Diary Dates

**Week 5**
- Tuesday 4/11: “Dee Why Delights” (Canteen Trial)
- Thursday 6/11: “Dee Why Delights” (Canteen Trial)
- High School Transition Day

**Week 6**
- Tuesday 11/11: “Dee Why Delights” (Canteen Trial)
- Thursday 13/11: “Dee Why Delights” (Canteen Trial)

**Week 7**
- Monday 17/11: P&C Meeting, 9.15am
- Tuesday 18/11: K2015 Playgroup, 9.30pm
- “Dee Why Delights” (Canteen Trial)
- Thursday 20/11: K2015 Playgroup, 9.30pm
- “Dee Why Delights” (Canteen Trial)

**Week 8**
- Tuesday 25/11: “Dee Why Delights” (Canteen Trial)
- Thursday 27/11: “Dee Why Delights” (Canteen Trial)

**Week 9**
- Wednesday 3/12: High School Orientation Day

**Principal’s Message**

Wow, what an amazing opening day for our school canteen, Dee Why Delights! Everything went according to plan yesterday with a neat, clean and organised canteen serving recess and lunch snacks for many excited students. The highlight from all of us assisting in the canteen was the exceptional behaviour from our students. The boys and girls lined up neatly, used lovely manners whilst being served and then put all rubbish in the bins. Well done kids! Don't forget our canteen trial continues for the next few weeks, so make sure you pop in to try it out.

…and of course the biggest part of our success yesterday is thanks to our superb P&C – Chris Baker, Jaclyn Rajcany and Jill Starr, who have put in plenty of time and effort to make things happen!

If you think you would be interested in being part of the canteen trial, either in a supervisor or volunteer role, please contact the school office.

**Kindergarten for 2015**

Do you have another younger child intending to start school next year? We are currently communicating with parents of children who are new to the Dee Why PS school community, but also need to know of current students with younger siblings coming next year. Please pop into the office to complete your enrolment application.

Mark Chaffer – Principal
Expression of interest for Assisted Travel Support Officer (ATSO) position

The Assisted School Travel Program (ASTP) often provides additional support to students with disabilities on transport. Assisted Travel Support Officers (ATSOs) support students with complex health or behaviour needs to ensure their safe travel to and from school. If you are interested in temporary part-time work as an ATSO the following website contains information on how to apply for the position.


For further information please contact ASTP on 1300 338 278 or email ASTP at atso.astp@det.nsw.edu.au

Getting Organised for Term 4

Welcome back to school! Keep track of the week numbers of each Term and help your family stay on top of the million and one things happening this time of year with School A to Z's monthly planners. They're easy to print out and pop up on the fridge for all to see. You might even want to print a spare for each child's bedroom so there are no excuses for them to forget homework, chores and other weekly activities.

Find out more: http://bit.ly/UbmQz8

Public Speaking Made Easier

Many people rate speaking in public as one of their worst fears. But it’s an important skill for kids to master, which is part of the reason why we start them off with News in Kindergarten and progress to other presentation skills from an early age. Helping your child prepare their speeches and presentations at home will really boost their confidence.

Here are practical tips any parent can use: http://bit.ly/Kr3ukB

Second Hand School Uniforms

If anyone has school uniform items at home that they no longer need and could donate to the school’s second hand uniform collection, they would be much appreciated. Please bring these second hand items to the office.

YMCA Out of School Hours Care

YMCA OSHC is here! The professional team from YMCA are ready to take your applications for before and after school care for your child. Drop in and have a chat with the friendly team about how best they can provide after-hours care for the children and families of the Dee Why Community.

Enrol Now for Before and After School Care at the YMCA!

YMCA provides quality care for your children which is convenient, affordable and fun! For more information, visit our website or contact us on 0407 283 964.

When school's out the Y is in! oshc.ymcansw.org.au

Cake Decorating & Art Competitions, Food Stalls
Crazy Hair & Face Painting, Parents Chill Out Area
Buskers and Fabulous Prizes to be won!

Come & Join The Fun At
THE MANLY VALE PUBLIC SCHOOL
MAD HATTERS SPRING FAIR
Sunday 9th of November 2014, 11am to 4pm
Street Manly Vale

“An celebration of our Colourful School & Community”
For more information on everything that is happening on the day & details on our cake decorating, art & dress up competitions visit:
facebook.com/madhattersfair

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