fourth round of the Premier's Debating Challenge. They came up against Beaumont Road Public School, with the debates again being held via Zoom. The theme of this debate was 'Health and Fitness' and the topic was 'That we should force students in Year 5 and above to play one hour of sport each day after school'.

Our Year 5 team, Izzy Bowerman, Ethan Robinson, Steve Cochoco and Zachary Christie were once again the negative team. Their arguments included that students are more likely to get injured when they play that much sport and that students should have the right to choose what activities they do after school each day.

It was another very close debate, with our Year 5 team unfortunately missing out on the win. This was the Year 5 team's final debate for this year and it has been fantastic to see them learn so much and improve each round. We're looking forward to them building on what they've done in next year's competition.

Click on photo to enlarge:

James Kristof and Jeremy Dearie Debating Coordinators

Penrith Valley Performing Arts Festival - Choir

The choir had a fantastic night at the Joan Sutherland Performing Arts Festival on Tuesday 8th August 2023. They sang like professionals. The organisers were extremely impressed with how well Cambridge Gardens' students conducted themselves. Every child truly demonstrated their expert performance technique. As a special solo treat, one of our students, *Steve Cochoco* from class Krakatoa, gave a magnificent rendition of Calum Scott's *No Matter What*. One of the production team commented that "He is someone to watch out for, he will have a bright future."

The whole evening was so much fun that the teachers couldn't stop themselves from doing a little dancing backstage. We were so proud of all the choir students and celebrate their hard work in learning the words, correct notes, timing, actions and following the conductor so well.

Great work everyone.

Click on photo to enlarge:





Deborah Smith and Rose Antonelli Choir Coordinators

Sports News

Soccer Gala Day

The Soccer Gala Day took place on Tuesday the 8th and was a great day for all involved. Almost seventy students participated in six teams, playing four games each. Many goals were scored, many skills were shown, and some new skills were learned by players who were new to the game. It was great to see such great sportsmanship across the day and hear the excitement in students' voices as they shared stories with each other of what had happened in their previous match.

The soccer gala day was so much fun. Even though we lost some games everyone still had fun playing together. Theodore B.

We had SO much fun on Tuesday! Everyone was having fun playing and Mr Seargent was such a good coach! My favourite part was when we accidently went to the wrong field, making us late to our last game. Henry M.

I have never played soccer before, and I had the best time. My coach was Mr Dearie. He was such a good coach. We lost a couple of games but won some as well. I even tackled someone that wasn't my brother which I am proud of. Everyone had so much fun. Emily. K.

I play soccer outside of school, but playing with friends can be a lot more fun and I know this was. I had lots of fun playing with Mr Wood as my coach. We played for fun and I hope my team had a great time. I know I did. Hayley M. I enjoyed the Soccer Gala Day quite a lot. I play indoor with a couple of my friends but to play with all of them was extraordinary. I had a fun time being able to show a few of my skills. The smiles on my teams' faces made me happy. I know they had a fun time even though we lost a couple of games. Claire C.

The Soccer Gala Day was so fun. It was a day to have fun and show your soccer skills. There was a lot of winning. I had a lot of fun. My coach was Mr. Wood. He helped my team win most of our games. But the Soccer Gala Day was a lot of fun. I hope to go to more Gala Days. Demya S.

The Soccer Gala Day was a blast yesterday, considering I'm a person that plays Basketball. It was fun to have the ability to work as a team and have my friends and teachers around supporting me all the way and it makes me like soccer more. I definitely shout out to Mr Dearie for letting this happen and he was a great coach as well. I want to have more fun opportunities and play in more Gala days. Isaac S.

Soccer Knockout

The Boys' Soccer knockout team have progressed through to Round 6 after another great win, this time, 3-0 against Glenbrook Public School. It was a tough game with the whole team putting in their best performance so far. All three goals were scored by Steve. His first came from a perfectly placed through ball which he then slotted into the bottom left corner of the goal. The second goal was a solo effort with a powerful show coming from outside the eighteen-yard box and into the top left-hand corner of the goal to finish the first half at 2-0. In the second half, a long run from Jackson into the penalty area ended up in a foul, with Steve powerfully scoring from the penalty spot. Some great defending throughout the game from all players, but particularly from Henry meant the boys were able to keep the opposition scoreless. Well done boys. Round 6 will be played against Samuel Gilbert Public School next Wednesday. Good luck boys!

Jeremy Dearie PSSA Organiser

Library News



Character Book Parade:

The book character parade will occur on Friday 25th August from 12:15pm. Children are asked to come dressed as a character from a book they have enjoyed. Parents and family members are invited to attend to watch the parade, share in a book reading with your child and enjoy a picnic lunch with family members. For your own sanity, please begin planning what your child will come dressed as so the evening of Thursday 24th August is not a stressful evening for you and your child.

