## UPCOMING EVENTS

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GRIP Leadership @ UOW (Yrs. 5/6)
Athletics (Sport)

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Captain Carrot Winners
Corey & Aimee

*Captain Carrot winners will receive a free Healthy Lunch, a drink and a snack to the maximum value of $5.*
Dear Parents

Welcome to Mr Privett who joins our staff this Tuesday. Mr Privett is an experienced teacher who will be taking the K/Year 1 class. We are glad to have him with us.

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Volunteers Week

Today we celebrate Volunteers Week and I wish to recognise the fantastic work done by so many of our school community, parents, various community members etc. who do so much to ensure behind the scenes smooth running of the school.

Thank You.

Congratulations to the new P & C executive for our Tarrawanna School.

Thank you for taking on these roles, the time and effort you are giving is greatly appreciated.

President: Mia Lim
Vice President: Grant Green
Secretary: Kate Duvall
Treasurer: Natalie Johnston
Fundraising: Mel Potter

A very big thank you to Donna Thor for the dedicated and excellent job she is doing in the uniform shop and to Patricia Argue for her work in managing the school canteen.

Thank you to all the parents for volunteering their time in the school canteen. (Must feed the children!!)

Thank you to the exiting P & C executive, they have done a fantastic job over many years and we are indebted to them.

Mr Ryan Park M.P.

We were lucky to have Mr Ryan Park visit our school last Monday to discuss with me some of the new projects we hope to commence this term, specifically the Library renovation and the new Korean area. Ryan was very impressed with our new renovations, especially the canteen, which he said was the nicest one he has seen. We also discussed obtaining some more lunch seating for the students use.

Mr Paul Boulwood

A very big thank you to Mr Boulwood for his efforts in supporting and promoting our school in the Tarrawanna/Corrimal wider community. We are now an associate member of the Corrimal Chamber of Commerce. We intend to be part of the Spring into Corrimal festival.

Someone was overheard saying that our great little school was: “Punching above its weight”!! What a nice recognition to have, we indeed provide many opportunities for all our students and have many achievements, and successes, which the wider community does not always hear about or know of. We are indeed a “Hidden Treasure of a school”

Red Shield Day

The students and staff will be holding a Red dress up day on May 21 with a gold coin donation from each child towards the Salvation Army Red Shield appeal.

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School road crossing

Miss Bubb will be doing this road duty each day.

Please be careful of distracting Kerry, our crossing lady, as she is most diligent in doing her crossing job for which we are ever thankful.

Please be mindful of your children’s safety coming to and leaving the school each day.

Breakfast Club

The breakfast club will continue next week in the multipurpose room with Miss Hudson on Wednesdays and Fridays at 8.15 am.

Korean Playgroup

This playgroup will continue every Monday in 2014 in the old hall 10.30 am till 2.30 pm.

Community Playgroup

This will continue in the old hall area till further notice.

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NAIDOC Public Speaking

Cassandra and Kaylem will be representing our school at the NAIDOC public speaking competition this year. I know they will represent our school proudly and well. Thank you, Miss Bubb, for your work with these children.

Attendance and Punctuality

Parents/carers please remember that it is very important that your child continues to come to school on time, all day, every day, till the end of each term.

Please do not make appointments for your child during school lesson time and do avoid picking them up early from school. Thank you for your support with this.
Lego Station
We will be setting up a Lego station in the school for students to use at lunch/recess.
Thank you Mrs Privett-Nelson and her student teacher Tony for organising this activity.

Staff Professional development: Mrs Lyn Meeks will be working with a number of our staff on Tuesday, 13 May on our whole school spelling program.

IPads and Trolley
Mr Chin is now in charge of Technology in the school. He will be organising the purchase of a school set of IPad this week. Thank you to the P & C for agreeing to pay for the IPad storage trolley.

Skill Streaming
The Skill Streaming Skills this week is “Dealing With Your Anger”. You can help us reinforce the teaching of this skill at home. This program compliments the PBS program.

Dealing With Your Anger
1. Stop and count to ten
2. Think about your choices
   a) Tell the person in words why you are angry
   b) Walk away for now
   c) Do a relaxation exercise
3. Act out your best choice

Thank you. Enjoy your week.

Norma Blinkhorn
Principal

IMPORTANT MESSAGES:

MediAlert in Schools program is designed to:
• Help students living with medical conditions, allergies and special needs by ensuring they are as protected as possible both inside and outside of school hours.
• Provide an additional aid to school staff to quickly identify a students medical conditions, allergies and/or special needs so they can provide quick treatment in an emergency.
• Give parents extra confidence by knowing their child’s important medical information is immediately visible in times of medical emergency.

If you are interested in this information, please call at the school office and collect a flyer.

WALK SAFELY TO SCHOOL DAY
The annual National Walk Safely to School day is when all primary school children are encouraged to walk and commute safely to school. This will be held throughout Australia on Friday, 23 May, 2014.

OPPORTUNITY CLASS PLACEMENT for Year 5 entry in 2015

On-line applications opened today or you can pick up the application information and forms from the school office.

Please return paper applications to the Principal by Friday 16 May.

Opportunity class placement tests will be conducted on Wednesday 23 July with outcomes Advised in October.

SCHOOL PHOTOS - 27 May, 2014
Students are to wear their full winter uniform. If you wish for a family portrait, please see the school office for a separate form

CONGRATULATIONS to Cassandra and Keeley for being selected for the State Netball team.

Crunch & Sip
Bring along a piece of fruit or veg + water to snack on in class!
UNIFORM SHOP – Second Hand uniforms needed.

Many parents are asking for second-hand uniforms. If your child has grown out of their uniforms, please donate them to the uniform shop. You can leave them in the office or hand them straight to the shop on Fridays.

CANTEEN NEWS

Term 2 Canteen Roster

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When ordering lunches for the younger students, could parents please advise them what is being ordered as we have had instances where hot food has been ordered but not collected.

OTHER INFORMATION:

SCHOOL SECURITY

If you see anyone doing the wrong thing in the school grounds on the weekend or outside school hours please remember the appropriate thing to do is to ring the police or the security unit.
The numbers are: 1300 880 021 and the Police: 4226 7899

BALGOWNIE MARKETS is on at Balgownie Village Community Centre, 113 Balgownie Rd on Saturday 31 May from 9am – 2pm. There are lots of homemade and locally produced goods as well as entertainment, face painting and BBQ. All profits from stallholders are being donated to the local charity - Community Cancer Link – which supports cancer sufferers in the Illawarra.

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