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MANNING GARDENS PUBLIC SCHOOL





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# WHAT'S ON AT THE GARDENS?

# Week 8 (26 November - 30 November)

Wednesday - AAS Bowling (SC4 & SC5) Wednesday - AAS Cricket Friday - Kinder Orientation Special Breakfast 10.00am Friday - Whole School Assembly

# Week 9 (3 December - 7 December)

Monday to Wednesday - 3/4S & 4/5M Camp Monday - Walking School Bus Monday - Infants Water Confidence Lessons (session 4) Monday - AAS Circus Skills Wednesday - AAS Bowling Wednesday - AAS Cricket Wednesday - P & C Meeting 5.00pm in Staffroom Thursday - Year 6 Farewell Friday - Student Leader Voting

# Week 10 ( 10 December - 14 December)

Monday - Walking School Bus Wednesday - Excellence Assembly Thursday - Presentation Day, BBQ and "Gardens Got Talent" concert Thursday - Preschool Christmas Party Friday - Volunteers Morning Tea Friday - Infants End Of Year Excursion to Cinema

# Excellence Assembly & Presentation Day

These two special events will be held during Week 10. Invitations for family and friends to attend will be sent home soon.

# "Garden's Got Talent" Concert

After Presentation Ceremony there will be a BBQ to farewell Mr Reeson. All families and community members are invited to come along and say goodbye to Mr Reeson and then stay to watch the concert. All of the children have been practising for their individual class performance. Expect to see some fantastic singing and dancing!

# Special Thank You

The school would like to thank Wendy for volunteering and providing a creative arts program for the students. Wendy has been working with students from Preschool to Year 6 teaching them dance, movement and how to use recycled items creatively.

Unfortunately Wendy has injured her ankle and will not be returning this year. We hope to see her back in 2013.

# **GREAT NEWS!!**

Our school has been successful in receiving further support from the Australian Children's Music Foundation. For 2013 we will have the expertise of a drumming teacher one day per week.

Tish will also continue to volunteer to support students teaching them to learn to play a variety of musical instruments.

We are very lucky to have her expertise and dedication.



Students from 2B enjoy learning the bells with Tish

# Special Kinder & New Preschoolers 2013

# Breakfast - THIS FRIDAY

This Friday 30 November from 10:00am until 11:30am, a special breakfast will be held in the Koori Community Room for parents and new students where they will meet their buddy for next year.

# Infants End of Year Excursion

On Friday 14 December, classes KT, 1S and 2B will be going on an excursion to Fays Twin Cinema to see the movie "Hotel Transylvania" and then to Fotheringham Park for a picnic lunch. Please send your permission note and \$12.00 to school as soon as possible.

# Classes 3/4S & 4/5M Camp to Booti Booti N.P

Students from these classes will have the opportunity to attend a two night camp to Booti Booti National Park and also Camp Elim at Pacific Palms. This will be from Monday 3 to



Wednesday 5 December. The cost is \$25.00 per student. Permission notes and full payment was due **in today**. If you have not returned these but would like your child to attend, please send money and note tomorrow. This will be subject to a place being available.

# CANTEEN and P&C NEWS

# P & C Christmas Hamper Raffle

Please support our Christmas Hamper Raffle. <u>1st prize:</u> Large kitchen inspired hamper including \$20.00 Caltex Gift Card <u>2nd prize:</u> Medium kids stationary inspired hamper including a \$20.00 Caltex Gift Card

\$1.00 per ticket, available at the canteen on Tuesdays, Wednesdays or Thursdays. Drawn on Presentation Day Friday 14 December.

# **Christmas Stalls**

Christmas stalls will be held in the hall from Tuesday 27 November until Thursday 29 November at first break only. There will be a fabulous range of presents to be purchased with the prices ranging from 50 cents to \$15.00.

Your support of this fundraising event will be greatly appreciated and you will be purchasing some great Christmas presents at the same time.



# Summer Specials

Traffic Light Kebabs	50 cents each
Fruit Yogurt Smoothies	\$1.00 each
Mini Submarines	\$1.50 each

# Special Meal offer Thursday 6 December

Sausage sizzle \$2.00 each LOL's \$2.00 each Please pre-order special meal. The canteen will be closed second break. The only food available second break will be pre-ordered sausage sizzle.

# <u> P & C MEETING</u>

# Change of date

The next P & C Meeting will be held Wednesday 5 December at 5.00pm in the staff room. All welcome!!

# <u>Chickenpox</u>

There has been a case of chickenpox at school recently. What are the signs and symptoms of the virus?

- Mild fever;
- Runny nose;
- Fatigue; and
- General rash.

People with chickenpox should avoid contact with others and not attend work, school or childcare until five days after the onset of the rash when all blisters have crusted.

#### BAAYA YURRUNG PRESCHOOL NEWS

The children love to help and be involved with all there is at Preschool.

Schein Keleah is caring for our worm farm.

Koby and Rory are cleaning up after painting.
Koby is creating a recycling box.



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# **Community News**

# Celebrate International Day of People with dis-ABILITY by enjoying a dinner dance!

A community event at Gloucester Soldiers Club. Friday 30 November from 6.00pm - 10.00pm Cost \$10 per person or \$30 family (4 people) Band: "Tex Muleskin" Dress: Country Style (optional) Phone 6558 2063 for more information

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