



## WARLAWURRU CATHOLIC SCHOOL RED HILL

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### NEWSLETTER Week 7, Term 2, 2010

#### Dear Parents and Families,

There is no school tomorrow or Friday due to East Kimberley Catholic Schools meeting in Halls Creek. The school will be used as a venue for the meetings and all staff will be present, but we ask that any office business or issues be left for next week. A reminder that next Monday is a public holiday. School will resume for students next Tuesday June 8th.

## *Argyle Celebrations*

In celebration of Argyle Diamond Mine's excellent recent safety record, Rio Tinto workers Mary, Greg and Peter came to Warlawurru to present students with new books. They also passed on some prize packs to the McDonald girls Eva, Errin and Valma for their excellent attendance in Term 1. Well done students, and thanks Argyle Diamond Mine.



### **QCS survey**

Many thanks to the parent who responded to our survey on the school's engagement with families. If anyone wishes to respond and missed out on a response sheet, there are some extras in the office for you to collect. It's a chance to have your say about our great school.

Students began preparations recently for our school Athletics Carnival which will be held in NAIDOC Week on June 29th. The event will be held on the Shire Oval and parents will be welcome to attend.



## **Athletics Preparation**



Team games of Leaderball and Tunnelball will feature in this year's Swimming Carnival. Individual events including sprinting, long-jump, bean-bag throw and javelin will also showcase the skill of students. During practice, students have been made aware of the importance of trying their best, encouraging others, and working as a team.



## The Mistake!

Each week a mistake will be carefully hidden in the newsletter. Last week the newsletter was addressed to "Parents and Consequences". Markelle found the error and won a book. Look out for this week's mistake.

## Attendance Blitz! NO EXCUSES

Our enrolment has increased to 63 children. Please help us reach our target of 50 children each day.. Our Blitz ended last week, but we will continue to work hard to help every child attend school every day.

21 absent 38	18 absent 41	19 absent 40	21 absent 38	20 absent 39	14 absent 47	10 absent 51	9 absent 52	11 absent 50	13 absent 48
Monday May 17th	Tuesday May 18th	Wed'day May 19th	Thursday May 20th	Friday May 21st	Monday May 24th	Tuesday May 25th	Wed'day May 26th	Thursday May 27th	Friday May 28th
13 absent 50	8 absent 55	15 absent 48	It's up to each family to make the difference. Nine families were able to send children every day during our Attendance Blitz. Nine other families who were in Halls Creek let children miss 5 days or more for no reason.						
Monday May 31st	Tuesday June 1st	Wed'day June 2nd							

**UPCOMING EVENTS:** Please read these and keep up-to-date with events in our school.

**Week 7:** Thursday and Friday June 3rd and 4th: pupil-free days (staff at workshops)

**Week 8:** Monday June 7th: Public Holiday– no school. School resumes Tuesday June 8th

**Week 9:** Girls From Oz visit

**Week 10:** Middle Primary Sleepover Thursday June 24th

**Week 11:** NAIDOC Week at Warlawurru

**Ongoing:** Extended School Day–Mondays (Junior students) Thursdays (Senior students)  
Please keep Miss Rosemary and her family in your prayers as they face this sad time.

**Dean Savoia** (Principal)

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## Have you read me?

Warlawurru Catholic School is currently upgrading its website and refreshing various aspects of the way we keep the community updated. We are keen for feedback on who visits this site and reads our newsletters. If you have read this newsletter, please send an email to

[admin@warlawurru.wa.edu.au](mailto:admin@warlawurru.wa.edu.au)

and write “website response” in the subject space.

Many thanks for your feedback.

Mr Dean Savoia

(Principal)

**Update!!!**

A Quiz Night to be held at Best Western Motel will be on Saturday July 24th, and not as previously advertised.

Thanks to Best Western Manager Kerry Brashaw and Halls Creek Herald Editor Gerard Willett for organising the fund-raiser for the school.