



The Weekly Bulletin

Guildford Grammar School

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COMBINED SCHOOL NEWS

PRIZEGIVING 2007 All senior students are expected to attend prize giving and we look forward to having family guests join us on this special occasion. At this year's prize giving we will be launching our new DVD Prospectus. There will also be a beautiful pictorial record of 2007 at GGS in which most students will feature! Book this night in your calendar now! Tuesday 4 December.

P&F – 2008 COMMITTEE: Following the P&F General Meeting held on Monday 19 November 2007, the P&F Committee for 2008 is as follows: President: Philip Lucas; Vice President: Simon Stokes; Treasurer: Barbara Gray; Secretary: Neil Chivers
Senior School Parent Representatives: Boarders' Parents' representative – tba, Linda Hillgrove, and Andre Faulkner.
Preparatory School Parent Representatives: Sharon Eadon, and Darryl Trease; The President of the Ladies' Auxiliary (Petula Leighton), the President of FOPS (Ruth Warden), the President of FOGM (Janelle Harvey), and the President of the Guildford Art Supporters (Lianne Gianoli) are also members of the Committee. The Headmaster, the Head of the Senior School, the Head of the Preparatory School, and the School Council Nominee (Peter Sage) are ex-officio members of the Committee. Please direct any queries to the Secretary on 9271 7509 or by e-mail at the address: pf@ggs.wa.edu.au

LILAC HILL FESTIVAL CRICKET MATCH.....TWO TICKETS LEFT!!!

Contact: Graeme Plummer, GGS Community Relations Office, gplummer@ggs.wa.edu.au

SECOND HAND TEXT BOOK TRADING: Reminder to Year 12 students - Receiving (Mon & Tue) and Sale (Wed) of text books – 3rd, 4th & 5th December. Parent volunteers required to staff book service – 3rd, 4th & 5th December

The P&F Society is seeking volunteers to assist in providing this service during the last week of term. If you are able to help, please complete the form in the information letter being mailed out in November or telephone Ron or Jayne Gamble on 9291 6960.

FOPS: GUILDFORD GRAMMAR SCHOOL TEA TOWELS: Guildford Grammar School Tea Towels for sale. Perfect Christmas presents for relatives and friends. There are a limited number remaining. Price: 1 x \$15; 2 x \$12.50; 3 or more \$12.50ea. Order forms are available from Prep Admin.

FR ROY GILBERT: Fr Roy Gilbert would like to thank the members of the school community for their prayers and best wishes while he was in hospital. He is now making good progress.

ADVENT CAROL SERVICE: The Advent Carol Service listed in the calendar for 7.30pm, Friday 30 November has been changed to 5.45pm. The Sunday Advent Carol Service listed for 7.30pm has been cancelled.

TUTORING: Consumer Protection suggests parents should contact their child's teacher before buying an expensive tutoring program. The Commissioner for Consumer Protection is urging parents to contact their child's teacher about their needs before buying an expensive home tutoring program that may not match what is being taught or assessed at school. In September, the Minister for Consumer Protection, Sheila McHale, warned parents about the high-pressure selling of computer based home tutoring.

STRUCTURED WORKPLACE LEARNING 2008: KEY FEATURES of the WORKLINK PROGRAM

1. The student requires 120 hours of training (15 x 8hr days) to complete the skills list.
2. No payment is involved. The employer provides the Structured Workplace Learning as a community service and to help young people improve their career choices.
3. The Program can assist employers to offset current national skill shortages – and to develop a 'pool' of possible trainees for the future.
4. All students enrolled in Worklink have been interviewed for selection by a panel (industry person, parent/community person, teacher from another school).
5. If we can match a student with your business/industry, then that student will need to satisfy you in a 'standard interview situation' before your final acceptance to offer a Structured Workplace Learning placement for the designated period.

Are you able to assist a young person in this vital and innovative industry-education initiative?

