



Pacific Palms Public School

Fete



SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 16TH 2012
9-1 at PACIFIC PALMS SCHOOL
 Boomerang Drive, Boomerang Beach

MARKET STALLS, FACE PAINTING
JUMPING CASTLE AND MEGA SLIDE,
EGG & BACON ROLLS, SAUSAGE SIZZLE
HAMBURGERS, CAFÉ AND CAKE STALL,
FRESH FRUIT, CHILDRENS CRAFT,
LIVE PERFORMANCES -music, dancing...,
2ND HAND BOOKS AND DISCS, PLANTS,
GAMES ZONE, TEMP TATTOOS, RAFFLES,
SNOW CONES, SNACKS, FAIRY FLOSS!

Stall enquiries welcome (no takeaway food or drinks)

New products space -----\$20.00

second hand space -----\$15.00

Enquiries – Melanie 0424 625 238 or school office 6554 0249

(Please make all cheques payable to Pacific Palms P&C Association)

ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT THE FANTASTIC CHILDREN OF
PACIFIC PALMS PUBLIC SCHOOL

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 “Your safe and caring community school”
 website: www.pacificpalms.p.schools.nsw.edu.au

OUR STUDENTS & STAFF EXCEL

Manning Zone Athletics Carnival

After having to stop the carnival half way through on the original day, all events were completed last Friday. I would like to congratulate all of our competitors for their exemplary behaviour at this event. Ms Newell reported on how wonderful all children were, being good sports and cheering on everyone from our school. Well done everyone, I am very proud of you.

Secondly congratulations to the following students who did so well they are now going onto the next level, the Hunter Regional Athletics Carnival on Friday, 31 August:

Mya McN

Hannah W

Bridget B

Jessica G

Tristan F

Angus A

Ellie J

WELCOME TO THE DAYS AHEAD

The following events are happening over the coming days and weeks:

UP AND COMING EVENTS CALENDER

Fri, 24 Aug	Assembly @ 2 pm in hall. 1/2 M class item. All welcome.
Tues, 28 Aug	School Photos - Please wear full school uniform.
Wed, 29 Aug	Father's Day Stall
Friday, 31 Aug	Regional Athletics Carnival
Mon, 3 Sept to Fri, 7 Sept	Swim School-Year 2, Year 3 and Year 4(nominated students). Remember to bring swimmers, towel, goggles.
Sun, 16 Sept	School Fete

SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

School Assembly - Friday, 24 August

Just a reminder we have a whole school assembly this Friday at 2 pm. A class item will be presented by 1/2 M. We hope lots of parents and friends can come along.

School Photos - Tuesday, 28 August

School Photos will be taken on Tuesday, 28 August 2012. Please return your school photo envelope to the front office prior to photo day. Please include the correct money. Direct deposits are also accepted as per the photo form. If you would like a Sibling Photo Form please collect one from the front office. PLEASE WEAR FULL SCHOOL UNIFORM ON PHOTO DAY.

School Musical: Pirates of the Curry Bean

Rehearsals are progressing well for this exciting production. I know it will be wonderful but I also know there is a lot of work involved in this type of event. So my sincere thanks to Mrs Brislane and Ms Perkins who are the main people behind this. As well as working with the students at school they are doing a lot at home to make this a great experience for our students. Thank you!

INFORMATION FOR OUR PARENTS

Father's Day Stall

Our P&C will be holding a Father's Day stall on Wednesday, 29 August 2012. Each child will visit the stall to choose a gift for their father or carer. Siblings will visit the stall together. The cost will be \$5 per child or \$10 per family.

Volunteers Needed - School Vegetable Garden

Thank you to the gardening volunteers who have already given their time to the garden. All of the wonderful produce is used by our school canteen to make healthy food for our children. If you enjoy gardening, and have some spare time, your help in the garden would be greatly appreciated.

