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Term 1—Week 7

8/03/2016

School Calendar



Term 1 2016

March 11	World's Greatest Shave
March 16	School Photos Sydney North Swimming
March 17	Healthy Harold
March 18	Book Club Orders Due
March 21	Harmony Day Easter Scripture Assembly
March 24	Easter Egg Hunt
March 25	Good Friday
March 28	Easter Monday
April 6	P&C Meeting Library 7pm
April 8	Small Schools' cross Country CMPS



**Congratulations
Charlotte & Alex**

PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

Learning Management and Business Reform (LMBR)

Over the next 10 weeks Mrs Comensoli and I will be participating in training for the new LMBR system that is due to 'go live' on May, 16th. The training for Mrs Comensoli will consist of 15 days and 5 for myself. We will have Mrs James and Mrs Padgett working in the office on these days, however we will need everyone to be patient during this time as it is a huge change for schools and the way things are run.

A letter explaining the days that changes will be noticed will be sent out early next term. We thank you in advance for your understanding.

P&C News

Last week we had the P&C's Annual General Meeting where a new committee was formed. A huge thank you to outgoing members for their hard work and dedication over the past year (some, the past several years).

Congratulations to the new committee members. There are still a few vacant positions (see this week's P&C Report later in the newsletter). If you are interested, please contact the P&C through their email address or contact the office. All help is greatly appreciated!

Zone Swimming

Yesterday we had 13 students attend the Brisbane Water Zone Swimming Carnival at the Peninsula Leisure Centre. Congratulations to all students who swam so well and we have two students, Alexander and Charlotte, who have qualified for the Sydney North Swimming Carnival to be held at Homebush next Wednesday, 16th March. Good luck!

Huge congratulations to Charlotte who was the 11yr Girls Champion for the zone – what a fantastic effort!

Year 3 & 4 Zoo Snooze Excursion

This year, our Year 3 and 4 students have the opportunity to attend a combined Mountain Schools excursion to Taronga Zoo to participate in the Zoo Snooze program. We are booked to go on the 24th of May and return on the 25th – yes, an overnight excursion!

An expression of interest note has been sent home and will need to be returned with a deposit to secure a place on the camp. Permission and medical notes will be sent home to those who have returned their EOI at the beginning of next term.

World's Greatest Shave

This Friday Dane T. will be participating in the World's Greatest Shave, raising money for leukaemia research. To help Dane raise money for this wonderful

P & C

Contact information

somersbypandc@gmail.com

Nicki Ward 0417 721 435

Uniform Shop

Thursdays 2.30pm to 3pm

Mrs Kirrilly Green

Email:

heycat1@bigpond.com

Canteen 11/03/16

Fried Rice \$4.00

Lasagne* \$3.50

Ham & Cheese

Macaroni* \$4.00

***Limited quantities**

Quote of the Day

***"The best way to cheer
yourself up is to cheer
someone else up"***

Mark Twain

FOR SALE:

FRESH EGGS

\$3 per dozen.

See office.



*The community
acknowledges
traditional custodians of
the land on which the
school is located.*

cause, we are asking students to come in mufti clothes for a gold coin donation. All money donated will go to Dane and his fundraising efforts. Well done Dane, we look forward to watching the head shaving on Friday at 2pm in the COLA. All parents and family members are invited to come along and support!

Book Club

A reminder to please have all orders, including online orders finalised by Friday March 18th. Thank you.

Kate Padgett

Office News

On Friday 11th March and Monday 14th March I will be attending LMBR training. Mrs Tanya James will be in the office on both of these days. Tuesday 15th March is also a training day so Mrs Padgett will be manning the office.

Mrs Comensoli

P&C News

2016 P&C committee appointed

It was great to see several new members attending last Wednesday's P & C AGM and general meetings. At the AGM, all positions were declared vacant, and the following officers were appointed:

President:	Wendy Paxton
Vice Presidents:	Nicki Ward & Joey Kent
Treasurer:	Marguerite Sammut
Secretary (minutes):	Jenny Tinworth
Secretary (correspondence):	Vacant
Publicity officer:	Jenny Tinworth
Canteen officers:	Joey Kent & Jessica Wise
Uniform officer:	Vacant
Fundraising officer:	Danielle McKendrick
Country Fair Representative:	Vacant
Central Coast Council of P&Cs Representatives (2):	Vacant

Several positions are still vacant. If you are interested in helping out in the areas of correspondence secretary, uniform officer or representing the school at the Mangrove Country Fair or Central Coast Council of P&Cs, please email somersbypandc@gmail.com or talk to one of the committee members. The workload of most of these roles is not heavy and past officers are able to mentor anyone who would like to help out in these areas.

