



GWANDALAN PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



Tuesday, 15 October 2013

Dear Friends Of Gwandalan PS

Annual School Fete and Car Show ***Saturday 19th October*** ***10am - 2pm***

We look forward to seeing many students, families and friends at the Fete on Saturday. We hope for 2 parents per class to register as helpers throughout the day. Please contact your class teacher to volunteer your help. If you can assist with setting up or clearing up at the end of the day please complete the Information Sheet below and return it to school. It will be passed onto the P&C who always appreciate your help.

NAPLAN ASSESSMENT RESULTS

NAPLAN RESULTS ARE NOW AVAILABLE FOR COLLECTION AT THE OFFICE

SPECIAL SWIMMING SCHEME

The Scheme will commence on Mon 4th November and continue through until 15th November. Information has been sent home to students in Years 2, 3 & 4 to attend the Special Swimming Scheme in Term 4. Non swimmers in Years 5 & 6 may be offered positions if there are any vacancies.

Priority is given to Year 2, 3 and 4 students. There are 60 positions available. Lessons are free but pool entry must be paid. Our research from last year indicated that costs would exceed \$100 for the 10 days by using buses but by walking to and from Point Wolstoncroft Sport and Recreation Centre, the cost is \$40. There are 15 positions still available.

Living on the Central Coast and having water surrounding us, this is a great opportunity for your child to learn to swim and be aware of water safety and water skills.

P & C BARGAIN BUYERS WAREHOUSE SHOPPING TOUR

We regret that this shopping trip has been cancelled due to lack of interest. Deposits paid will be refunded.

P & C CRAZY CAMEL CALENDERS

Many families were so impressed with the quality of these products that we have decided to place another order. If you are interested in ordering extra products please place your order with the office. Prices: calenders \$13 each, 2 for \$25, 3 for \$35. Cards \$13 each, 2 for \$25, 3 for \$35. Diary \$17 each.

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Sporting Houses
Awabakal - Green
Coomalong - Blue
Eurie - Red

School Rules
1. Show Respect
2. Let Everyone Learn
3. Play Safely

P&C meets on the
1st Tuesday of each month
in the Community Room
at 3.30pm.

All parents and members
are invited to attend.

Office Hours
8:40am-3:15pm

**RESPECT • RESPONSIBILITY • FAIRNESS • INTEGRITY • PARTICIPATION
EXCELLENCE • DEMOCRACY • CO-OPERATION • CARE • FORGIVENESS**

STATE ATHLETICS

Good luck to both Annabelle and Charlotte Lowe who compete at the NSW State Athletics carnival this week at Homebush. Annabelle will represent the Sydney North region in the 11 years girls 800m and Charlotte in the 10 years girls 800m at state. Well done girls and we are sure you will both represent our school in the best possible manner.

Dates to Remember

Refer to the School Calender on our website for further information

Fri 18 th Oct	Great Aussie money due
Sat 19 th Oct	School Fete
Tue 29 th Oct	Great Aussie Bush Camp Leaves
Fri 1 st Nov	Great Aussie Bush Camp Returns
Mon 4 th Nov	Swimming Scheme Commences
Fri 15 th	Swimming Scheme Finishes
Wed 4 th Dec	Presentation Day
Thu 5 th Dec	Farewell to Year 6
Fri 6 th Dec	Rewards Day

WANTED FOR FETE

- **SMALL JARS**
- **BOOKS**
- **TRASH AND TREASURE**

If you can assist please hand in to the school office and the staff will give to the appropriate people.
Thank you.

Turn off the TV or computer and get active

- ✓ Set a limit on the amount of time children watch television or spend on the computer. Two hours a day is the maximum. Too much screen time limits physical activity.
- ✓ On the weekend, live life instead of watching it on TV. Find a new place to hike, bike or run. When you hear "I'm bored" – think of something active to do.
- ✓ **Be confident setting firm limits on screen time**
- ✓ Parents need to set the boundaries. Set 'no television' or 'no computer' time spots – e.g. between 3pm and 5pm. Consider banning eating and drinking in front of a screen.

VOLUNTEER HELPER – FETE

I _____ am available to help for a period of _____ hours.

I would prefer to help from _____ to _____

Children's Name and class: _____

You can contact me on _____
Phone

CONCERT DVD ORDER \$10.00 EACH

If you would like to purchase a DVD from our wonderful concert, please complete the following order form and return to your child's class room teacher. Orders will be taken until the Fete and delivery of the DVD will be shortly after.

STUDENTS NAME: _____

CLASS: _____

NUMBER OF DVD'S: _____

I HAVE ENCLOSED \$_____



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Chain Valley Bay
Mannering Park
Summerland Point
Gwandalan
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 and encourages
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