

BY-ELECTION DAY CAKE STALL

Saturday, 23rd February 2008
Starts 8am

Cake kits were sent home today. If you could please deliver cakes to room S4 (German Room) Friday morning, ready for pricing that would be fantastic. Or if you have a spare hour on Friday from 11am to help price cakes, we would really appreciate it.

Helpers are needed on the morning of 23rd February from 8am - 12 noon to sell the cakes. If you have a spare hour we would love to see you, the roster is currently in canteen.

Thank you P&C Fundraising Team

Treasurer's Desk

Thanks to the support of the many wonderful families at Bull Creek Primary School and the wider school community in 2007 the P & C main fundraising events have raised over \$19,000. Some of the projects this money was allocated to included:

Library Refurbishment	\$10,000.00
Library Books	\$ 2 000.00
Year 7 Graduation	\$ 250.00

Congratulations, what a great effort!
Jayne Jones, Treasurer (2007)

Uniforms

Uniform Shop Hours:
Tuesday 8.45-9.30 am

Any queries, please contact me on 9332 7303.
Regards, Julie Breuer, Uniform Coordinator.

Laminating

Are your children's precious artwork and certificates stuck on the fridge and getting damaged? How about protecting them by having them LAMINATED here at school?

Prices are very reasonable at:

\$1.50 for A4, \$3.00 for A3, \$1.00 for A5.

We are also able to laminate larger sizes (poster size) - prices on request. Payment is made in the form of a contribution to the school and volunteers do the laminating.

Next P & C Meeting—Everyone Welcome!
Monday 17th March 2008, at 7.30pm in the staffroom.

Snack Shack Snippets

Canteen Volunteer Reminders

Monday 25 February	9:15-11:15 9:15-1:15	Nani L Lyn H
Tuesday 26 February	9:15-11:15 9:15-11:15 11:15-1:15	Need Help Need Help Lindy W
Thursday 28 February	9:15-1:15 9:15-11:15 11:15-1:15	Kay R Anita V Help Needed
Friday 29 February	9:15-11:15 9:15-11:15 11:15-1:15 11:15-1:15	Coralie S Help Needed Judy C Help Needed

Regards, Pauline Hough, Canteen Manageress

WACSSO NEWS

Internet Safety Presentation

In 2007 several parents from Bull Creek attended seminars regarding Internet Safety and awareness for our children. There was also a keynote presentation at the WACSSO Conference. The information presented was amazing and something we felt other parents would be interested in. The problem was, how to find someone to do a presentation to our parents.

The Fremantle East District has organized for Susie Pope from Extra Edge Community Services to present an information session for parents on how to stay safe on the Internet.

Tuesday 11th March, 7.30pm
at Rossmoyne Senior High School.

Please RSVP to Mike Cox, WACSSO State Councillor on 9271 7622 (office hours) or 0414 549 725 or email: fremantleeast@wacssso.wa.edu.au.

School Council Training

Willetton Primary School
Tuesday, 4th March 2008 7 - 8.30pm

Classifieds

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Contact Leah Rudrum 9310 5425 or 0427 128 656.

P&C NEWS

Bull Creek Primary School

21 February 2008

Your P&C in 2008...

Thank you to all those parents who attended our Annual General Meeting on Monday night, it was great to see some new faces! Many of the positions were filled on the night, with several committee members taking on new roles. In our next issue we will include the photographs of people who have taken on coordinators roles so that you can become familiar with the committee of 2008.

Special thanks to the following people who have taken on positions: Judy Campion - P&C Treasurer; Anita Viney - Canteen Treasurer; Julie Breuer - Uniform Coordinator; Sarah Appleton - School Council Rep; Anne Wetmore - Amenities Centre; Kay Ruddy - Fundraising Coordinator; Meagan Hanson - P&C News; Tracey Crotty - WACSSO Rep; and Jan Armstrong - Laminating Coordinator. Its great to have some new blood coming in and taking on positions.

We are still in need of a Secretary and Grounds Committee Coordinator, so if you think you might be interested in either of these vital positions please contact either myself or speak to one of the other committee members. There is also some behind the scenes discussion going on about some of the other roles, on which we will be giving updates very soon!! The P&C consists of people just like you who are working in a volunteer role to support our school.

Kind Regards, Kerrie Rudrum (phone 636 11702).

SWIMMING TRAINING HAS BEGUN!

Tuesdays @ ZEST: 7.15-8.00 AM \$2/CHILD



Congratulations to all those parents and students who managed to make the 7.15am arrival for swimming training at Zest on Tuesday!! We had about 32 swimmers which was a great start to the training sessions. Special thanks must go to Ben Tisdale for organising the training, to Stephen Pascoe for providing the coaching expertise and to Donna Watts for agreeing to be our other qualified supervisor. Also thank you to Pauline Hough, Judy Campion and Anita Viney for pulling together a breakfast for the swimmers at such short notice!

Swimming training is open to all students from years 4 to 7 who are capable of swimming 25 metres. A parent permission slip must be returned for your children to participate, including what level your child has passed through the Department of Training & Education Swimming and Water Safety.

Please remember this is training not swimming lessons and it is the parent's responsibility to ensure your child makes their way to school after training!



A notice from the State School Teachers' Union (SSTUWA)

Currently the SSTUWA is negotiating with the Government for improvements to the salary and conditions of teachers and administrators. A key aspect of the negotiations is addressing concerns we have about workload. Many hours of voluntary unpaid work are put in by teachers and administrators to support students and school communities throughout Western Australia (e.g. develop policy, attend PD, organise excursions, purchase equipment, attend meetings).

Currently, to draw attention to his fact and to support out negotiations teachers and administrators are working-to-rule. This means they will not participate in any extra out-of-hours unpaid work.

We would appreciate your support for our efforts in improving conditions for your teachers and administrators and our students. Please:

- Contact your local MP register your support
- Tell your teachers you support them
- Sign and post a *Postcard to the Premier*

Remember: *Teachers' working conditions are our students' learning conditions*