



Dee Why PS Newsletter

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SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

Sat 30 August

Working Bee 1-3pm

Wed 3 September

11.30am Book Parade

Mon 8 September

Zone Field Athletics

Wed 10 September

Zone Track Athletics

Sat 13 September

School Fete -
Local Elections

P&C News

School Fete

8.00—2.00pm

Saturday 13 September

This is a great opportunity to fund raise within the community.

If you can help please leave your details with the School Office

Coffee Club -Your Voice

2.30pm Friday 29 August

Library AV Room

Topic: School Fete

P&C TEAM

IT'S OFFICIAL

It is with great pleasure I accept the position of Principal at Dee Why Public School. I must acknowledge and thank the children, parents and a very dedicated team of teaching and support professionals who have supported me over the past 15 weeks.

I am committed, with your support, to providing the best possible learning opportunities for our children and welcome the challenges ahead.

Our task over the next few months will be to develop a 3 year plan 2009-2011 for our school. Your suggestions will be sought, through surveys, focus groups and the P&C.

Your contributions are valued!

WORKING BEE

Our next working bee is scheduled for 1.00 – 3.00pm Saturday 30 August. Mark this date in your diaries, come along and join in the fun.

We will certainly look great for Spring!

SCHOOL FETE

8.00 – 2.00pm Saturday 13 September

The School Fete is fast approaching. The organizing committee is in full swing and very much in need of your support. Once again I have enclosed an information sheet, providing details of the Fete. If you can assist in anyway please return the tear off slip to your child's teacher.

Planning meeting 2.30 Friday 29 August in the School Library.

Let's make this a Spring Fete to remember!

PHOTO OPPORTUNITY

We have a wonderful opportunity to have a portrait photo of your family taken and framed for only \$20. All money goes directly to our school! This opportunity must be pre-booked and paid for before Thursday 4 September. (We need a minimum of 30 families) Please contact Kena Currie on 9400 2906 or 0407 900 646. The photos will be taken on Election Day, Saturday 13 September in the School Library.

REMINDER.....

THE FIVE GREATEST CHALLENGES FOR PARENTS TODAY...

FREE speakers night.

Dr Michael Carr-Gregg (one of Australia's leading authorities on teenage behaviour) will present a 2 hr presentation on 'The five greatest challenges for parents today'. Topics will include:

Alcohol and teenagers

The latest dangers online

How much sleep does a teenager need?

How to help teenagers study smarter

The latest research on teenage brain foods

7.00 – 9.00pm Wednesday 10 September

Dee Why RSL, Gallery Room
RESERVED SEATING ONLY

Bookings essential – email bookings preferred:

Email: youthlinxbookings@warringah.nsw.gov.au

Phone: 9942 2771

This is not to be missed!

Robert Coles
Principal

Our 6th Merit Awards presentation for this term will be this Friday. If your child has a merit award you are welcome to come up to the school at 10am.

- KN Sitara Nazeer, Ethan Munro
- KK Nicholas Rajcany, Sela Temale
- 1W Choesang Tsering, Gaby Palme
- 1S Chloe Andrews
- 2S Bojana Marinkov
- 2M Sharnika Tupou Towne, Joshua Kinahoi

We are very proud of you ! Ms McKenzie



Watch this space for upcoming events

Wednesday 3rd September

Book Week Parade. Come dressed as your favourite book character. Family picnic after parade.

Friday 5th September to Friday 25th September

Eight sessions of Springboard for our new Kindergarten children 2009. If your child is starting school next year, it is important that you fill in enrolment forms and they attend this program.

ALLAMBIE HEIGHTS SPRING FUN FAIR

A great day out for the whole family with free entry, thrilling rides, free entertainment, over 30 stalls and 100's of prizes to be won!

**10.00-4.00pm
Sunday 31 August**

Allambie Oval

ALLAMBIE HEIGHTS

Circus Sports come to Dee Why....

Kindergarten, Year 1 and Year 2 joined the Circus for the day last Wednesday, learning the secrets of circus clowning from Ben and Ruby of Circus Sports. The day was made even better because the children (and some teachers) dressed up in their circus clothes!

Lynne Snell and Deb Nolan

Last Wednesday it was Circus Sports. When we started Ruby and Ben taught us some tricks and they put us all in groups. My group first started with the poi pois and it was the funniest thing I have ever done! The next one was the hat trick which was extremely hard to do. With the hat trick I threw it into the air and I got it on my head, but then it fell off. Then I juggled balls and I thought my friend was lying because he said he could juggle three balls. Then I did hoola hooping which was one of my favourite activities. After that I did tissue juggling and I was a little silly because I put one on my face and was running everywhere. I had lots of fun but the bad thing was I only had one lesson.

by Daniel Omu 2S

On Wednesday I had fun. There was a circus at school. There was juggling and heaps of other stuff. I loved it. It was so much fun.

by Kyle Delbridge 1S

On Wednesday the Circus came to school. The people showed the school how to juggle, hoola hoop, do hat tricks and also stick tricks. K to 2 children loved the Circus and we hope we can do it again.

by Dario Skrbic 2S

