

Somersby Snippets

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Term 1—Week 11

8/04/2016

School Calendar



Term 1 2016

April 8	Small Schools' cross Country CMPS
April 8	Last Day Term 1

Term 2 2016

April 26	SDD
April 27	Students Return
May 24 & 25	Zoo Snooze 3/4



Principal's News

Small Schools' Cross Country

This Friday we will all be heading up to Central Mangrove Public School for the Small Schools' Cross Country. The bus will be leaving at 9:15am and returning in time for normal afternoon buses.

Family members are more than welcome to come along and help cheer on our competitors. Good luck everyone!

P&C

The April meeting for the school P&C will be held this Wednesday 7pm in the school library. As usual, all are more than welcome to attend.

Don't forget to get your recipes in for the cookbook. The holiday period could also provide a great opportunity to do some test cooking for the book. Please contact Jenny Tinworth if you are able to help in this regard.

Long Service Leave

Mr Mitchell will be taking leave at the beginning of next term and returning (yes, he will be back) in Week 5. Miss Ebert will be following his programs and Mr Mitchell number 2 will be taking the band.

Thanks

A big thank you to Peter Pagac for upgrading our sound system in the hall - we're slowly moving into the 21st century! Peter will be teaching our senior students how to use the equipment next term which will be very exciting for us.

Gosford Poppy Project/ANZAC Day

Today our school spent the morning together making poppies for this year's Poppy Project. These will be displayed at Terrigal this year so if you're down that way, make sure you call in to have a look.

After the poppies were made, our Year 6 Leaders ran an ANZAC day ceremony for our school as ANZAC Day will be at the end of the holidays. Well done to our leaders for their research and presentation of such important information.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Ali, Kevin, Alba and Jax Britten on the safe arrival of the newest addition to their family, a gorgeous little baby boy, Charlie. It's very exciting news for you all!

Canteen

Canteen will be on Thursday this week due to Cross Country on Friday.

Farewell

This week we farewell the Craig family who will be making a big move to Queensland. We've enjoyed having Corey and Troy as part of our Somersby School family and wish them all the very best for this new chapter in their lives.

Holidays

This Friday is the last day of school before the school holidays. I would like to take this opportunity to recognise the hard work and dedication of the staff here at Somersby Public school. We are very fortunate to have the teaching and support staff that we do. On that note, it is with great pleasure that I inform you that Mrs Comensoli will be staying on with us next term.

Enjoy the holiday break, stay safe and we will see you back here on Wednesday, 27th April!

P & C

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Nicki Ward 0417 721 435

Uniform Shop

Thursdays 2.30pm to 3pm

Mrs Pia Cartwright

Email:

pwclumbingptyltd@bigpond.com

Canteen 7/04/16

Hot Dog with cheese

Ham & Cheese Macaroni
(limited stock)

Chicken nuggets

Banana Smoothies

Quote of the Day

"The man who makes no mistakes does not usually make anything."

Edward Phelps



Student Banking

Class Winner

Term 1

Week 11

K/1 81%

Term 1 Winner

K/1

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

2016 Central Coast Bake Off Competition &

Australia's Biggest Morning Tea

Calling all Junior and Teens Bakers. Gosford Regional Show's Masterfoods Baking Competition is on again and a great opportunity for students to gain bragging rights among their classmates, family and friends.

Children can participate in two divisions, Juniors (under 12) and Teens (13-under 18).

Categories include:

Junior:

J1 Chocolate Butter Cake, Iced on top only. 20 cm round cake tin.

J2 Packet Cake, Any type, in 20 cm round tin. Iced on top only.

J3 6 x Small Cupcakes Decorated, Butter Cake. Decorations must be edible. Not to be cooked in paper cases

J4 Chocolate Caramel Slice, 6 pieces approx. 5 cm x 5 cm.

J5 MasterFoods ANZAC Biscuits, Plate of 8 – approx. 5 cm round, Use Recipe Provided, DIVISION: 13 – 17 YEARS

Teens:

#T1 Chocolate Butter Cake, Iced on top only. 20 cm round cake tin.

T2 Packet Cake, Any type in 20 cm round tin. Iced on top only.

T3 6 x Small Cupcakes decorated Butter Cake. Decorations must be edible. Not to be cooked in paper cases

T4 Plain Scones 6 Only. No bigger than 6 cm in diameter

T5 MasterFoods ANZAC Biscuits Plate of 8 – approx 5 cm round. Use Recipe Provided

#T6 Chocolate Caramel Slice, 6 pieces approx 5 cm x 5 cm.

This year, the judges will conduct an open judging from 10.30 am on Saturday, 30 April to allow entrants to hear how the judges critique each bake to select a winner.

After judging, the bakes will be available for sale to raise money as part of the Cancer Council's Biggest Morning Tea.

More information is available upon request from the office.

Gosford Library

Tuesday 5 April 2016

4pm to 5pm

Families are invited to come along and meet Belinda Murrell bestselling and internationally published children's and youth author.

