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FIREWORKS/AUCTION NIGHT

WOW ... What a success!!

A HUGE thank you to all parents, grandparents, staff and community members. We have held another very successful Fireworks/Auction fundraiser event. Our fundraising profits this year will be used to refurbish the ‘tired’ tennis court area. We are looking at making it an all sports area.

For everyone’s interest, our very active P&C has in previous years raised funds to:

*Subsidise the cost for the students who attend the Bi-Annual Sport and Recreation Camp
*Purchase Home Readers for classrooms
*Install the new fence in the playground
*Refurbish the current Kitchen into what it is today
*Pay for the concrete for footpaths
*Purchase a BBQ
*Purchased very recently a new Fridge
*Purchased the Freezer that is in the Kitchen
*Purchased the Bea Marie
*Purchased the Pie Warmer
*Purchase Presentation Night books for awards
*Install Air Conditioning in classrooms
*Purchase the Interactive Whiteboard in the K-2 room
*Purchased new computers
*Provided funds for half the cost of the sprinkler system.

What an amazing effort from our very dedicated P&C over many years. Your hard work really makes a difference to our students and school. The costs and income for this year is yet to be finalised and we will be doing the tally over the next couple of weeks, but ... we could be looking at a very, very conservative $8,500. We are hoping this profit will be a little higher but do not want to build hopes too high at this moment! Regardless of a profit close to the conservative figure or a figure a little higher, this is still a massive profit for our P&C!

Thank you all again from us here at school.

RECORDER CLUSTER REHEARSAL

The cluster rehearsal for the Festival of Instrumental Music (Recorders) concert at the Opera House will be held at Bowral Public School this Thursday 12 June. Students will need to take their recess and lunch. We will leave for Bowral Public School as soon as the second bus arrives at school and we will be arriving back at school for the afternoon bus. Those students not attending the Opera House performance will stay at school and work in the K-2 classroom on work that has been left for them. There is another permission note attached to this newsletter if you haven’t already returned your note with the $6.00 bus cost. This price is heavily subsidised by school funds.

NATIONAL CONSISTENT COLLECTION OF DATA ON SCHOOL STUDENTS WITH DISABILITY (NCCD)

The Australian Government, together with all states and territories, is implementing a new national data collection about students with disability. This national data collection aligns with educational obligations to provide adjustments for students who need them under the Disability Discrimination Act 1992 and the Disability Standards for Education 2005. The national data collection on students with disability is based on the professional judgment of teachers about their students. Please refer to the Parent/Carers note attached to this newsletter for more information. If you do not want your child to be included in the data collection, please let us know.

ASSEMBLY

Our last assembly for this term is tomorrow. We hope that you can come along at 2.20 and share it with us.

SYDNEY OPERA HOUSE EXCURSION

Thank you to those who have returned their permission note, medical form and money for this excursion.
As the time for this excursion is drawing closer, for those who have not yet had a chance to send the notes and money to school, attached to your Newsletter will be another set of forms. Please fill in the forms and return them and money to school by the end of this week, which will allow us to finalise all the information we need. Please contact us if you have any queries about this or come to school and see us.

**WEDNESDAY LUNCH**
Wednesday lunch this week is Lasagne and garlic bread at $2.00. Thank you to Malui for preparing and serving hot lunch this week.

**RECESS BUY UP**
There will be recess buy up this week.

**FRIDAY LUNCH**
There will be no Friday Lunch this week.

**1. GOULBURN REGIONAL CONSERVATORIUM CONCERT**
All K-6 students are invited to a concert band performance at the Goulburn Regional Conservatorium on Thursday 19 June. As well as being introduced to musical instruments and the band performance, students will also have the opportunity to have a tour of the conservatorium.

The concert band performance is on between 10.30 and 12pm.

**2. GOULBURN RAIL HERITAGE CENTRE**
Following the visit to the Conservatorium, we will attend the Rail Heritage Centre on the Braidwood Road. Extract from the Goulburn Rail Heritage Centre website: "Built in 1918, the Goulburn Roundhouse was saved from demolition by the Goulburn Roundhouse Preservation Society. It is now home to a large collection of rolling stock and various exhibits, as well as privately owned locomotives and carriages."

We will be attending the Goulburn Rail Heritage Centre between 1.00 pm and 2.15 pm. Students are to wear their full school uniform. They are to take their recess and lunch with them. We will be leaving school at approximately 9.30am and returning in time for the normal bus run in the afternoon.

We will need parents to assist us with private transport for this day please.

The cost of this excursion is $10, which is $5 for bus hire and $5 for entry to the Goulburn Rail Heritage Centre. A permission note is attached to this newsletter with details, cost and a section to fill in if you are able to help us with transport.

**CWA COUNTRY OF STUDY FOR 2014**
This year the CWA country of study is Botswana. The K-1 students will complete a colouring page at school and the students in Years 2-6 will complete research questions at school and then be sent home some cardboard so they can complete their project. The K-1 students received their cardboard last week and the 3-6 students received theirs today. Please remember that students are encouraged to print out any pictures or information that they need to complete their posters at school if they need to.

**GRC PARTNER SCHOOLS’ CONCERT**
The GRC will be presenting a special concert just for our Partner School Students. This will be held on Saturday 21 June between 2.00 and 3.00pm at the GRC. Please see the attached note from Miss A. and fill in and return to school by next Monday 16 June 2014.
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### JUNE BIRTHDAYS

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