I have been very happy with the way in which so many children have settled into their new school year. Classes are now stable.

Tonight 12/2/13, we will hold our first P&C meeting for the year. Everyone is welcome to attend. I will be tabling our 2012 Culburra Public School’s Annual Financial Report.

By now all notes and money should have been handed in for our swimming carnival that will be held tomorrow at Bomaderry Pool. The carnival accommodates all levels of swimming and will include formal and informal races. Children’s swimming competence will be tested before the competition day starts. Parents are welcome to attend.

It is great to see so many school uniforms being worn with pride. Broad brimmed bucket hats must be worn when children are in the playground. I would like to see all children representing our school on excursions or sporting events to be in full school uniform including broad brimmed navy blue hat. All hats are now $5.

I have noticed a few children arriving at school very early in the morning. It is great to see so many keen students; however, it is dangerous for children to arrive at school too early as teachers are not on playground duty until 8.40 am.

Congratulations to our new House captains and vice captains.

Remember our school rules, SAFETY, RESPECT & RESPONSIBILITY.

R Letters – Principal

PLEASE NOTE: CANTEEN IS CLOSED TOMORROW
**BUS TRAVEL PASSES**

Bus passes will arrive and be handed out shortly. All students in Years K, 1 & 2 are entitled to free bus travel. Students in Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 must live 2.9km from the school to be eligible for a bus pass.

If your child is in Year 3 this year and qualifies for a bus pass, please fill out a bus form available from the front office, otherwise they will not receive a pass.

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**LIBRARY NEWS**

Welcome to the library for 2013. We are looking forward to a great year of reading great literature, fantastic learning opportunities in our library and computer lab. Well done to all students who have begun their borrowing routines this year. All students in Kindergarten, Year 1 and Year 2 MUST have a library bag for borrowing. (The rule is; NO bag, NO book!!) School library bags are available from the Uniform shop or a personally decorated bag is good too!

Library borrowing days are:

- **MONDAY:** K/1S, 2R, 5/6E, 5/6P
- **TUESDAY:** KE, 4/5W
- **WEDNESDAY:** 1/2M, 3/4C

Please see Mrs Nethery in the library on Tuesdays or Wednesdays if you need to discuss any aspect of your child’s library borrowing.

*Mrs Nethery*

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**FOR SALE**

*`Jonsered’ ride-on mower powered by Kohler Motor. You are welcome to inspect this mower. Please arrange through the front office for a suitable time.*

Bids to be handed into the front office.

Reserve price will apply

Tenders closed Friday 22/2/13

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Waxing, Facials, Massage, Tanning, Nails & Tinting.

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Frank Rugiano - 0400 732 686:

Specialising in: Deep tissue, Chinese cupping, Sports massage

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Health rebates apply

As well as 10% off 1st therapy

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**AECG MEETING**

At Jerrinja Medical Centre this afternoon at 4pm.

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**SWIMMING CARNIVAL**

TOMORROW FOR THE CANTOON IS CLOSED

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**BUS TRAVEL PASSES**

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**IS YOUR CHILD A HEALTHY WEIGHT?**

70% of parents of overweight kindy kids, and 30% of parents of obese children thought their children were the right weight in a recent study by the University of Sydney.

If you are unsure if your child is a healthy weight please see your GP for a health check. For more information visit the Healthy Kids Website: [www.healthkids.nsw.gov.au](http://www.healthkids.nsw.gov.au) or enrol in a free fun healthy lifestyle program for kids by phoning 1800 780 900.

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**WEEKEND SURF CLINICS**

Saturday mornings 9-10:30

$110 for 4 lessons

$200 for 8 lessons

*Private Lessons Available on Request*

Must be 9yrs+ and able to swim

**BUSTED SURF SCHOOL**

10 Fairlands Street

Culburra Beach

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**Culburra Cougars Football Club**

Junior & Senior registration days

16th and 23rd February at Culburra soccer fields

9am till 11am

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**DANCE CLASSES AT CULBURRA PUBLIC SCHOOL**

Affordable preschooler, kids and ladies fitness and dance classes. Shoalhaven Physie Dance School Teaching APDA syllabus. Discover the fun of Australia’s most progressive physie and dance movement.

For your convenience, children can be collected from After School Care to attend their lessons and parents can pick them up at the conclusion.

Call 0410 605 249 or email shoalhavenphysiedancesch ool@hotmail.com for an information pack.

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**BUSTED SURF SCHOOL**

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Ages 2 to 6 years

Sunshine Street

Culburra Beach

Extended Hours

8am—4.30pm

- Families can receive CCB (Child Care Benefit) PLUS the 50% Child Care Cash Rebate
- Families that have a Health Care Card or receive "Family Tax Benefit Part A’ will pay as little as $9.90 per day after receipt of 100% CCB plus the 50% cash rebate
- Awarded “High Quality” rating on six out of six occasions by the National Child care Council
- Qualified staff working in a happy environment
- Individualised early childhood learning programme preparing your child for Kindergarten
- Morning & afternoon tea are provided FREE
- Open 48 weeks of the year
- No charge for Public Holidays and No fundraising
- Enquires & visits welcome—please call in to see “Maureen”