Belinda has written the popular Lulu Bell series for younger readers as well as The Sun Sword fantasy trilogy.

She is also known for her collection of other timeslip tales including The Sequin Star, The River Charm, The Locket of Dreams, The Forgotten Pearl, The Ruby Talisman and The Ivory Rose, which have been recognised with various awards.

Enquiries: 4304 7013

P&C News

Next meeting

The P&C meets tomorrow night in the library at 7pm on April 6. Everyone is welcome.

Recipes needed If you have a bit of time over the school holidays, please get out the family cookbooks and send us your favourite recipes so that we can reach the 150 recipes we are aiming to have in the cookbook. We're received recipes from former Somersby residents who now live many miles away. Please add to the culinary picture that we're painting of our local community!

You can email recipes to somersbycookbook@gmail.com, submit them online at www.somersbycookbook.com.au or leave them at the school office.

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.

Thanks to our auditors!

The P&C would like to acknowledge the work of Accounting First which audited the P&C accounts for 2015. They gave us their tick of approval, and also charged a discounted fee for their work.



CENTRAL COAST NAIDOC COMMUNITY DAY 2016

CHANGE OF VENUE!!

THE 2016 NAIDOC NCD DAY WILL BE HELD ON THE 5TH OF JULY AT

GOSFORD RACECOURSE, RACECOURSE ROAD, GOSFORD!!

TIME: 10AM - 2PM

FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY WITH - STALLS, ENTERTAINMENT,
HEALTH CHECKS AND MUCH MORE!



FOR THE FIRST
TIME!!

*** INDIGENOUS
JOB MARKET
and Employment EXPO

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

Office News

Student Banking
Tuesdays

School Security
Number

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Somersby School

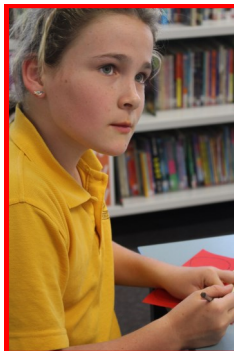
Lanyard with 8 gig

USB drive

Only \$15

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

ANZAC DAY



*They shall grow not old
As we that are left grow old.
Age shall not weary them
Nor the years condemn
At the going down of the sun
And in the morning
We will remember them.*

(Laurence Binyon)

Lest We Forget



Nutrition Snippet

The simplest way

...to make fruit and vegie snacks.

Snacks are an important part of a healthy diet for active children. And a great way to serve fruit and veg!



Try some of the following fun, nutritious snacks to help your kids eat more fruit and veg.

For more great ideas and recipes visit eatittobeatit.com.au.

- Raw vegie sticks with homemade or shop-bought dip.
- Pumpkin scones or vegie pancakes.
- Celery boats (filled with reduced fat cream cheese + sultanas dotted on top).
- Fruit frozen paddle pops (thread pineapple wedges or banana halves on a stick and freeze).
- Apple crumble (stewed apple + muesli, baked).
- Poppletana (unsalted popcorn + dried apple + sultana = nibble mix).

For more information visit www.eatittobeatit.com.au or join us at facebook.com/eatittobeatit

Eat It To Beat It



Holiday Birthdays

Blake
Troy

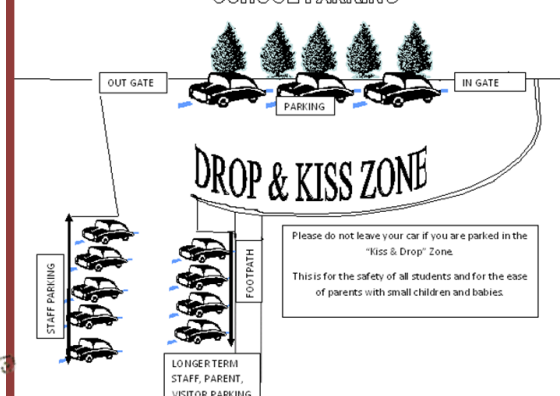
Kirra
Laura



Year 6 Tuck Shop
Tuesdays at Recess.
Jumpies, Poppers
Noodle Snacks
Ovalteenies
Most products



SCHOOL PARKING



3/8 Dyer Cres
West Gosford
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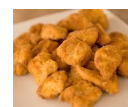
All mechanical repairs, servicing and tyres.
Free pickup and delivery coastwide.
Rego and blue slip inspections.

Mention the Somersby Cookbook and Multipurpose Court project, and half the labour cost of your vehicle's service will be donated to the project.



CANTEEN NEWFLASH SPECIAL

for Thursday 7/04/16



Hot dog with cheese & choice of sauce	\$3.50
Ham & Cheese Macaroni (limited stock)	\$4.00
Chicken nuggets with your choice of sauce (BBQ, sweet chilli or tomato)	
4 for \$2.00	
6 for \$3.00	
9 for \$4.00	
Banana Smoothies	\$2.50

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

Joey & Jessica