Week 9 Term 3
9th September 2014

Dear Families and friends of Stanford Merthyr Infants

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK
"What the teacher is, is more important that what one teaches. " Karl Menninger"

FATHER'S DAY STALL
Thank you very much to Kristy M, Tanya, Karen and Tracey who helped run the Father's Day Stall. I'm sure all the dads really appreciated their gifts.

NILLO SPORTS CARNIVAL THIS FRIDAY
Hopefully the weather will be fine and we will be able to go ahead with our carnival this Friday. If it is still in doubt again, I will send you all a text at 7:15am Friday morning.

CAR RALLY FUNDRAISER THIS SATURDAY
The MG Car Club are coming to our school on Saturday for us to provide them with lunch. There will be about 100 coming and they will pay $10 per head for lunch. They support local schools to help them make some money. They have asked if we could serve soups, sandwiches, fruit, drinks and cakes and slices.
I would really appreciate if parents or grandparents would be able to donate a slice, or a cake and bring it to school this Friday.
If you would like to come and help make sandwiches this Saturday 13th from 10.00am please let me know. We will be serving lunch from 12 noon until 1.30 pm. Your help will be appreciated.
Thank you to Kurri Kurri Coles for generously donating $50 towards this event.

THURSDAY FRUIT BREAK
Thurs 11th Sep Toni and Lynne
Thurs 18th Sep Toni and Tracey Batty

CANTEEN ROSTER
Wed 10/09 Kristy S & Kristy M
Fri 12/09 Tanya S & Tracey B
Mon 15/09 Toni & Lynne

3 WAY INTERVIEW TIMETABLES
Teachers will be conducting 3 Way Interviews again to review the goals that were set in term 1 and to set new goals for the students to strive for, for the remainder of the year. Mr Ping and Mrs Sellens will be holding their interviews next Monday 15th September and Miss Humbles will have hers on Wednesday 17th September.
Timetables have been sent home. Please indicate your preferred time and hand these back to your class teachers.

KURRI PRE-SCHOOL VISITS NEXT WEEK
Jannelle, the Director of Kurri Pre-School is coming twice next week with the children who attend on Tuesdays and Thursdays. They will arrive about 12.00 both days and spend time in KP and then go out into the playground to play on the equipment.

KINDER TRANSITION PROGRAM TODAY
Kinder transition program for children beginning here in 2015 was held in the hall today from 12:30-1:30pm. The children heard stories, sang, did craft and played outside.

BOYS DANCE PERFORMANCE AT KURRI PRE-SCHOOL
Mr Ping has invited some of our boys to perform with him at Kurri Pre-school on Tuesday 16th September. We leave here at 9:15am and return just after 10:00am. We will need parents to help provide transport please. Please note you would have to sign the new Transport Agreement.

BAKER, BAKER
K/1P Taylah Harris
K/1H Caitlyn Tait
1/2S Jacob Aspinall
No peanut products are to be used
Special Interest Groups $12 per student due now.

ASSEMBLY ROSTER FOR TERM THREE

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Special Interest Groups

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Calendar of Events for Term Three 2014

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STANFORD MERTHYR INFANTS SCHOOL TRANSPORT AGREEMENT

The school has formulated a transport agreement that needs to be signed please by parents if you are transporting children on an excursion when they travel in your car. I have written this in consultation with the P&C to ensure your child's safety. If you have any questions about this, please come and see me.

STANFORD MERTHYR INFANTS SCHOOL TRANSPORT AGREEMENT

☐ License and registration copied at office

☐ I agree to obey the NSW road rules

☐ I agree to not smoke cigarettes (or any other substance) in the presence of the children

☐ I agree to act responsibly in the presence of the children. For example, no foul language

☐ I will not deviate from the most appropriate route between Stanford Merthyr Infants School and the excursion location, and return

☐ I am alcohol and drug free today

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Signed                        Date
ENJOY K/1P’s RECOUNTS AND INFORMATION REPORTS

By Andrew

Sitting high up in the seat of a truck was super fun. Today we had a visit from a truck named Mac.

By Tayah

The Corroboree Frog

By Hunter

The Corroboree frog has black and yellow stripes.

It lives in the Blue Mountains.

The Corroboree Frog

By Vincent

The Corroboree frog is small. It is endangered. The corroboree frog lives in the Blue Mountains.

It has back and yellow stripes.

Well done!
Thankyou Barbara Wells who has kindly donated another slope board for Kindergarten. This will help the children improve their hand writing skills.

Special Hot Dog Meal Deal
Hot dog meal deal next Wednesday 17th September order forms are at the office. Please have your order in by Tuesday the 16th September cash only no eftpos.

““To swim well is an asset for life”
-Forbes Carlisle

Greenhills Hit-n-Dip
Sports Centre

Intensive
Swim and Survive

22nd September – 26th September
29th September – 3rd October

School Holidays

10 lessons for $115.20
5 lessons for $67.60

Call 49334733 now to enroll.
Junior squash lessons available Saturday.