



# Southerly Baster



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### Principal's Message

#### Welcome Back

It is good to see everyone back in their school uniform ready for another school term. In the next few days I will update the website showing all of our activities. We will also make sure that all permission notes can be accessed through the website.

#### School Photos

Don't forget school photos are being taken this Friday. The children will need to be in their summer uniforms. If you have not sent your order in please do so before Friday morning.

#### Gymnastics

These lessons start this Friday. Girls will need to bring a pair of shorts and their school t-shirt to change into after the photos have been taken. If you haven't paid, remember you can it off in instalments.

#### School Leadership Team Nominations for 2011

Year 5 children are invited to nominate for school leadership team positions next year. If you have not put your name down please see Mrs Patchett tomorrow as nominations will close at 3.30pm. If you have nominated don't forget to start writing your speech and practicing it. The speeches will be presented in assembly in week 5 on Monday 8th November.

#### Important Diary Dates for Term 4

We have prepared the back page of this newsletter with all the dates you need to remember for this term. Please cut it out and put it on your fridge to help you keep track of what is happening in this very busy term.

#### Citizenship Awards

Congratulations to:

Jasmine Fry	Level 2
Poppy Hailston	Level 8
Indy Herrett	Level 3
Chloe Humphryson	Level 3
Liam Humphryson	Level 2
Samantha Kulig	Level 3
Matthew Lackenby	Level 1
Cain Moore	Level 3
Khai Mortimer	Level 3
Emma Staples	Level 2
Thomas Taylor	Level 6

#### Class Item

Group 5L will be performing at next Monday's assembly which starts at 2.40pm. All welcome.

Regards,  
Ann Patchett

Week 1

13th October 2010

### Dates to Remember For October -

Friday 15th October:  
School Photos

Thursday 28th October:  
School Disco



*What's happening in Group K/1SM*

Welcome back to a very busy term. Our school photos are on Friday.

The children are looking forward to their first Gymnastic lesson on Friday as well. It will be fun.

*What's happening in Group 1/2M*

It is so good to see everyone back and ready for our last term. Today we will have recorder with Mrs Cassidy. The children are really enjoying these lessons and can play several songs. On Monday at assembly we showed our paintings of our initials and demonstrated our fitness routine.

Just a reminder about photos and gymnastics on Friday.

*What's happening in Group 3H*

Welcome back for our last term! Homework has started this week. In Maths we're focusing on Whole Number and in Writing we're working on Recounts.

Don't forget to get notes and money in for School Photos and Gymnastics. Thank you to everyone who has brought them in already. Make sure you are practising reading every night.

*What's happening in Group 4M*

Welcome back—we have a very busy term. Year 4 have homework this week due on Friday.

Year 4 will be working on Multiplication and division as well as formal addition and subtraction strategies. Our focus for Art is Spring and for Science we will be investigating fingerprints and plants.

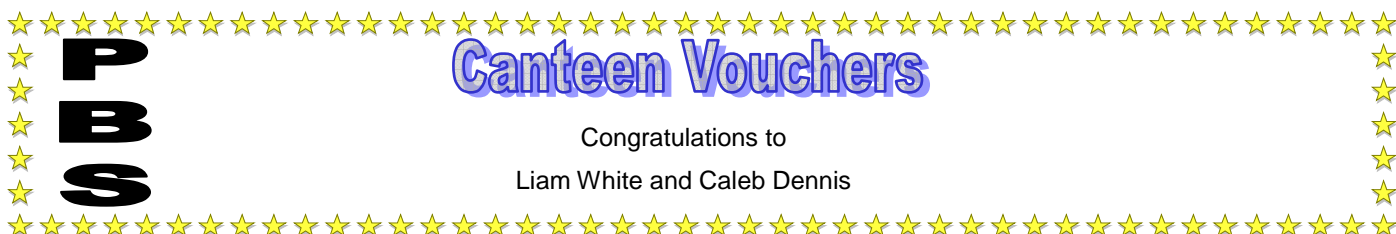
Reminder that Library is on Thursday. Photos on Friday as well as Gymnastics.

*What's happening in Group 4/5L*

Welcome back to class! It's lovely to see everyone again. There is so much happening this week in class. There are a few routine changes. Sport will be changed back to Fridays for Gymnastics. Maths will generally be done in the morning sessions now with Literacy in the next session.