We would like to thank everyone who served on the P&C committee in 2015. We'd especially like to acknowledge our outgoing treasurer Dani Scarr who has already clocked up two three-year terms as treasurer during her years as a Somersby parent! Thanks also to Kirrilly Green who is taking a break after outstanding service as the uniform officer and co-leader in the canteen.

Easter Raffle

Easter is just around the corner, and once again, we're running an Easter raffle which is always a popular fundraiser!

A basket has been placed in the office for donations of Easter-themed prizes. The school community has been very generous in the past, and we're hoping that once again, you'll support it by picking up an egg or some other Easter treat next time you do the family shopping.

Easter is only a couple of weeks away, so please bring donations in as soon as possible. Thanks!

Cookbook recipe feedback needed

If you took a recipe or two home to test during the Christmas break and haven't yet returned your feedback, please leave it at the school office or email it to somersby-cookbook@gmail.com.

As more recipes come in, we'll be launching a second round of testing in the near future.

Thanks to everyone who is supporting the cookbook effort. One day, we will see it translate into a fabulous multipurpose sports court for the use of not only our kids but also the wider community.

Service your car and support the Somersby Cookbook and multipurpose court

Please remember to support the local businesses which are getting behind us: David's Tyre & Auto at West Gosford has generously offered to donate half the value of labour on any vehicle service when customers mention the cookbook and multipurpose court project. David's Tyre & Auto is at 3/8 Dyer Cr, West Gosford.



Hello community,

My name is Dane Tinworth and I am doing the World's Greatest Shave. Mrs Squires is letting me write in here but anyway I'm doing the World's Greatest Shave to raise money for blood cancer research. If you'd like to help me reach my goal of \$1120 come to the office at school and donate in the moneybox there or you can sponsor me online at:

<http://my.leukaemiafoundation.org.au/danetinworth>.



Thanks for helping me.

If you don't believe that I'm going to do it, come to school on Friday, March 11 at 2pm. See ya there!!

HOW LONG ARE CREDITS VALID FOR?

12 glorious months, that's 52 weeks or 365 days, but make sure you use them or sadly you'll lose them.

IF WE DON'T REACH THE MINIMUM SPEND?

Don't worry, we'll just roll your members spend into the next quarter and continue to do so for a 12 month period, because, well, we're nice like that.

But do one thing for us if you will, just keep us informed of any changes to your account contact details so we can communicate up-to-date credit information to you.

That's it! So what are you waiting for? Get cracking on those 6 easy steps and we look forward to welcoming you to your local Amart Sports store.

SIGN ME UP

If you have any further questions, drop us a line and we'll be happy to answer them.

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Email us: communitykickbacks@amartsports.com.au

Fax us: 02 8866 6727

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JOIN TODAY!

TERM DATES 2016

April 8 End Term 1

April 26 SDD

April 27 Term 2 Starts

July 1 End Term 2

July 18 SDD

July 19 Term 3 Starts

September 23 End

Term 3

October 10 Term 4

Starts

December 20 Last Day

Term 4

Term 2 2016

May 24 & 25	Zoo Snooze 3/4
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Office News

**Student Banking
Tuesdays**

**School Security
Number**

1300 880 021



Somersby School

Lanyard with 8 gig

USB drive

Only \$15

**Please visit the school
office if you or child
would like to purchase
one**

CLEAN UP AUSTRALIA DAY—FRIDAY 4th MARCH, 2016



**Student Banking
Class Winner
Term 1
Week 7
TBA next week!**



**CANTEEN NEWFLASH
SPECIAL
for FRIDAY 11/3/16**

Fried rice \$4.00

We also have limited quantities of the following meals available:

Ham & Cheese Macaroni (9 serves) \$4.00

Lasagne (7 serves) \$3.50

Please specify your child's choices and have orders in Wednesday morning. Thanks.

Joey & Jessica



**Dane T.
Addison**



**Year 6 Tuck Shop
Tuesdays at Recess.**



Jumpies, Poppers

Noodle Snacks

Ovalteenies

Most products 80cents

