



SUNBURY WEST PRIMARY SCHOOL



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TRIVIA NIGHT

TRIVIA NIGHT SATURDAY 30TH AUGUST

GET YOUR TABLES READY

MORE INFORMATION TO COME.

Dear Parents, Staff and Children,

Cookie Dough:

The Cookie Dough orders have now been placed and are expected to be delivered on Wednesday the 18th June. Due to the ordering procedure there will be a limited number of spares, these will be available next Wednesday afternoon if you are interested please see Jan at the office to see what is available. Payment is required to secure your order.

Allergies:

We have 9 children currently enrolled who have life threatening allergic reactions should they contact nuts or even make contact with people who have handled products containing nuts. We have minimised the risks in our canteen by not selling peanut butter sandwiches or nut contaminated products. Teachers speak to their children about allergies in general and relate that conversation to specifics within the room where appropriate.

Other parents can help by supporting our nut free environment. This means avoiding or minimising lunch fillings or snacks which contain nuts or nut residue and also ensuring Art room donations aren't boxes or packaging of similar products.

Reporting Time:

Over the last weeks, classroom teachers and specialist have been busy writing reports on the achievement of children during the first semester of this year. I would like to thank them on your behalf for their great efforts. In the last week both Stephen and I have had the opportunity to read all reports. In reading the reports the following has been noticed:

- The great achievements / improvements of our children.
- The attendance of children. In the past this was a minor concern for the school but it was very pleasing to note in the significant drop in absenteeism with now many of our school children having missed only one or no days in the first semester. *Congratulations to parents for your support in this improvement.*
- Reading through the student comments, it was really pleasing to read how the children are excited about coming to school and learning and really appreciating the stimulating learning experiences which their classroom teachers and specialists are providing for them.

Next week all parents have the opportunity to meet with classroom teachers to discuss their child's progress so far this year. Parents are reminded that these interviews are for **15 minutes only** and if additional time is needed to discuss an issue or elements of their child's report, Parents can make a further appointment outside these meeting times with their child's teacher.

Frank Devlin

TIMELINE TERM TWO / THREE

JUNE

13th Winter Sports
16-19th Parent/Teacher Interviews
23rd Gr 5/6 Sovereign Hill
26th Yr 1 Aladdin Performance 7.15pm
27th **Term Two Ends 2.30pm.**

JULY

25th 3/4 SM Animal Land Tree Planting
29th Sunbury Schools Combined Curriculum Day -**No School**
29th-1st Yr 5 Camp Halls Gap
31st Yr 2 Mary Poppins Performance 7.15pm.