MANNING GARDENS PUBLIC SCHOOL

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What's on at The Gardens? <u>Happening soon:</u>

Thur 15 Sept - Yarn Up

Thur 15 Sept - Indigenous Dance 8.00am -cancelled

Fri 16 Sept - Uni Day at Newcastle

Fri 16 Sept - Cricket NSW visit

Tue 20 Sept - Excellence Assembly -10.30am

Wed 21 Sept - School Disco - 4.30-6.00pm

Fri 23 Sept - Last day of school for Term 3

Indigenous Dance

There will be <u>no Indigenous Dance</u> tomorrow Thursday 15th September. This will make it the end of Indigenous dance for this term.

FUTSAL

Today 14th Sept is the last day of FUTSAL for the term.

"Discover Uni Day"

Students from Year Six and the manning area have been given the opportunity to experience a day on campus at Newcastle Uni this *Friday* 16th September 2011.

A reminder to students that the bus will depart from Chatham High School at 7.15am and will return by 4.45pm.

School Banking

A reminder to all who have received banking application packs, please return your completed forms with relevant identification to the office as soon as possible. Bank books will be sent in the mail once applications have been processed by the Bank. We cannot commence banking until books have been received. If anyone would like an application pack please call at the office.

Naplan

Naplan results had been sent home with students yesterday, please make sure your child has brought this home. If you would like to discuss these results with your child's teacher don't hesitate to arrange a time.

Cricket NSW

An officer from Cricket NSW will be attending MGPS to offer a special coaching clinic for students in years 2-5, this Friday 16th September 2011. This is a <u>free</u> coaching clinic and children will be participating in coaching clinics groups in the morning.

Fundraising

A big thank you to everyone who purchased Fathers Day Gifts from our stall. We raised a total of \$245.30.



Please make sure that you collect your child by 6.00pm from the hall. Spring Rainbow Bands will be available to purchase at 50 cents each.

All funds raised go towards the Year Six Farewell.



School Photos

We will let you know when we are expecting them.

Photos can otherwise be ordered on-line at www.fotosales.com.au after your child has received his or her bookmark. On-line orders will cost an extra \$5 for postage and handling.

Coles & Woolies Vouchers

Keep bringing in your Coles and Woolies vouchers to the school. We are halfway through the Coles Voucher program with our goal being 20,000 vouchers. So keep them coming in!

Excellence Assembly

Parent invitations will be sent home shortly to those parents with children receiving an excellence award at the assembly on Tuesday 20th September 2011 at 10.30am in the hall. Look out for your invitation!

Gymnastics

3/4B will be going to their gymnastics session tomorrow.

Due to the strike last week, 3/4B missed their gymnastics session. To make up for this they will be going next Thursday 22nd Sept, which will be the last week for them. Please make sure your child hand's in their money if they haven't already to the school office.

Gymnastics Support Classes

SC3, SC4 and SC5 gymnastics, next Monday 19th September is the last day.

Please make sure permission notes and payment of \$3.00 is sent to the class teacher.

Many River Diabetes Surveys

If your child is involved in the Many River Diabetes Surveys please return ASAP. Any questions? Contact Josephine Gwynn at University of Newcastle on 4923 6745.

Community News

Chatham Cundle Junior Cricket Club

Registration days will be held at the "Chris Dempsey" Cricket net complex cnr of Gipps St and Recreation Drive Chatham;

Registration/Training days

Wednesday 14/9/11 - 3.45 to 5.00pm Thurs 15/0/11 - 3.15 to 5.00pm Registration only

Wednesday 21/9/11 - 3.45 to 5.00pm

Thurs 22/9/11 - 3.45 to 5.00pm registration only

All new players are welcomed as we have vacancies in all groups. For further information contact David Burley on 0429 457 247 or email david@glass247.com.au.

The Crowdy Head Surf Life Saving Club

2011-2012 Surf Life Saving season for children aged 5 to 15 are invited to join CHSLSC Junior Activities Group/Nippers. The season begins on Sunday 9th October (last weekend of the school holidays) with a 9.30am start at Crowdy Head Beach.

Registration costs \$35.00

Registration days and pool proficiency swims are being held on Sat 10th Sept and Sat 17th Sept 10.30am to 4.00pm and Tues 13th and Thurs 15th Sept 4.30pm o 5.30pm at the Manning Aquatic and Leisure Centre Taree.

For enquiries call Des Augey on 6556 5075 or Toni Davis on 6553 3634.

Greater Taree City Library

Greater Taree City Libraries are offering exciting activities this September -October school holidays including free movie screenings, craft workshops, Indigenous art workshops by local culture group Gangga Marrag, a digital storytelling workshop - plus writing workshops by well-known children's author Aleesah Darlison. There is lots to do at your library this coming school holidays.

For more information or to receive a copy of the program email tareelibrary@gtcc.nsw.gov. au or come into the school office for a program.



Taree Swimming Club

Registration Days: Thurs 15th and Tues 20th Sept.

The Club meets at the Manning Aquatic and Leisure Centre on Monday nights at 5.45pm.

First club night is on 10th October and goes until April.

The club caters for all levels of swimmers from 15 metre swimmers to long distance including adults.

For enquiries ring Roxanne on 6552 7373.