If you can assist and are willing for the Worklink Team to follow-up with you (in a brief, personal interview over the next 2/3 months) - please contact Diana Griffiths - Worklink School Liaison, 93779266

2008 MUSIC LESSON APPLICATION FORMS AND MUSIC PERFORMANCE CALENDAR

All relevant forms for 2008 Music at Guildford will be POSTED to all students mid-December. Please disregard 2007 application forms and program information and watch for the updated Music publication that will arrive in the mail.

Prep Carols Services – Wednesday 28th and Thursday 29th November: Performed by Combined Prep School Choirs and the Senior School Brass Ensemble. Performers are to arrive by 6pm.

Speech Night – Music Rehearsal/Sound check on the main stage at 5.30pm (Tuesday 4 December)

All members of the Concert Band and G Jazz are expected to attend this brief sound check, including Year 11 and 12.

Prep and Senior School Music Hire Instruments – return information

All music instruments are required to be returned by THIS FRIDAY 30th November. All Senior School Hire instruments are to be returned to Mrs Ledger in the Music Office while all Year 6 and 7 Class Music instruments are to be returned to Mr Sunman.

Congratulations to Ambrose Bonnaire-Sargeant for receiving a Credit on his recent 8th Grade Clarinet Exam

Congratulations to the following successful auditionees of the 2008 Guildford Grammar/Perth College Senior Concert Band Levi Aumua, Tom Wale, James Gillespie, Callum Fitzpatrick

FOR FULL DETAILED INFORMATION ON THE COLLEGE MUSIC PROGRAM, PLEASE VISIT THE COLLEGE WEBSITE at www.ggs.wa.edu.au and find the Current Music Update, located on the 'News and Events' drop down menu.

SENIOR SCHOOL NEWS

YOUTUTOR IS BACK NEXT YEAR! Extended hours now include Sunday! Yoututor is an Australian-wide online tutoring service where students learn using their medium of choice. Students connect via the Internet to professional, background checked, Australian educated tutors for one-to one assistance with core subjects, including **English, maths, science, assignment research and study skills. Getting started.** Look for a flier enclosed with your booklist. Pay just **\$65** with your school fees to have access **Sunday to Friday, 5-9 pm** during terms and school holidays @ yoututor.com.au

GGG WINS THE DAY IN THE SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING CHALLENGE 2007: This year some of our best Year 9 science students formed a team to represent Guildford Grammar School at the inaugural Science and Engineering Challenge which is attended by some 50 schools across the State and Metropolitan area. Students work in groups and are challenged with a number of different tasks that require lateral thinking, problem solving skills, ingenuity, an understanding of science knowledge and of course efficient, cooperative team work in order to solve. The team consisted of 32 boys and was managed the two Mr Foster's. They each received a Winners Medallion, Engineering Australia cap and a team photograph. The School received a special attractive shield to go on display and to commemorate the win. The pool in which Guildford competed included: Wesley College, Perth Modern - Gifted and Talented, Christ Church Grammar, Scotch College, Perth College, St Stephen Duncaig, John XX111, Lesmurdie Senior High School, Murdoch College. Guildford (1769.62 points) was placed second in the overall competition, being narrowly defeated by Applecross SHS (1780.75 points)

LIBRARY HOURS: The library will be closing at 5.30pm from Wednesday 28 November until Tuesday 4th December.

RUGBY: Please note that a number of boys have yet to pay for the chocolates. Please have this completed by Friday. Rugby Tour 2008: All boys in Years 10 and 11 must see Mr Plummer Monday 3 December in the Dining Room at 3.30 Meet the coaches!

2008 "GO FORWARD" SWIM CAMP: The GGS Swimming Camp will be held from Monday 28 - Thursday 31 January 2008. Information and enrolment forms are available from the Guildford Blues Swimming Club website: www.guildfordblues.com.au or by contacting Steven Morris on 9377 9226. Enrolments for this camp are due on Tuesday 18 December.