BOOK WEEK CELEBRATIONS

A very big thank you to Mrs Lowry and her helpers for organising such a wonderful Book Fair and dress up day yesterday. It was so exciting to see the children arrive dressed as all sorts of different characters. The staff loved dressing up as well! It makes it even more fun for our children when staff members get so involved on days like this. I'm sure the children will remember the fun they had for quite a while.



NIPPERS 2012-13

NIPPERS REGISTRATION

The 2012 – 2013 season of Nippers will kick off on the beach on **Sunday 7 October, 2012.**

Registration will be open to all children between the ages of 5 – 14. (*Child must turn 5 before 30 September 2012.*)

Registration Dates:

Registration days will be held at Pacific Palms Surf Club on the following dates:

- ❖ **Sunday 1 September (10.00am – 12.00pm)**
- ❖ **Sunday 9 September (10.00am – 12.00pm)**
- ❖ **Sunday 16 September – School Fete**

Clothing will be available for purchase at these registration days.

Registration costs:

- 1st child: \$35.00
- 2nd child: \$30.00 etc
- Parent: \$15.00 *1 parent per family to be registered*

*Please note there will be no registrations taken the morning of the 1st Nippers day. Your children **MUST** be fully registered before they are allowed to participate in activities.*

Proficiency tests:

Children who are entering the age groups of Under 8 (*turning 7 before 30 September 2012*) and above are required to undertake a swimming proficiency test. A representative of Nippers will be available at the Great Lakes Aquatic Centre on **Saturday 8 September (11:00 – 12:00pm)** to grade this test. If you are unable to attend this time please ask for a testing certificate at time of registration which can be completed by the lifeguard on duty. This test **MUST** be undertaken and the completed certificate supplied before Nippers will be allowed to enter the water.

For further information please contact:

Lianna Koller (Secretary) 0418 217 759
Tori Montague (Registrar) 0411 401 558

Pacific Palms

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INFORMATION FOR OUR PARENTS cont.

School Fete - Sunday, 16 September 2012

Our school fete will be held on Sunday, 16 September from 9 am to 1 pm at the school. If you would like to book a stall space, please contact **Melanie** on **0424 625 238** or drop your money into the office with name and contacts. If you would like to perform a dance, song, act on the day please contact Melanie too.

The P&C are also seeking sponsors for the Giant Slide and Jumping Castle at the upcoming fete. This is one of the school's major fundraising events for the year. If you own a local business, this is an opportunity to promote your business within the school community. All sponsors will be acknowledged on the day of the fete and in the school newsletter.

The cost of the combined slide and castle is \$1,100. If you are able to assist by contributing \$100 towards the slide, any additional income on the day will assist the school in covering the cost and increase fundraising for the school.

Please contact Virginia Healey for further information on 0411 151 259 or email mvhealey@bigpond.com

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

My Absence From School

Next week I will be working in a regional team on a school review at another school so I will be out of the school for three days. Following that I will be taking long service leave for the rest of the term. During my absence Mr Ryan will be Relieving Principal. Thank you to Mr Ryan for being prepared to step up into this role. We are very fortunate that Ms Lorna Tobin, who is a very experienced teacher, is available to teach Mr Ryan's class during this time.

Kerry Tulloch
Principal

JUNIOR TOUCH REGISTRATION

Tuesday 21st & 28th August 5.30 - 6.30pm @ the Tuncurry Touch Fields

& Sat 25th August 10am - 12pm @ Stocklands, Forster

COST: \$35 per player

Comp Starts: Tuesday, 11th September

DIVISIONS: 6/7 Mixed, Boys & Girls 8/9, 10/11, 12/13, 14/15 Year olds
Register a team or individually

(No more than 3 current representative players per team or team will be required to play up an age division)

To download the registration form & find out Direct Deposit details

Google - Forster Tuncurry Touch

G A R A G E S A L E

SATURDAY, 25 AUGUST 2012

8.30 am to 12.30 pm

27 Belbourie Crescent, Boomerang Beach

Items for Sale and many more...

