Welcome back

Welcome back to what is going to be another exciting school term at Meadow Flat Public School. This term is already packed full of great opportunities for the students. This term we have a book week parade, the Bathurst Small Schools Creative Arts Festival, the Bathurst Eisteddfod, and a talent quest for the students.

We welcome to our school Elijah who is in Year Two and we also welcome back Mrs Harvey. This term in the primary classroom we have our CSU teacher helping with the student’s. She will be here with us for 10 weeks. We welcome her to our school.

Thank you to those parents who returned the tennis response sheet. We have collated the responses and have sent them through to the tennis coach and hope to hear from them soon.

Yesterday we were able to showcase our school to our visiting Principals, teachers and non-teaching staff from the Bathurst Small Schools group. Thank you to the following parents who were able to assist us are donating food items for our P and C catering – The Martin Family, Slattery Family, Barrett Family, Brooking Family, and McManus Family. A special mention goes to Sharon McManus who stayed at the school to assist with the preparation of the room, serving and cleaning up. She was supported by two of our former students Ashleigh Brooking and Emma Martin. Your support and assistance was much appreciated.

Touch Football Training

The students selected for the Bathurst Small Schools touch football team are requested to attend training on Friday 20th July and Monday 23rd July 2012 at 3.45pm at Learmonth Park. The game time has not been finalised and the details will be provided by O’Connell Public School in a note as they are confirmed.

EFTPOS Payments

The school now has access to EFTPOS facilities which will allow payments to be made via all types of cards. No cash out will be able to be processed as the school does not hold cash on site.

Payments will be able to be made in person, over the phone and via a return slip placed on permission slips.

The school will not be progressing with the idea of direct bank payments.

Music Program

Mr Hollier has some space available for private music lessons from 8.30. This could be x1 for 20 or x2 10 minutes sessions. Please speak to Mr Hollier if you are interested in this. Our new keyboards will arrive this week.

Meadow Flat Hall

There have been recent improvements at the Meadow Flat Hall. The painters have been busy removing the flaking paint on the external walls and repainting it. We look forward to the day we can have it available for our use.

Mitchell Conservatorium

On Sunday 29 July at 11.30am and 2.30pm the Mitchell Conservatorium in Russell Street, Bathurst will host their annual Early Childhood Music concert. This year’s theme Under the Sea, promises to be a musical performance extravaganza. Primarily for newborns to 5 year old children and their adults, Under the Sea will introduce the instruments and sounds of the orchestra in a fun filled, entertaining way. Develop a love of music in your little ones - every
one of us is musical and even if you don’t play an instrument or read music you can hum, sing or beat box along with the TV or radio to classical, jazz, country, folk, rock rhythm & blues heavy metal or rap! An event for all the family. Tickets at the door: all tickets $6.60. For all booking information and further details go to www.mitchellconservatorium.edu.au or call (02) 6331 6622.

This year’s highly anticipated musical concert from Mitchell Young Voices and penned by their fabulous conductor Mitchell Conservatorium teacher Michelle Griffin, is Pirates!

A swashbuckling, adventure on the high seas awaits, come dressed as a pirate for your chance to bag a prize for best dressed pirate.

Saturday 11 August and Sunday 12 August, 3pm, ASC Hall, Church St, Bathurst.

Tickets at the door:
$12 Adult

We are collecting vouchers or tokens from:

Dates for Students

Term 2 2012 – June
Friday 29th – Last Day of Term 2

Term 3 2012 – July
Tuesday 17th – Students Return for term
Wednesday 25th – Opportunity Class placement test

August
Thursday 2nd – Book Parade
Monday 6th – P and C Meeting
Friday 10th – District athletics
Friday 17th – District athletics (backup date)
Wednesday 22nd – iExplore/iLearn (Year 6)
Friday 31st – Regional Athletics, Dubbo

September

Monday 3rd – P and C Meeting
Friday 21st – Mini-feast and talent quest
Friday 21st – Last Day of term