STATE POOL LIFE SAVING CHAMPIONSHIPS: On Saturday Matt and Mitchell competed in the State Pool Life Saving Championships which was an event run by the Australian Royal Life Saving Association. Matt won 3 gold medals out of 4 events for the under 16 age group (we left before the 4th event results were given) which makes Matt the state champion for his age group. Mitchell won 3 gold medals for the under 14 age group which also makes him the state champion. Mitchell was also able to enter in some under 16 events and won 2 bronze medals in that category.

SPORTS RESULTS Guildford vs Hale Mid School Cricket vs Scotch Date: 24th November

Basketball	GGG	Hale	Comment
1st V	41	83	Rylands, Smith, Outram
2nd V	37	54	Eaton, Bentley, Kim
3rd V	5	43	Ng, Driscoll, Davies
9A	23	75	Delnatte, Schedlbauer, Ugle
9B	14	80	Hyams, Phillips, Ryder, Watson
8A	28	72	Kerimi, Zappavigna, Healey
8B	8	40	Nary, Paterson
Cricket	GGG	Hale	Comment
1st XI	7 / 155	8 / 238	Wilson 73*, Hansen 43, Harrison 2-38, Gray 2-38
2nd XI	174	245	Sara 54, Finnigan 3-36
3rd XI	52	7 / 108	McDowell 14* & 1-21, Bartlett 3-22
Mid School	GGG	Scotch	Comment
9A	114	6 / 138	*
9B	6 / 148	5 / 197	Greenwall 50, Purslowe 29
8A	5 / 169	6 / 160	Hutton, Wilson
8B	52	7 / 108	Read 3-12 (seven overs), Weston 11, Gass9
Tennis	GGG	Hale	Comment
1st VIII	2 (56)	22 (139)	A good effort from whole team.
2nd VIII	4	20	Leventhal, Pavlovich
3rd VIII	2	22	Fleay, Saw, + Year 9 fillins
9A	59	93	Bell, Cook, Ridout, Brown, Pilkington
9B	44	91	Swaney, Monroe
8A	56	88	A good gutsy effort by all.
8B	49	96	Well played against an undefeated team.
Volleyball	GGG	Hale	Comment
Senior A	0	3	*
Senior B	0	3	*
Senior C		Forfeit	*
Waterpolo	GGG	Hale	Comment
Senior A			Munday, Bara, Blair
Senior B			Mirco, Wale, Chapman

SENIOR SCHOOL REMINDERS

Wednesday 28 Yr 10 Examinations conclude. No Yr 11 classes
 Thursday 29 No Yr 10 / 11 classes Thursday/Friday
 History Tour departs through to 20/12
 Friday 30 Advent Carol Service, 5.45pm
 Sunday 2 Holy Communion, 9.00am (Advent Sunday)
 Monday 3 Examination Review Day Yr 10 / Yr 11
 P&F second hand books sales
 Tuesday 4 Prize Giving Day: Classes for Yr 8/9/10
 Senior School Presentation Rehearsals, 6.00pm – 7.00pm
 Senior School Prize Giving, 7.30pm – 9.05pm

FOUND

Below are items found over the course of Term 4.

1 black backpack	1 multi-coloured towel
1 Dymock's bag containing 2 novels and a Harry Potter bag	1 GGS pullover
1 olive green sweatshirt	1 GGS tracksuit top
1 black top with hood, eagle motif	1 dark blue t-shirt
1 pair of white and black <i>Reebok</i> boots with red studs	1 white and black sports sock
1 pair GGS bathers	1 navy blue swimming rash top
1 exercise book (128 pages) containing Biology notes	1 GGS backpack
1 GGS pullover with the initials "MH"	1 GGS pullover
1 GGS pullover with rip around neck	1 purple Diesel t-shirt
1 sum of money (found near Tuckshop)	1 pair GGS long socks
1 dark blue "Integrated" water bottle	1 black flip <i>Motorola</i> mobile phone
1 sum of money (found near Bus Stop)	1 pair of black Puma football boots with white and red
1 pair of black and white Puma King football boots	1 rubber-backed tartan picnic rug
1 pair of navy blue Nike Air Zoom football boots	1 pair of white sports socks
1 pair of black Puma football boots with white and red trim	1 blue <i>Etnies</i> thong
1 GGS tog bag with horse-head tag	1 pair of white Puma cricket trousers labelled "M. Dalton"
1 navy blue swimming rash top	1 orange lanyard with empty ID wallet
1 navy blue skirt labelled "Frankey Walker"	1 pair white GGS cross country/athletics shorts

These items can be claimed from the School Marshal.