- 3 Piece Lazi Boy Lounge (3 seater, 2 seater & 1 armchair) - chocolate brown & black, very comfortable - \$500 ONO
- Bric & Brac & tents
- Camping gear - some never used
- Wentworth swags, cookers, table chairs etc

Coming Soon

Ladies Night

**Postponed till
27th October**



Giveaways

Special Menu!

**Please phone the Club-
bookings essential!**

**Bookings of 4 receive
a free bottle of wine!
Get the girls together
and have a great nite!**

Entertainment

**Fri Nite
31st
August
Karaoke**



FREE TRIVIA



**August 23rd
6.30PM**



www.pacificpalmsbowlingclub.com.au

ppbowlclub@westnet.com.au

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INFORMATION FOR MEMBERS

WEEKS EVENTS

MON

Darts 7pm

TUES

BINGO 11.00am

Members Happy Hour

3.30pm-5pm

WED

Ladies Bowls 10am

Fishing Club Raffle 7pm

THUR

Mens Bowls 1pm

FRI

Raffles & "Super 100"

Tickets on sale from 7pm

SAT

TAB Racing

Sun

Junior Bowls

Social Bowls 1pm

\$5.00 per person

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Raffles**

Tickets on Sale at 7pm

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15 Chances to Win

(Can reach a maximum of \$2000),

INCREASES \$100 EVERY WEEK IF NOT WON

As at 24/8/12

\$700 in cash

**Members
Reward**



**\$50 Club
Voucher**

**Drawn at 5pm
each Monday**

**Winner does not have to be
present and will be
notified to claim their
voucher.**

Bingo

**Tuesdays at 11.00 am
All Welcome**



Ever thought of learning a martial art?

Have you heard of Aikido...

"Aikido is not a technique to fight and defeat the enemy. It is the way to reconcile the world and make human beings one family." - Morihei Ueshiba



Classes: 3.45pm-4.45pm Thursdays
\$7 a class, or 2 kids for \$10.
Bungwahl Historic Hall, The Lakes Way

Any enquiries please call Mandy on 0427 355 243

Invite a little bit of Italy into your home!

Become second parents to an exchange student as they adapt themselves to the Aussie way of life and share their cuisine, history and culture with you. Volunteer host families come from all walks of life and communities: rural, suburban and urban. Contact WEP for more information: 1300 884 733 or wep.org.au

Costanza participated in a semester-long student exchange program with World Education Program (WEP) Australia. At the end of her program, Costi shared the following:

Thank You! Two words that I probably didn't have the chance to say properly so far. Thank you to the coolest host mum, to the nicest host dad and to the funniest host sisters ever! Thank you for making every day of my stay so wonderful and keeping away that homesickness that could have shown up without you. Thank you for all the little moments we shared together, Riley's birthday, the pizza night and all our 'Australian's Next Top Model' nights. Thank you for having been there for me even in the worst moments. Of course it hasn't been always smooth and soft, no one is perfect, and you got to know me and eventually accept me even when I make mistakes.

This is what I thank you for, for letting me into your family and say one more time: Thank you! You've been the most wonderful host family that I could possibly have!



HOSTING IS FUN!

Join the WEP community and become a volunteer host family to an Italian exchange student.



World Education Program Australia Limited (ABN 82 068 280 297)
PO Box 260, Black Rock 3193, Melbourne, Victoria
T 03 9588 4723 F 03 9588 4233 E info@wep.org.au
A not-profit student exchange organisation registered with the Education Department

WWW.WEP.ORG.AU
1300 884 733

Unfortunately



It is with a heavy heart that we wish to inform all players and their parents of the Pacific Palms Football Club that next season (2013) we are staring down the barrel of folding the club.

We have been running the club with a committee of just 4 members, and next year we will be losing 1, and maybe 2 of them. It has been a difficult and testing year with so few members doing many jobs, and just cannot be done with even less.

Our club is a strong and proud one, and has been running successfully for many years in the district and has always been one of the stalwarts of the competition.

As the saying goes, "Many hands make light work" so with this in mind, we urge you to consider taking a position on the committee to prevent this happening.

