



Wentworth Public School Newsletter

23rd September 2009

HEALTHY EATING HABITS

During the recent 'healthy lunch' fortnight, it was evident that a lot of students do not bring food which will sustain them throughout the day.

Homemade and healthy will always provide better reserves of energy than chips, shapes, mousse. Salt and sugar provide only short bursts of energy after which children feel flat. Try and provide your child with plenty of fresh fruit and vegetables, salads and water. The school has class fridges which allows the lunches to keep from being spoiled. With summer on its way, now is the best time to provide fresh and healthy.

KITCHEN GARDEN SURVEY

Thank you to all the families who have responded so far. We will add these ideas to our children's list. Please return your forms as soon as possible.

LEADERS' CONFERENCE

Once again this opportunity has been presented to our children. We know they will make the most of the day and I'm confident our future Year 5 School Leaders will benefit enormously from this day. A reminder, that students need to be at school by **8.45am** sharp to catch the bus. There will be a pick up for Dareton students at the Dareton Primary School.

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CIRCUS CHALLENGE

A great lot of new circus ideas were shown to our children. A definite for a follow up in 2010.

STAFF CHANGES

Mrs Wade will now teach KM for the rest of the Term. Mr Marsh and Mrs Larwood will team teach 4-5Mac until the end of this Term. Thank you for supporting these necessary changes.

CONCERT PRACTICE

Due to poor weather, the concert rehearsal has been postponed until **October, 1st.**

All the very Best

Warren Davies

SRC NEWS

SRC has had a great idea of an adventure for your child's hair, for a day .We are planning it to be called, **CRAZY HAIR DAY**; on **Friday, 2nd October**. Your child will be able to wear crazy clothes as well; so if your child is in a crazy mood on the **2nd of October** dress them up and send them in for a Crazy day at school.

Morgan and Rhianna

WENTWORTH SHOW STAMP WINNERS

Congratulations to the following students;

1st: Todd Martin (Special), Lilly Henderson, Eli Kervin, Madison Gooding, Jaxon McInnes.

2nd: Jackson McDermott (Special), Sherri Elliott (Special), Emma White, Imogen Smith, Griffin Wheatley.

Highly Commended: Mitchell Davison.

3rd: Montana Norris.

Raised

**Responsibility
and Values**

*The school values
are;*

*Be polite and
consider others*

*Show respect for
everyone and
everything*

Be an active listener

*Be honest in words
and actions*

*Work and play
safely*

*Have a go and stay
on task*

BUNNINGS SAUSAGE SIZZLE ROSTER 27th SEPTEMBER, 2009

9-11:30AM Nikki Redpath, Narelle Job, Trish Jones and Darryl Wade

11:30-2:00PM Natalie Hopcroft, Kathryn Martin, Ivan Behsmann, Mandy Bone and Tanya White.

2:00-4PM Robert Daymond, Mark Hanneman, Kim Phillips & Greg Phillips

You will need to arrive at least ten minutes before your allocated time. It is really important that you contact Di Page on mobile 0408307292 if you are unable to attend.

CUTTING UP ONIONS

The P&C have a BBQ at Bunnings on **Sunday, 27th September**. We require three volunteers to cut up onions for half an hour on **Friday, 25th September**, in the Canteen at 2:30pm.

CANTEEN NEWS

25th September - Jacqui Ives & Jacqui Farnsworth

2nd October - Sharon Hopfner & George Wheatley

Due to rising costs of packaging, sauce will now be 20c.

PLEASE REMEMBER— BAGS ARE ESSENTIAL FOR ORDERING RECESS AND LUNCH, SEPARATELY.

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

NEWSLETTERS ON THE NET

A compressed version of the School Newsletter is available on the School's Web page: www.wentworth-p.schools.nsw.edu.au

HEAD LICE

Please check your child's hair regularly for Head Lice. Hair must be treated before children are permitted to attend school.

PEANUT BAN

As we have students who have a **SEVERE** allergy to nuts, children are requested **NOT** to bring any nuts or products containing nuts, in their lunches. Thank you.

SECOND-HAND UNIFORMS

Second-hand uniforms will be for sale.

Monday mornings — 9:00-9:30am. \$3 per item.

Heaps of Pants, Windcheaters and Polo Shirts available.

If you have any clean, reusable summer clothes. Please donate them to the uniform pool.

SHREDDED PAPER TO GIVE AWAY

We have a few bags of shredded paper to give away. Please pick one up from the front office.

WOOL AND MATERIAL SCRAPS WANTED!

We have recently been cleaning out our art supplies and are short of material scraps and wool. If you have anything at home that would be suitable to use for arts and crafts, please send them into school.

They will be put to great use.

Tracey Bradford

JUNGLE BOOK

On Wednesday, 28th October, 2009 the school will be attending a performance of "The Jungle Book" at the Mildura Arts Centre.

The children will travel to Mildura Arts Centre by bus.

