



The Weekly Bulletin

Guildford Grammar School

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PARENTS & FRIENDS NEWS

P & F MEETING: ALL WELCOME

COMPUTER SAFETY DISCUSSION AND VALUES FORUM, MONDAY 19 NOVEMBER 2007

The P&F will be holding an Annual General Meeting (AGM) on Monday 19 November 2007 at 7:30pm. Immediately following the AGM will be a General Meeting at which an election of office bearers for 2008 will be undertaken. All positions, except for the School Council Nominee, will be declared vacant. Positions available are: President, Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary, and Senior School Parent Representatives (3 positions including Boarders' Parents' Association Representative), and Preparatory School Parent Representatives (2 positions). Nominations for Committee positions and any queries are to be directed to the Secretary by e-mail (pf@ggs.wa.edu.au) or telephone (9271 7509).

The meeting will be held in the Kiernan Lecture Theatre. A forum on Values and a discussion of Computer Safety will follow election of officers. The Values Forum links the School's community developed values to the National Values for Australian Schools. This is an opportunity for the Guildford Grammar School community to discuss our core values and understand how these are included in our curriculum.

SECOND HAND TEXT BOOK TRADING

Reminder to year 12 students - Receiving (Mon & Tue) and Sale (Wed) of text books – 3rd, 4th & 5th December.

Good luck to those students sitting the TEE, but remember after the exams that you can recover some **money** by selling your text books **and any associated CD ROMS or cassettes (books will not be accepted without them)** to the P&F Society on 3rd and 4th December, rather than ceremonially burning them!

WORKBOOKS will only be accepted if CLEAN!

Some English novels not on the list may be accepted eg: SISTER KATE, FRANKENSTEIN, so turf out your older brother's old copies. Calculators will **NOT** be accepted for sale.

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 NEWS

Parent Liaison Information Morning Tea

Craig Wheatley and FOPS extends an invitation to the current 2007 Parent Liaisons and also to any parents who are interested in fulfilling the role of Parent Liaison for 2008. This will be held on **Thursday, 15 November 8.30am in the Armstrong Gardens** at the Prep School. This is a wonderful opportunity to chat to parents who have experienced the role and can offer advice and suggestions.

2007 Parent Liaisons are asked to return their badges on Thursday. For more information or to RSVP please contact Paige McNeil 0414 799 659.

COMBINED SCHOOL NEWS

FATHER ROY

Please be aware that Father Roy is not well and may not return to School this term. I know that we will all be wishing him a speedy recovery and keeping him in our prayers at this time.

LILAC HILL FESTIVAL CRICKET MATCH..... THREE TICKETS LEFT

ACB Chairman's XI Vs New Zealand, Friday, December 7, 2007

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

LADIES AUXILIARY:

The GGS Ladies Auxiliary would like to thank everyone for their support of this year's Melbourne Cup Lunch held at Belvoir function centre on Tuesday 6th November. A special thank you should go to the Race Sponsors: Prime Laundry, C J Property, El Caballo Resort, Stewart Pest Control and A1/RV Traveller, to everyone that purchased a horse and everyone that attended. Thank you also to Margaret & Frank from Belvoir who looked after us with a delightful meal and beautifully presented venue and who were gracious hosts on the day. We believe a good time was had by all and some good money was raised for the crockery being purchased for the FOUNDATION PAVILION. Thank you to all the ladies on the committee who did a fabulous job of organisation, collecting prizes and generally being involved. We look forward to seeing you at next year's event.

Also a couple of things were left at the venue. A pink pashmina / shawl and a khaki hat and a few people failed to collect their sweep prizes. The shawl and hat can be found at the Prep School admin and if you still have your winning tickets for the sweep please call Alison on 0419 906 600 by Friday 24th November to claim your prize otherwise the money will be put towards the crockery.

SWAN ITALIAN SOCCER CLUB

Trials for boys aged 11-16 will be held on 19,21,27,29 Nov at Midland Oval, 6.00-7.30. New players welcome.

CHITTERING-MUCHEA PARENTS

The Dingo Bus Charter is investigating the possibility of a new bus run from your area. A possible timetable would be:

07.10 - Chittering Junction of Hereford and Muchea East Road

07.17 - Muchea BP (Town site) Brand Highway

07.19 - Junction Brand Highway / Great Northern Highway

07.28 - Bullsbrook opposite supermarket

07.39 - Shell garage on Great Northern Highway, north of West Swan Rd junction

08.15 - Guildford Grammar School

Fares would be at commercial rates and could be up to \$15 for the return trip.

Please let Graeme Plummer know (gplummer@ggs.wa.edu.au) if you are interested in this proposal.

SENIOR SCHOOL NEWS

YEAR 9 PARENTS. CO CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES 2008

All parents of Year 9 boys are invited to a presentation regarding the Year 10 activity program in 2008.