PREPARATORY SCHOOL NEWS

STAFF VACANCIES:

Due to increasing enrolments the Guildford Grammar School Out of School Hours Care Centre is moving to larger premises. Therefore, two newly created permanent part time positions have been created.

Playleader/Cook

min. 25 hrs per week during term time and as directed during school holidays

Before School Care – 6.30am to 8.30am (approx. 20 children)

After School Care – 2.30pm to 5.30pm (approx. 60 children)

This position will suit a person who has experience in catering for large groups. You will be in charge of the kitchen and will, in discussion with the Centre's Coordinator, set weekly menus. You will prepare breakfasts and well balanced afternoon snacks. Knowledge of nutritional values and dietary requirements will be a definite advantage.

Playleader

Min 15 hrs per week during term time and as directed during school holidays

After School Care – 3pm to 6pm

This person will be in charge of a specific room, set out arts/crafts and sports activities age appropriate to the children's age group and will assist the Coordinator in setting the weekly programs, provide a warm and caring atmosphere for the children. Knowledge of the Child Care Regulations (OSHC) and the National Standards for Quality Assurance will be an advantage.

Both positions will be paid as per the Playleaders Award

The Centre forms part of Guildford Grammar School, which greatly supports the OSHC

The successful candidates will join a very cohesive and happy team of Playleaders

For further information, please contact the Centre's Coordinator Magda Heijmans on 9377 9290 or send your application per email to mheijmans@ggs.wa.edu.au or post to Ms M Heijmans,

11 Terrace Road Guildford WA 6935. Applications to be received by Friday 14 Dec. 2007

GRAND PARENTS DAY PHOTOS

The photographs taken of this event on 02/11/2007 are now available for viewing and ordering on the website; www.festival-photo.com.au. We plan to have copies of these photos available for viewing in Prep Admin at the end of this week. Photographs orders will not be accepted via Admin however.

SEMESTER TWO REPORTS

All students received their Semester Two report today. Any reports not distributed, due to student absence, can be collected from Preparatory Administration.

END OF YEAR EXCURSION DAY

Excursion Day for students from K-7 is on Friday 30 November. This is the final day for students in K, Year 1, 2 and 3.

PRIZE GIVING

All students from years 4-7 are expected to attend the Preparatory School Prize Giving and we look forward to family guests joining us on this special occasion. At this year's prize giving will be the launching of our new DVD prospectus.

PREP CAROL SERVICES

Wednesday 28 November for East and West Quarters

Thursday 29 November for North and South Quarters

Commencing @ 6.30pm in the School chapel. Students in Years 1-7 wear Best Summer uniform. Blazers are not required for students in Years 4-7. A collection of non perishable food items, for Anglicare, will take place during the Services-all families are encouraged to participate. A light supper will be available following the Services.

YEARS 4 -7 SPORT

Please return your 2008 sports choice forms by Thursday 29 November. There will not be any after school training for Year 4-7 students on Monday 3 December.

STAGECOACH IS ENROLLING NEW STUDENTS FOR TERM 1 2008 NOW. Please call Serena Kipling, Principal on 9322 6300 (10% off fees will be given to new students who enrol before 20/01/08). NB. All existing students have automatically been re-enrolled in to the Term 1/08 registers. Please note that the last day of term for 2007 is Friday 14th December 2007.

OUT OF SCHOOL CARE NEWS

End of School Year arrangements: Monday 3 December - Centre open **all day** for Kindergarten to Year 3 children; Before and After School Care as usual for Year 4 to Year 7.