Remember to come to class prepared with your correct pens and a novel to read.

Also the students interested in Year 6 leadership should let Mrs Patchett know on Thursday. If you want to discuss this, please feel free to see us.



**PBS** ..... The focus for this fortnight will be 'Respect for Others'. In our classes we will be talking about and practising good manners including saying 'please', 'thank you' and 'excuse me'. We will also be dealing with 'respect for property', being a good listener and raising your hand if you wish to speak in class. We would be grateful if parents and carers would help by emphasising politeness at home.

*What's happening in the Library*

We are busy preparing our new books from the Book Fair for the children to borrow. I am also busy identifying books for children in Years 3 and 4 as well as Years 5 and 6 to take part in the Premier's Reading challenge in 2011.

We are looking forward to a great term with lots of wonderful reading!

*What's happening in Group 6C*

Year 6 have had a great week back. We are learning about global issues this term, with a focus on disaster and survival. For Sport we will be doing Gymnastics this term and it is great to see students are bringing in their notes for it. Keep up great work Year 6.

**BOOK CLUB**

**Brochures are being sent home today and orders must be returned by Monday 26th October.**

**THIS IS THE LAST ORDER FOR THIS YEAR.**

**Cricketer WANTED**

Any girls or boys interested in playing in an Under 9s, Under 11s or Under 13s cricket team on Saturday morning, please ring Mr V Davis on 4829 0125 or email [gdjca@skymesh.com.au](mailto:gdjca@skymesh.com.au) or registration forms are available from the school office.

### The Enviro Club



There are some new seedlings donated by Ambrosia and Kane Moore—lovely capsicum, tomato and cucumber plants.

We have a new clutch of 8 chickens which are replacements for the first 6—they were roosters and we need egg layers.

## P and C News

### Canteen Roster

Again we are looking for people to help in the canteen if you can help on any day—even if it is just for ½ an hour—please see the canteen or contact Tanya on 0405 088 308. We particularly need helpers from 10.35am-11.00am to help with serving at recess time.

**Thursday 13th October**

**Tanya + helper needed**

**Friday 14th October**

**Tanya + Helper Needed**

**Monday 17th October**

**Paula & Sharon**

**Tuesday 18th October**

**Jackie & Paula C**

### P & C Meeting

Our next P & C meeting will be held on Wednesday 20th October at 6.00pm in the school staff room. At this meeting we will be discussing and making a decision regarding the running of the canteen. ***This will include a decision as to whether we will even open the canteen next year.*** So come along and have a say on your child's school having a canteen and other things happening in the school. Hope to see you there.

### Disco

This term we are holding a disco early as it is such a busy time of year for everyone. Our next disco will take place on Thursday 28th October and will have a Halloween theme. The disco will start at 6pm and finish at 8pm and all children need to be picked up from the hall by a parent.

There will be prizes for costumes as well as lots of treats for good behaviour. More details on the disco will be in next week's newsletter—start planning those costumes now.

### Coles Sports Program

There are only a couple of weeks to go in the Coles Sports program, so please drop in all your vouchers. The collection box is near the canteen or they can be dropped into the office. Why not check with family and friends and see if they have any at home which you can collect. The more vouchers we collect the more free sporting equipment we will receive next year.

### Athlete's Foot Promotion

Our school has registered for this promotion. Please see advertisement below.

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## Diary Dates for Term 4

15th October	School Photos
28th October	Disco
29th Oct—3rd December (Friday mornings)	Prep for School
2nd November	Kindergarten Orientation
8th November	School Leadership Team Speeches
9th November	Voting for School Leadership Team
10th, 17th, 24th November (Afternoons)	Kindergarten 2011 'Big School Visit'
15th-26th November	Swim School
29th November	Public Speaking Competition
7th December	Presentation Evening
8th December	Year 6 Farewell Dinner
9th December	Tentative Whole School Excursion
10th December	County Fair
13th December	Class Parties
14th December	Last Gymnastic lesson
15th December	Last day for students
16th & 17th December	Staff Development Days
(CPR and Emergency Care Training and Stage Planning day)	



*Every Friday this term .....Gymnastics Lessons.*