The cost per child will be \$2. Please return the note attached to last week's newsletter and money before Friday, 2nd October.

LIBRARY NEWS

The Library will be winding down the Safari unit in the last two weeks of Term. Thank you to everyone who loaned items for the Library's great display. These will be returned to you before the holidays.

Next term, the Library will be turning into a castle with knights, princesses and dragons for the younger students and a medieval theme for the older ones. If anyone would like to loan the library any resources for this unit, it would be greatly appreciated.

Could all Library books please be returned next week?

Natalie Hopcroft

KITCHEN GARDEN NEWS

Thank you very much to Keiran for the two Penny farthing bikes that have arrived at school. These are going to look fantastic with plants potted in them. The Heritage garden is continuing to make progress with the assistance of Andrew Buffon. Over the weekend, Mark Hanneman has started to wash the walls of the Heritage building and we are all really pleased with how they are coming up. Wentworth Rotary asked me to speak at last night's meeting and they have offered to support our project in the future. We have also received a donation of cooking resources from the local newsagency. It has been great reading all the wonderful suggestions from homes regarding what Wentworth means to you. Thank you for taking the time to provide these fabulous suggestions.

We also have some photo/drawing plans of future project suggestions from Steve Hederics available if you would like to take a look.

The students of 2/3R have been making worm farms, 3/4B scarecrows and 4/5Mac are going to be designing bird patterns to paint on some 3D wood cut outs, in the near future. All of the classes visit the garden with me once a week to check progress, water, weed and generally have a chat about what is happening.

The 3/4 class have requested any of the following items for their scarecrows:

Watering can, piece of garden hose, boots, wheel barrow, swagman hats, pitch fork, gloves, chook feed bags, rope, overalls, old clothes and umbrella.

Natalie Hopcroft

SCHOOL CONCERT

In Week Three of Term 4, we will be holding our concert.

This year the theme is 'Circus'. All classes are busily putting their performances together.

Where: The Junction

When: Thursday 5th November

Time: 6:00pm

Cost: Free

During the intermission, Year 6 will be selling various foods and drinks to go along with our Circus theme.

All are welcome, please bring friends and family along with you to see our students perform.

We hope that you can all make it. See you there.

Regards,

Tracey Bradford

WENTWORTH DISTRICT JUNIOR FOOTBALL/NETBALL CLUB
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

28TH October 2009

George Gordon Oval Club Rooms, Dareton

Election of 2010 Committee

All parents of Footballers and Netballers are encouraged to attend as we are always seeking new committee members and helpers to assist in running the club.

Enquiries :0427274396 / 0435019926

COOMEALLA WENTWORTH CRICKET CLUB JUNIOR TRAINING

Under 10 and Under 12

Training is on Wednesday at Wentworth Oval from 4.00pm.

Games are on Sunday morning, season commencing **October 18**.

Under 14 and Under 16

Training is on Thursday at Dareton Oval from 4.00pm.

Games are on Saturday morning, season commencing **October 17**.

All new and existing players most welcome.

MILO CRICKET

Anyone interested in participating in Milo cricket (ages 5-8) this season, are asked to contact Jeremy Giddings on 50248208 (ah) or Sholto Douglas (50279327). This program runs during Term 4 only, one afternoon per week. It is the cricket equivalent of Auskick for football, where children are introduced to cricket and other fun activities. Program will only run if a sufficient level of interest is obtained.

September/October 2009

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
20/9	21/9	22/9	23/9 Concert Rehearsal School Banking	24/9 Leaders' Conference Year 6 Beyond the Line Visit	25/9 Canteen Leaders' Conference Year 5 Homework Grid Due	26/9
27/9 Bunnings BBQ	28/9 Secondhand Uniform Shop 9-9.30 Sunraysia Technology Camp	29/9 Sunraysia Technology Camp	30/9 School Banking	1/10	2/10 Jungle Book Notes Due Term 3 ends	3/10
18/10	19/10 Term 4 starts Homework Grid	20/10	21/10 <i>School Banking</i>	22/10	23/10 NO CANTEEN Early Learning Group 9-11	24/10
25/10	26/10 Secondhand Uniform Shop 9-9:30	27/10	28/10 Jungle Book Performance at Mildura Art Centre <i>School Banking</i>	29/10	30/10 Canteen Early Learning Group 9-11 Homework Grid Due	31/10
1/11	2/11 Secondhand Uniform Shop 9-9:30	3/11	4/11 <i>School Banking</i>	5/11 Concert 6:30pm @ The Junction	6/11 Canteen Early Learning Group 9-11	7/11

Joke!!

Q:What's slimy,
tastes of
raspberry, is
wobbly and
lives in the
sea.

A: A red jellyfish

Infant Brain
Teaser

Q:Some months
have 30 days, some
have 31, how many
have 28?

A:

Name:

Primary Brain
Teaser

Q:Past a
mountain,
meadow, field
and hill; it
follows a river
while standing
still

A:

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