Diary Dates

Week 6
- Monday 3/3: 9.15am P&C Welcome Morning Tea
- Thursday 6/3: P&C Sushi Day
- Saturday 8/3: School Working Bee

Week 7
- Wednesday 12/3: Maori Performer
- Thursday 13/3: AFL Paul Kelly Cup
- Friday 14/3: Selective High School Test

Week 8
- Monday 17/3: Maori Performer
- Wednesday 19/3: Grandparents Day
- Friday 21/3: Cross Country Carnival

Week 9
- Tuesday 25/3: Harmony Day

Week 11
- Tuesday 8/4: Family Picnic and Honour Assembly
- Friday 11/4: Last Day of Term

Term 1 Week 5

Principal's Message

P&C Welcome Morning Tea
9.15am Monday 3 March
The P&C will be hosting a Welcome Morning Tea where all parents can come along and meet with other parents. This will be an informal gathering on the verandah area near the main playground. Come along and have a tea or coffee and something to eat and enjoy a welcoming chat. Parents may like to support the morning tea by bringing a plate for food to share.

School Contribution and Textbook Payments
School contribution and textbook notices have been sent out. An orange ‘Confidential’ sheet has also been enclosed. Please ensure details are correct, enclose payment and return to your class teacher. Textbooks will be issued to students upon receipt of payment. Your prompt attention to these notices is appreciated.

Sand Pit
The boys and girls have been having a fantastic time in the sand pit! Golden new sand has made for a “beach like” experience and the students have been getting along superbly sharing the sand toys. A great job working together, kids!

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GETTING ALONG

Our school website
www.deewhy-p.schools.nsw.edu.au
Latest Update: Online Newsletters

Yours in Education...
Mark Chaffer
Principal
P&C Sushi Day
Thursday 6 March
The P&C will be hosting a Sushi Day at lunchtime, available from the canteen.
COST:
1 sushi roll + a juice $4.50
2 sushi rolls + a juice $6.50
To order, simply circle your choice of sushi roll and write your name and class on the attached form and return this form with your money in an envelope to your class teacher by Tuesday, 4 March 2014.

Year 6 Shirts
Senior shirts are a major part of recognising our leaders in the school. The shirts are navy with a white design which incorporates all year 6 names. Payments are due by Tuesday, 4 March 2014, at a cost of $31 each.

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.

Expression of Interest Forms for Students Going into Year 7 In 2015
These forms were given to ALL year 6 students last week and should be returned before Friday 21 March 2014. If you are able, please return the form ASAP. ALL forms MUST be returned regardless of whether your child is going to a government or nongovernment school. Many thanks for your co-operation.

Stewart House School Clothing Appeal
Stewart House clothing bags will be picked up on Tuesday 4 March. Please return bags before this date to the school office.

School Working Bee
The first working bee for 2014 will be held on Saturday 8 March from 11am to 2pm. This is your chance to get involved in making our school a better place and to meet other parents and staff. Our aim is to beautify the garden area alongside Regent St. We’ll be moving plants along the border of the garden area, rejuvenating the well-worn surrounds and adding mulch. The half-barrel plant pots will be resealed as well. Many hands make light work. Please bring wheelbarrows, shovels and rakes. A BBQ lunch will be served and light refreshments provided. All the family is welcome. Please respond on the note beside if you can give up 1 or more hours. Looking forward to catching up with as many parents as possible at this rewarding Dee Why PS event.

WORKING BEE
I would love to assist at the Working Bee on Saturday 8 March
11am – 12 noon ☐
12 noon – 1pm ☐
1pm – 2pm ☐
Name: ________________________________
Class .............
Phone No._________________________
For catering purposes how many people will be staying for lunch ________