Book Fair

What a great time everyone had at the 2023 Cambridge Gardens' Book Fair. I would like to thank all families who supported the Book Fair and purchased books and novelty items from the Fair. It was a great success, with sales totalling over \$8,000.00. A percentage of this total will be gifted to the school through Ashton Scholastic and this will aid the purchase of new resources for our classrooms and library.

There were several families who kindly purchased and donated books for our library from the Book Fair. This was a wonderful gesture and a big **Thank You** to the following students and their families for their support:

Emmett Rhodes Louis Rhodes Ryan Dredge Ellery Klaassen Malachi Klaassen Hannah Rask Ryan Falconer Bremez Niko Falconer Aleman Katelyn Denis Emily Denis Ethan Clogher Max Worobiej



Premier's Reading Challenge

The Premier's Reading Challenge concludes on the 18th August. If your child has chosen to be a part of the Challenge and has not completed their online documentation, please ensure they do this before the end of the day on the 18th August.

In the last two weeks the following students have now completed the challenge:

Malachi Klaassen: Triassic, Kindergarten Matilda Bell: Aztec, Year 1 Eleonora Ziesel: Apollo, Year 1 Leah El Dirani: Vikings, Year 2 Ellery Klaassen: Vikings, Year 2 Parnika Aanugu: Byzantine, Year 3 Arya Brown: Byzantine, Year 3 Matilda Hudson: Renaissance, Year 4 Isabella Ramirez-Saw: Renaissance, Year 4 Olivia Wilkinson: Krakatoa, Year 4 Ryan Dredge: Krakatoa, Year 5 Jackson Smith: Krakatoa, Year 5 Emily Denis: Dynasty, Year 6 Katelyn Denis: Humanity, Year 6

You will receive a class award for your wonderful and persistent efforts.

The Reading Challenge allows students to record books read from the time the challenge closes to the following year's Challenge. So, keep track of this for the 2024 Challenge.

All students in Kindergarten to Year 2 will have completed the challenge with their class teacher and the assistance of the teacher/librarian. Certificates from the Premier will be received

Rose Antonelli School Teacher Librarian

Live Life Well

Riding to and from School

We are so lucky to have so many active kids able to ride their bike or scooter to and from school each day, however over the last few weeks there have been a few reports around students not following safety expectations.

We are asking all parents to please remind your children about riding to and from school safely. This include using footpaths only, dismounting and walking their bike across the crossing and walking the bike through the Gate A and into/out of the school.

Thank you for your help with this.

Casey Hetherington Assistant Principal – Health & Safety

The impacts of COVID-19 on primary school aged children from Different Cultural Backgrounds



Nutrition Snippet

FREEZER FRIENDLY SNACKS

Need healthy snacks on hand?



Make a batch of these recipes and pop them into the freezer. In the morning pack into the lunch box and the snack will be thawed and ready to eat by lunch!

* <u>Banana pikelets</u> * <u>Apple and date muffins</u> * <u>Fruit loaf</u>

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What's the UV right now?

Remember to SLIP, SLOP, SLAP, SEEK and SLIDE when the UV is 3 or above.



Canteen – Kids Pantry Canteens

P&C News

P&C NEWSLETTER



We're holding "The Big Show" School Fun Run (Colour and slime) as a major fundraising event this year! The event will be held on Friday 22nd September. We are really hoping to raise \$25,000 which will pay for additional school marquees and playground equipment. Keep your eyes peeled for the sponsorship forms which will be sent home with your child today. Once you have the form, you should sign up for a Student Profile Page at <u>schoolfunrun.com.au</u>. You'll be able to access online fundraising and can win a \$20,000 Ultimate Family Package!

Students who raise \$10 or more will receive a reward, and the more money you raise the better the reward, and the more you help the school!

We're looking for all students to participate and we're organising a great day for our community, so we'd love everyone to come down to support the kids. If you have any questions about the Fun Run please contact the School Fun Run Office on 1800 FUN RUN.

Thanks for supporting the school and we hope to see you at the event!

Contact Us

P&C are more than happy to discuss matters pertaining to the P&C. Please get in touch via Facebook or email cambridgegardenspublicschoolpandcaffiliate.org.au and we will get back to you as soon as possible. For all matters pertaining to school business, please discuss with the school via telephone or direct message on Facebook.

Katy On behalf of the P&C



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3. SELECT "TOP UP"

To add money to your account via Credit Card or Paypal, you can choose Direct Deposit but allow 3-5 working days to process prior to ordering. You can also pay as you go, simply skip the pop up screen for adding funds and start ordering.

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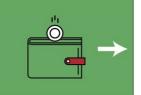


4. ORDER

To start ordering lunches simply select your Student and click "Buy Now", and you can order for the day, week. It's that simple!