The alternative would be, you would have no choice but to join a club in town which would mean trainings and games would require considerably more travel.

These positions are not too time consuming, and training and guidance will be provided.

Please contact Mark Lawson (0409 247050) or Mark Workum (0414 750844)
The future of the club is in your hands.....



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PIZZA TIME!

Wednesday

TAKEAWAY DEAL

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- Buy 2 pizzas, & get 1 FREE!



Sunday

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PACIFIC PALMS PUBLIC SCHOOL

Minutes of P & C Meeting Date: Monday, 20th August 2012

1.0 Welcome, Attendance, Apologies

ACTION

- 1.1 Meeting opened
- 1.2 Present: Virginia Healey, Kate McLean, Wendy Natoli, Rod Ryan

Apologies: Kerry Tulloch, Kath Furney, Jackie Medlock, Melanie Ledgett

2.0 Agenda: Omissions/Alterations/Matters for General Business

- 2.1 Alteration to the Agenda –
- 2.2 Matters for General Business: -

3.0 Minutes of Previous P & C Meeting

Business Arising

Acceptance of the Minutes of the P & C Meeting held on Monday, 23rd July 2012

Moved: V Healey Seconded: Carried

4.0 Correspondence

- 4.1 **Inwards Tabled** - CHALK Fundraising letter and catalogues. Letter from Michelle Bruniges – Director General of Education & Communities regarding Local Schools – Local Decisions.

- 4.2 **Outwards Tabled** - nil

Acceptance of the correspondence inwards & outwards as tabled.

Moved: V. Healey Seconded: K McLean Carried

5.0 Finance Reports

P&C Account 1st July to 31st July 2012

Opening Balance	\$2,944.63
Income:	110.85
Expenditure:	335.00
Closing Balance	\$2,720.48

Canteen Account 1st July to 31st July 2012

Opening Balance	\$2,423.53
Income:	\$1,858.44
Expenditure:	\$3,047.45
Closing Balance	\$1,234.52

Uniform Account 1st July to 31st July 2012

Opening Balance	\$4,004.84
Income:	827.67
Expenditure:	135.40
Closing Balance	\$4,697.11

Chaplaincy Account 1st July to 31st July 2012

Opening Balance	\$ 1,716.78
Income:	\$20,001.29
Expenditure:	0
Closing Balance	\$21,718.07

Long Service Leave Account 1st July to 31st July 2012

Opening Balance	\$240.16
Income:	0
Expenditure:	0
Closing Balance	\$240.16

Finance Reports: Moved: W. Natoli Seconded: V. Healey

6.0 Presidents Report –

- **CHALK** – Kate to organise a coordinator and get catalogues out. **KM**
- **Art Festival \$** - the P&C would like to discuss with the school the best way to utilize these funds.

Acceptance of the Presidents Report as tabled.

Moved: V Healey Seconded: W Natoli

7.0 Principals Report – Rod Ryan (for Kerry Tulloch)

- **Wireless** – the school is hoping to have wireless connection throughout the school next month.
- **Bike Track Group** – the Bike Track Group would like to support the Fete by organising a bike ride from Blueys shops to the school. Prizes will be offered and a bike mechanic at school to check out bikes etc. *It was suggested that a safer route would be Elizabeth Beach to the school.*
- **Fete Stalls** – class stalls so far include Tattoos, Fairy Floss and Snow Cones, Candles, Chairs and Buckets, Table Mats and Stress Balls
- **Anniversary Celebrations** – It was suggested the P&C organise tea and coffee for interval of the school production. 3 performances.

Acceptance of the Principals Report as tabled.

Moved: V Healey Seconded: W Natoli

8.0 General Business

- **AGM** - It was discussed that the AGM will be held at night (6pm) with babysitting provided.
- **Administration** – to be kept within the P&C. Kate to create proformas to work on. **KM**
VH to follow up office regarding documents already created. **VH**

9.0 Meeting Closed – 4:35 pm

Next meeting will be held Monday 17th September 2012