



Edithvale Primary School Weekly Newsletter

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Term 3—Week 3

14 May 2009

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

You may well have noticed that there is a bit of a buzz around the school at the moment as students, staff and a small band of parents are busily preparing for the Art Show opening this evening. I know that the children are very excited about displaying their talents and are looking forward to giving their family members a guided tour of their classroom. Over the past weeks, all classes have been delving into the wonderful world of astronomy. Their interests have been captured by information about planets and space exploration and their imaginations have taken hold as they contemplate life in other galaxies.

Please come along and help us celebrate the great work that goes on at Edithvale Primary School. There is also the opportunity to purchase some of the art work if you wish. All proceeds from these sales will go into providing equipment that will promote student learning at all levels.

As most of you will be aware, the Federal Government has allocated a significant amount of funding to schools as a part of the 'Building the Education Revolution Program'. I have already had preliminary discussions with people from the region about our school's needs. I will keep the school community informed as more details become available.

Denise Webster

IMPORTANT DATES—TERM 2—2009

MAY

Thursday 14th	Art Show 5:00pm ~ 7:00pm Official Opening ~6:00 pm in the school hall
Monday 18th	Education Week Monday 18th ~ Friday 22nd May Year 7 Enrolment Forms Due Back
Tuesday 19th	Education Week School Tours 9:15am
Wednesday 20th	Education Week
Thursday 21st	Education Week School Tours 9:15am
Friday 22nd	Education Week ~ Last Day Assembly 3:00pm

IMPORTANT REMINDERS FROM OUR BUSINESS MANAGER

GRADE 6 to YEAR 7 'TRANSITION'

A reminder to Year 6 parents, that application forms for enrolment at a secondary college in 2010 **MUST** be back at the school by **18 May** at the latest. Don't miss out on your choice of placement because you have failed to return your form!

ART SHOW TICKETS

Tickets for opening night **TONIGHT** are \$10 for a family of up to two adults and three children, or \$3.00 for a single ticket. Don't worry if you've forgotten to purchase yours—tickets will be available at the door of the hall, where you can begin your tour.

RAFFLE TICKETS

Thank you to those families who have returned their raffle ticket stubs and money so quickly. Extra special thanks to those who have taken more books to sell—we have one family selling 6 books at the moment. There is a prize for the family who sells the most tickets—of two Billabong Backpacks.

All tickets and money must be returned to school by Wednesday 20 May, in preparation for the draw on Friday 22 May.

Tickets will still be available for the duration of the art show, so your friends and families will have another opportunity to go into the draw for this four-day holiday in Queensland.

EDUCATION MAINTENANCE ALLOWANCE

If you haven't done so already, please come and collect your Education Maintenance Allowance cheque from the school office as soon as possible.

All unclaimed cheques are required to be returned to the Department.

Sandie Wishart



REMINDER – RAFFLE TICKETS

Don't miss out ~ you have to be in it to win it.

Please return your raffle tickets and money by 20th May.



CANTEEN NEWS

Thanks to those people who have purchased lunch bags. They will be continually sold throughout Term 2. Parents and students, please remember to put your name and grade on the paper bags.

Cup-a-soup is now also available with lunch orders for \$1.00. We have 'tomato' or 'cream of chicken'.

Thanks helpers for this week and thanks to Jo for helping me out last week.

Year 6 students will be assisting with window sales starting next week. Please check the roster in your classrooms

Diane
Canteen Manager

TERM 2 CANTEEN ROSTER—MAY

Monday 18th Kris Henricks	Thursday 21st Gordona Zaradic
Tuesday 19th	Friday Chris Topham

WORKING BEE

We'd like to say a big thank you to the following families who came along to help at our Working Bee last Saturday. Your help enabled us to get so much done.

The Ford Family

The Taylor Family

The Sewell Family

Brendon Pearson

Katelyn and Leanne Ingram

Catherine Jamieson

Peter Teesdale

The Milne Family

Barb Sharp

The McShortall Family

Denise Webster

Alice Davies

The Kugimiya Family





Art SHOW



On show from
15th–22nd May
(during school hours)
Creative
student art
with an astronomy
theme.

Grand Opening

featuring artists from the community.

Thursday 14th May from 5 - 7pm.
(Official opening 6pm).
Everyone welcome.



Family tickets
\$45 each or
\$150

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Edithvale Rd, Edithvale
*Family tickets valid for 2 adults & 3 children

**SEE YOU ALL
AT THE
INAUGURAL
ASTRONOMICAL ART
SHOW TONIGHT**