5. CHECKOUT

Once you have completed your order, view your order summary in the "cart" and proceed to "checkout". Select your preferred form of payment and submit, all orders are confirmed via email.



NOTE ON PAID ORDERS Note that only paid orders will be sent to your canteen, not those still sitting in your cart. To start ordering lunches simply select your Student and click "Buy Now", and you can order for the day, week. It's that simple!



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2023

16.08.2023	Penrith Zone Athletics Carnival – at Blair Oval in St Marys
18.08.2023	Principal's Assembly Term 3 Week 5 – 9:30am, enter via Gate A, held in Area 4 on the Artificial Grassed Area. All are welcome to attend.
21.08.2023	K-2 Public Speaking Class Presentations
22.08.2023	K-2 Public Speaking Class Presentations
23.08.2023	K-2 Public Speaking Class Presentations
24.03.2023	K-2 Public Speaking Class Presentations
25.03.2023	K-2 Public Speaking Class Presentations
25.08.2023	Book Week Dress Up Day
26.08.2023	Bunnings BBQ – Year 6 Fundraiser
30.08.2023	Stage 3 Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Boys – Clontarf Visit at school
31.08.2023	Blue Mountains Nepean Dance Festival - Rehearsal
01.09.2023	Pop Up Father's Day Stall – P & C
01.09.2023	Years K-2 Assembly – Hosted by Class Apollo in the hall at 9:30am
04.09.2023	Blue Mountains Nepean Dance Festival - Evening Performance
06.09.2023	Stage 1 Excursion – Sydney Zoo, refer to notes in "Current Notes" for details
06.09.2023	Interschool Chess Challenge Semifinals
06.09.2023	Maths Olympiad & Maths Game Challenge
07.09.2023	Kindergarten Excursion – Calmsley Hill City Farm, refer to notes in "Current Notes" for details
08.09.2023	Years 3-6 Assembly - Hosted by Class Byzantine in the hall at 9:30am
08/09/2023	Blue Mountains Nepean Dance Festival - Matinee Performance
13.09.2023	K-2 Athletics Carnival

15.09.2023	Award Booklets Due for the Term 3 Week 10 Principal's Assembly. Booklets are to be given to class teachers to add to the recipient list.
20.09.2023	K-2 Public Speaking Presentation Assembly - in the Hall
22.09.2023	Principal's Assembly Term 3 Week 10 – 9:30am, enter via Gate A, held in Area 4 on the Artificial Grassed Area. All are welcome to attend.
22.09.2023	School Fun Run – P & C Fundraiser
22.09.2023	Last Day of Term 3
09.10.2023	Term 4 Commences – All Staff & Students return to school
16.10.2023	Open Classrooms Stage 2 - 9:30am to 11am
20.10.2023	Years 3-6 Assembly – Hosted by Class Babylon in the hall at 9:30am
27.10.2023	Years K-2 Assembly – Hosted by Class Triassic in the hall at 9:30am
31.10.2023	Open Classrooms Stage 1 - 9:30am to 11am
03.11.2023	Award Booklets Due for the Term 4 Week 5 Principal's Assembly. Booklets are to be given to class teachers to add to the recipient list.
03.11.2023	Years 3-6 Assembly – Hosted by Class Willandra in the hall at 9:30am
06.11.2023	Stage 3 Overnight Excursion – Leaving 06.11.2023 and return 09.11.2023
09.11.2023	Stage 3 Overnight Excursion – students return keep updated on the School Facebook page for arrival time.
10.11.2023	Principal's Assembly Term 4 Week 5 – 9:30am, enter via Gate A, held in Area 4 on the Artificial Grassed Area. All are welcome to attend.
15.11.2023	Year 6 Fun Day
16.11.2023	Open Classrooms Kindergarten – 9:30am to 11am
17.11.2023	Years 3-6 Assembly – Hosted by Class Neolithic in the hall at 9:30am
27.11.2023	Open Classrooms Stage 3 – 9:30am to 11am
28.11.2023	Cambridge Gardens In-School Chess Tournament

01.12.2023	Award Booklets Due for the final Principal's Assembly for 2023. Booklets are to be given to class teachers to add to the recipient list.
01.12.2023	Years K-2 Assembly – Hosted by Class Waterloo in the hall at 9:30am
06.12.2023	Christmas Picnic
08.12.2023	Final Principal's Assembly for 2023 - 9:30am, enter via Gate A, held in Area 4 on the Artificial Grassed Area. All are welcome to attend.
11.12.2023	Year 6 Farewell – Penrith Panthers Leagues Club 5pm to 8:30pm
12.12.2023	Christmas Coin Day Count Off-Dress Up – P & C
13.12.2023	Presentation Day
15.12.2023	Last Day of Term 4 – Students only
18.12.2023	Staff Development Day – Staff only
19.12.2023	Staff Development Day – Staff only