Tuesday 4 December - Centre open **all day** for Kindergarten to Yr 3 children; Before School Care and end of year Early Closure 12.30pm.

2008 START OF THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR: The Out of School Care will open at 12 noon for the first three weeks of Term 1 to accommodate the Pre Primary early closures. Booking essential and normal fees will apply. Please ensure your child is enrolled for next School Year. 2008 Enrolment forms are available from the Centre or the Preparatory School Reception. Current students attending the Centre need to re-enrol and their details updated with the new 2008 form.

VACATION CARE: Commences on Wednesday, 5 December 2007. December Programmes are now available from Prep Admin and Out of School Care. Programme will conclude on Thursday, 20 December to resume on Wednesday, 2 January '08. January 2008 Vacation Care program is now available from the Centre or the Preparatory School reception

2008 - MEET THE TEACHER NIGHT: Tuesday, 19 February, Centre open from 6.30pm to 9.30pm. Fees apply.
Bookings for any of the above sessions is essential.

TUCKSHOP NEWS

The Tuckshop will be open on Monday, 2 December for lunch for Years 4 - 7. The menu for the day will be toasted sandwiches, sausage rolls and drinks. Morning Tea will be available on both Monday and Tuesday. We would like to take this opportunity to thank all the parents who have supported the Tuckshop this year and we wish you all the best for the holiday season.
 Lesley & Robyn

TUCKSHOP ROSTER NOVEMBER

Thursday 22 Helen & Sam
 Friday 23 Gina Chivers
 Monday 26 Belinda Sexton
 Tuesday 27 Margaret Tomlinson
 Wednesday 28 Lou & Andrea
 Thursday 29 Kate McKellar
 Friday 30 Excursion Day

SPORT REPORT: FRIDAY 23 NOVEMBER 2007

Guildford Grammar Preparatory School Vs Christ Church Grammar

Sport	Team	Result	Scores	Comments
Cricket	1 st	Won	GGPS 9-79 defeated CCGS 10-67	Alex Graham almost single-handedly won the game. Top score 22 and 4-2 with the ball. Brilliant!
Cricket	2 nd	Won	GGPS 6 for 103 defeated CCGS 8-76	Sam Kingston 3-10 Chris Martin 1-2 and 15 runs Will Riley 18 no
Cricket	5A	Won	GGPS 80 runs:Christ Church 28	A good finish to the season.
Flippaball	A	Lost	14 – 8	Battled very strongly against a team of excellent swimmers
Flippaball	B	Lost	6 – 1	Tried very hard and performed well
B/Ball	A	Won	45 – 12	A good team effort
B/Ball	B	Won	18 – 9	Dominated early but individual fitness levels need improving
B/Ball	C	Lost	16 – 10	Played well but make the most of scoring opportunities
B/Ball	D	Lost	14 – 4	Tried hard but also didn't make the most of scoring opportunities.
Tennis	All	Lost	7.5 sets to 2.5	A good effort against a strong team

Next week there are no formal fixtures except for the 1st Cricket XI who are playing Trinity on Collison Oval. Other teams will play scratch matches.

CONGRATULATIONS to Christian Martin (3H) for being selected in the Swan Districts Under 9 State Tee Ball Team and to Matthew Puddicombe (3H) for the Under 10s team.

PREPARATORY SCHOOL REMINDERS

NOVEMBER/DECEMBER

Thursday 29 Special Assembly
 North/South Carol Service
 Friday 30 Excursion Day Years K - 7
 Final Day for Years K - 3
 Monday 3 Orientation & Information morning for
 Kindy & Pre Primary 2008
 Tuesday 4 Prep Prize Giving Ceremony 11.00am
 Priestley Hall, Years 4 - 7
 Term ends 12.30pm Years 4 – 7

PREP SCHOOL PHOTOS

Photos are now available to view online for Pirates Gold and both the Athletics and Cross Country Carnivals at www.ggs.wa.edu.au/preparatory_school/preparatory school photographs.