From the desk of the Principal 

Dear Readers

Safety Houses at Shelley

Sue Herd Bond our Safety House Coordinator organised a productive meeting with the CEO of Safety House Mike Clarke, Chris Leeuwangh and me to progress the development of a Safety House program for the community. The school is keen to support this initiative and what is required now is for people to get involved with this excellent initiative. You can volunteer to have your residence become a Safe House or to be part of the organising committee. Please contact Sue on 9457 9942 to get involved. The key to the program’s success will be to have active community support so please call Sue to find out more about what being involved is about or else come and see me.

After School Care

I have written to the City of Canning to see if the school can get hold of the old pre primary building on Aldam Crescent. If this becomes available the school will then be in a position to hopefully host an after school program. Once I have any update on the situation I will let you know but for now we don’t have the space to offer a program.

Crosswalk News

Students are reminded that it is a legal requirement that they walk their bikes and scooters across the crosswalk. Once you have dismounted from your “vehicle” you need to wait until the crosswalk attendant gives you the OK to cross the street. This is for safety reasons. Please make sure that you follow the directions of the new crosswalk attendant at all times.

For parents, I have been informed that there will be a police presence near the school some time in the next few weeks. Please make sure that you stick to the 40kph speed limit during the mornings and afternoons. It is also a requirement that you stop completely behind a stop sign rather than slowly creeping past the sign.

Regards,

Steve
REMINDER

Individual reminders of unpaid accounts were sent home yesterday via post (we hope your address is correct on school records). If you find any errors please advise the school office so that they can be rectified.

Whilst school contributions are voluntary they are a vital part of our school’s operation. Voluntary contributions supplement the school’s budget and they make it possible to purchase additional consumable resources that benefit all our students. Thank you to the parents who have already supported our school by paying the voluntary contributions.

Your support of the school is appreciated.

REPORTING STRANDS

As schools implement the Australian Curriculum please be aware that what is reported on by Shelley Primary School and its surrounding schools may vary. There is a transition phase where schools begin to report on Australian Curriculum strands.

In the case of Shelley this includes:
- Australian Curriculum reporting strands in Mathematics
- The new subject of History

BOOK CLUB ISSUE 4

DUE DATE: FRIDAY 21 JUNE

Issue 4 brochures have now been distributed to all classes. The closing date for this issue is Friday 21 June. Please ensure ALL orders, including credit card payments, are handed into the office by the closing date. No late orders will be accepted.

UNIFORM SHOP OPEN DAYS

TERM 2 2013
8:15am – 9:00am
Friday 21 June
Friday 5 July

TUCKSHOP - Rooms 13 & 17
THURSDAY 27 JUNE

There will be a Tuckshop this THURSDAY 27 June at morning recess. Rooms 13 & 17 are asked to please bring a plate of finger food. Suggestions:

- Savoury bites
- Jelly cups
- Scones
- Cupcakes
- Mini muffins
- Small popcorn bags
- Pikelets

Students will be able to purchase their morning recess snacks with prices ranging from 20 to 50 cents. Everyone please bring along your money to support this Student Council Fundraising event.

P & C NEWS

NEXT P & C MEETING
TUESDAY 18 JUNE
7:30pm in staff room.
All welcome to attend.

P&C ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS FUNDRAISER

The Entertainment Book Fundraiser for Shelley Primary is now wrapping up. Thank you again to parents, teachers and the community for supporting Shelley Primary School with this successful fundraiser. We have sold a record number of books this year with $13 from each book sale going directly into improving our school.

A reminder letter was sent home with students last week to parents who have either not paid for or returned their book. Please check your child’s bag in case they haven’t passed it on.

Order forms are still available in the office. There is a payment box in the office as well as a box for book returns. Final orders can now be made so if friends and family are interested they still have the opportunity to purchase books. Any queries please contact me, Thank you, Michelle - 0410 654 078

WOOLWORTHS REWARD STICKERS

The Woolworths Earn & Learn program closed on Sunday, 9 June. You can still place your completed or incomplete sticker sheets into the box at the front office until Friday, 21 June 2013.

Please remind family and friends to give you their stickers. Thanks to everyone for your help in getting our school some valuable resources.
Swimming, Swimming, Swimming
I see Kush doing backstroke with wonderful talent.
I hear Mrs Cole the excessively beautiful teacher!
I feel the cold ladder as I climb into the pool.
I smell the lifeguards' hot chips with sauce.
Yum!
I taste chlorine in my mouth.
Yuck!
Swimming, swimming, swimming
By Micah

Swimming, Swimming, Swimming
I see Jasmine putting on her goggles before she gets into the crystal clear pool.
I hear the splashes of everyone getting into the water.
I feel Georgia overtake me as I do my freestyle.
I smell the strong smell of chlorine as I slide into the deep, blue, water.
I don't taste anything in the pool, (I don't want to drink the yucky water people could have peed in!)
Swimming, swimming, swimming
By Imogen

Swimming, Swimming, Swimming
I see all the swimming teachers teaching the children how to swim.
I hear the water splashing on my face.
I feel the cold water surrounding me.
I smell the chlorine in the water.
I taste nothing because I keep my mouth shut.
Swimming, swimming, swimming
By Bronte

Swimming, Swimming, Swimming
I see the clear crystal water when I dive underwater.
I hear the whistle blowing loudly.
I feel warm in the water (if the heater is working).
I smell the strong smell of chlorine wafting up my nose!
I taste the water if I swallow it by mistake!
Swimming, swimming, swimming
By Jiaxin

Swimming, Swimming, Swimming
I see colourful pools
I hear big splashes in the water
I feel heat hitting me when I walk in the door
I smell chlorine off my bathers
I taste the chlorine from the pool
Swimming, swimming, swimming
By Lily

Swimming, Swimming, Swimming
I see splashing,
I hear kicking,
I feel wet,
I smell chlorine,
I taste nothing,
Swimming, swimming, swimming
By Samantha