Swimming Carnival

Congratulations Guise on another fantastic swimming carnival!!!

The behaviour of the children was fantastic and it was great to see teachers and parents chipping in to make sure every child had a fantastic day!!

Well done to the race winners and all of the children who participated and ‘had a go’.

P & C Annual General Meeting

I look forward to all parents attending the P&C AGM on Wednesday 19 February in the community room (behind the canteen). This is a chance to elect your P&C executive and to pay your $1 membership to enable you to vote as part of the P&C throughout the year.

Last year the P&C raised over $1500 thanks to the dedication of their members and the support of the families of the school.

I hope to see you there.

Welcome Kindergarten

Welcome to our new enrolments this year, in Kinder and other grades.

We are in the lucky position here at Guise to have very small numbers in each class - no class has more than 23 children!! This means very individualised learning for each child.

There is still room for more though so if you know of any one who has moved into the area, invite them to come and visit. All new enrolments receive a voucher which entitles them to receive a uniform for their child for free!!

Piano

We have an old piano which has a broken wheel which is free to anyone who wishes to see if they can get it fixed and use it. I am unsure about the condition of the rest of the piano but I’m happy if you’d like to come and have a look.

Also, we have a piano in reasonably good shape. If you have some skills playing the piano and are interested in teaching the kids please let me know.

Award System

We are introducing a new award system this year. See the next few pages for a detailed description or read through the whole School Discipline Policy on our website www.guise-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/.

Have a great week!

Debby Meredith
NEW AWARD SYSTEM
In 2014 we are introducing a new award system. This school-wide system is used to reward academic achievement as well as application, effort, participation and to encourage students.

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All awards are accumulative across years. Children new to the school will receive an estimation based on the grade they first start the school.

Children to hand awards into the office as they are collected.

Assembly awards to be handed out weekly and will be named in the newsletter.

Gold award recipients and their parents will be invited to a Principal’s morning tea each term.

INDUCTION CEREMONY
All parents are invited to an Induction Ceremony for the 2014 school leaders.

Details: Tuesday 18th February
School Hall 12.30pm
Campbelltown Performing Arts High School
Beverley Road, Campbelltown

Year 7, 2015 Information Evening
12 February, 2014 at 6.30pm

Campbelltown Performing Arts High School has a strong focus on academic achievement, innovative 21st century learning, excellence in the performing arts, leadership and wellbeing programs and well-resourced technology and classroom facilities.

CPAHS is one of 80 Global Microsoft Mentor Schools in recognition of exceptional learning programs, and has been selected by the Australian Institute for Teaching and School Leadership as one of two NSW Lab Sites for educational excellence. CPAHS received the 2013 Director Public Schools NSW School Award for Campbelltown and has also received awards for excellence in performing arts, technology, educational research, leadership, Indigenous education and professional learning.

Parents and students are welcome to attend an evening that will provide an opportunity for prospective students & families to meet key personnel, develop an understanding of the school’s programs and subjects, tour the school’s state-of-the-art facilities, and gain information about the enrolment and audition process.

Auditions for Year 7, 2015 will be held on 24th, 25th & 26th March 2014 in the areas of dance, drama, music (vocal and instrumental) and circus arts.

Application forms will be available on the Information Evening or our school website www.cpahs.nsw.edu.au

Audition applications close 28th February 2014.
For more information please call Mrs Seton on 02 4625 1403
Guise Public School : Change of Parent / Carer contact details

Child’s Name: __________________________________ Class: ____________

New Address: _____________________________________________________________________

New / altered Phone Numbers:
Home: ________________________________
Mum’s work: ___________________________ Mobile: _______________________________
Dad’s work: ___________________________ Mobile: _______________________________

Emergency contacts:
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