The key themes of the presentation will include:

- The Duke of Edinburgh's Bronze Award
- Community Service Week and Expedition Week 2008
- The Year 10 Friday Program 2008

Time: 6pm – 7pm. Venue: Kiernan Lecture Theatre Date: Monday 19th November.

SPORTS RESULTS

Basketball	Result	GGs	Wesley	Comment
1st V	L	36	60	Anderson, Lea, Chetkovich
2nd V	L	10	35	Morgan, Bentley, Kim
3rd V	L	18	27	Faulkner, Davies, Poole
9A	L	30	67	Ugle, Delnatte, O'Donnell, Wilson
9B	L	7	47	Watson, Cervantes, Tarrant, Hyams
8A	L	8	54	Healey, Hinchcliffe
8B	L	7	22	Nari, Robinson, Todd
Cricket	Result	GGs	Wesley	Comment
1st XI	D	5/181	8/281	Tomansini 51, Wilson 4/39 (Hat-Trick)
2nd XI	W	158	151	Henderson 6/26 Mani 58, Badenhorst 36
3rd XI	L	5/106	5/156	Eatwell 29, Packard 2/14
Middle Cricket	Result	GGs	Aquinas	Comment
9A	W	7/150	132	Claxon 33, Copley 38
9B	D	9/170	173	Greenwell, Purslowe, Price
8A	L	91	4/240	White 35
8B	L	21	3/241	Muller 2/35
Tennis	Result	GGs	Wesley	Comment
1st VIII	L	1[33]	23[141]	Pullman, Yeates, Lopez
2nd VIII	L	1	23	King
3rd VIII	L	1[34]	23[145]	Osborne, Saw
9A	L	69	73	Ridley, Cook
9B	L	29	101	Palmer
8A	L			
8B	W			
Volleyball	Result	GGs	Wesley	Comment
Senior A	L	0	3	
Senior B	L	0	3	
Senior C	L	1	3	
Waterpolo	Result	GGs	Wesley	Comment
Senior A	W	11	7	Leighton, Munday
Senior B	D	3	3	Burdan, Street, Jashari
Rowing	Result	GGs		Comment
1st V111	5th			Guildford 4th Place Overall
2nd V111	7th			
3rd V111	6th			
10A V111	4th			
10B V111	7th			
10A Quad	7th			
10B Quad	8th			
1st Quad	3rd			
2nd Quad	3rd			

FOUND

1 black backpack
1 Dymock's bag containing 2 novels and a Harry Potter bag
1 GGS pullover
1 olive green sweatshirt
1 black top with hood, eagle motif
1 GGS tracksuit top
1 pair of white and black Reebok boots with red studs
1 white and black sports sock
1 book entitled The New Space Opera
1 exercise book (128 pages) containing Biology notes
1 GGS pullover with the initials "MH"
1 GGS pullover with rip around neck
1 sum of money (found near Tuckshop)
1 dark blue t-shirt
1 dark blue "Integrated" water bottle
1 sum of money (found near Bus Stop)
1 set of keys on purple "Fremantle Football Club" lanyard
Can be claimed from the School Marshal.

YEAR 11 SUNDOWNER

Friday 16 November, from 6pm to 8pm at the Rowing Shed. Please bring your own drinks - finger food will be provided. This is an annual informal get-together for all Year 11 parents. The Headmaster, Housemasters and Mentors are also invited. Any queries please call Petula Leighton on 0419180544.

ROWING NEWS

The Christ Church Time Trials on 3 November were the first competitive row of the new season in very trying conditions at Canning Bridge.

The Guildford on Swan Regatta was conducted at our own Boatshed on Saturday, 10 November. The weather was perfect, the setting was idyllic and the competitive spirit was strong. First place was shared by Scotch and Trinity with Guildford in fourth place. As usual, the parents of our rowers provided outstanding support for the organisation of the regatta, both on and off the water. A special thank you is made to the parents of rowers for all the gourmet items sent in to make up a hamper to raffle. In fact, 7 Hampers were made up from the items the rowers brought in from home. A total of \$818.50 was raised. The feedback from the winners of the Hampers was ecstatic. General feedback from the other PSA Schools on the regatta as a whole was highly complimentary. Congratulations to parents, rowers and coaches for a well-organised, extremely enjoyable event.

The Wesley Regatta between Wesley and Guildford will be at the Wesley Boatshed this Saturday, 17 November. Buses will leave the DLD at **6.45am**. Buses should return to the Guildford Boatshed at **approximately 10.30am**. This is the first competitive row for the Year 8s so please come down to the Wesley Boatshed (Coode St, South Perth near the Boatshed Cafe) to support your sons. Boys need to remember to wear their correct rowing uniform, to eat breakfast and to bring their sports bag or backpack to store their belongings while they are rowing.

GRA Meeting: Monday, 19 November at the Boatshed at 6.00pm.

Enquiries: Diana Griffiths 93779294

SENIOR SCHOOL REMINDERS

Wednesday 14 November	TEE Ladies Auxiliary Christmas Function Inter House Lifesaving Carnival – modified timetable
Thursday 15 November	TEE
Friday 16 November	TEE Holy Communion 6.15pm (for 25 th Sunday after Pentecost)
Saturday 17 November	Senior Sports: Guildford v Scotch
Monday 19 November	Yr 11 Study Day – no formal classes P&F General Meeting, elections TEE Duke Edinburgh Presentation Evening
Tuesday 20 November	TEE Yr 11 Examinations commence

PREPARATORY SCHOOL NEWS

CORRECTION TO PREPARATORY SCHOOL STAFFING LIST

Please note the following correction to last week's Bulletin information:

Mrs Frick is the newly appointed Teacher Assistant in Mrs Tupling's Pre Primary class. Mrs Macaulay will continue in her role as the Teacher Assistant in Mrs de Jong's Kindergarten class. Apologies to Mrs Tupling for the spelling error.

INFORMATION MORNING TEA

There will be a coffee / information morning in the Armstrong Gardens on Thursday 15 November for those who would like to find out more about the role of a Liaison Parent in the Prep School. We are currently looking for Liaison Parents for 2008, so come along and see if you might be interested. This is no obligation information morning!! We extend a warm welcome to our current LP's as we will be taking this opportunity to say thank you for their efforts this year. For more details contact Paige McNeil on 0414 799 659.

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.

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.

Bookings for any of the above sessions is essential

GROUP PHOTOS

Fotek Group Photo are available to order. These are on display in Prep Admin and are \$18 each. Payment **must** accompany orders which can be left at Prep Reception. Orders close on Friday, 16 November.

YEAR 7 PRODUCTION

Pirates Gold – photos are now available to view online at www.ggs.wa.edu.au/preparatory_school/preparatory_school photographs.

PREP CAROL SERVICES

Please mark your diaries for this memorable event. East/West Carol Service on Wednesday, 28 November and North/South Service on Thursday, 29 November.

TUCKSHOP ROSTER

Thursday 15 Peggy Espell
Friday 16 HELP REQUIRED
Monday 19 HELP REQUIRED
Tuesday 20 Ray Boog
Wednesday 21 HELP REQUIRED
Thursday 22 Helen & Sam
Friday 23 Gina Chivers

SPORT THIS WEEK vs HALE

Basketball A, B & C Hale Senior School Court
Basketball D Swan Park Leisure Centre
Cricket 1st XI Hale Fowler Oval till 4.30pm
Cricket 2nd XI Hale Vernon Murphy Oval till 4.30pm
Cricket Year 5 Hale Brine Oval
Cricket 4th XI No Fixture - Prep Rugby Oval
Cricket 5th XI No Fixture - Prep Rugby Oval
Flippaball A & B Hale
Tennis 6 Teams Hale Hard Courts
Tennis GGS Hard Courts
Year 4 Sport Volleyball/Tennis

SPORT REPORT: FRIDAY 9 NOVEMBER 2007

Guildford Grammar Preparatory School Vs Hale

Sport	Team	Result	Scores	Comments
Cricket	1 st	Won	GGPS 6 /104. Hale 8 / 91	Good early partnerships set up the win.
Cricket	2 nd	Lost	GGPS 64 runs. Hale 67 runs	Bowled well but didn't set them enough runs to chase
Cricket	5A	Won	GGPS 83 runs. Scotch 14 runs	A dominant performance against Hale's Year 5 boys
Cricket	4XI		No Fixture	
Cricket	5XI		No Fixture	
Flippaball	A	Lost	14 – 8	Played well enough to win but missed too many scoring opportunities
Flippaball	B		No Fixture	Trained well and enjoyed the scratch match with Hale
B/Ball	A	Lost	34 – 19	Bought back to earth by a disciplined Hale team
B/Ball	B	Lost	47 – 26	Slow to begin and struggled to make up the ground
B/Ball	C	Lost	36 – 8	Battled well in an under-manned team
Tennis	All	Won	15.5 sets to 9.5	A great win

Next week we play Aquinas

PREPARATORY SCHOOL REMINDERS

Thursday 15 Sport vs Aquinas
Friday 16 Assembly 8.30am Priestley Hall
Year 3 Camps returns
Monday 19 Late Sport Years 4 - 7
Thursday 22 Sport vs Christ Church
Friday 23 Final Prep School Assembly
Years 4 - 7 8.30am Priestley Hall
Years K - 3 2.15pm Priestley Hall
Saturday 24 Year 7 Graduation Dinner

MUSIC NOTES

- 2008 Music performance calendar K – 12
- Missed lessons and non-attendance policy
- GGS/PC Combined Concert Band and String Orchestra – student lists attached
- Barbershop and Concert choir rehearsals now running
- Up coming events

Please see a more detailed version of the above on the school web site.

DRESS STANDARDS

Concern has been expressed that a number of boys in the Senior School are looking scruffy! They are wearing the uniform incorrectly and generally forgetting that part of being a Guildfordian is to wear our uniform with pride! Parents are asked to assist staff by reinforcing our dress code with their boys.