



Harwood Island Public School

Newsletter No. 22 – 22nd July 2014

Don't forget
MILL MUD
bagging day,
Sunday 31-8-14

Dates to Remember:

- Barber of Seville Opera Yamba Tues 29th July
- ICAS English Tues 29th July
- District Athletics Iluka Thurs 31st July
- School Spelling Bee Wed 6th Aug
- ICAS Maths Tues 12th Aug
- NCPSSA Athletics Lismore 15th Aug
- Book / Science Week 18th—22nd August
- Book Fair Mad Scientist Day Wednesday 20th August
- P&C Monday 25th Aug
- High School Day Wed 27th Aug
- MILL MUD BAGGING SUN 31st Aug
- MILL MUD PICK UP DAYS 1st to 4th Sept
- Fathers Day Stall Thurs 4th Sept
- Touch Carnival Fri 5th Sept
- Tennis Comp. Maclean Mon 8th Sept
- Cricket Gala day Fri 19th Sept

Harwood Island P&C meeting
Monday 25th August
5.00pm.

Everyone welcome!

We are now on Facebook so please go on Facebook and like us.



Our website gets updated weekly. School newsletters can be viewed online in colour.

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WHAT'S DUE NOW?

Payment for Workbooks and equipment;

Canteen orders, Barber of Seville permission note and money; Book Club orders and money.

KINDERGARTEN 2015

It is time to start thinking about 2015 and we are accepting enrolments for the 2015 Kindergarten class. If you have a child who will be joining us next year, please ring the office to add their name to our list. If you have a neighbor who intends to enroll at Harwood please ask them to contact the school to let us know that they wish to enroll.

ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

Our school athletics carnival was held yesterday even though the weather was trying to spoil the occasion.

All but the high jumps were completed on the day and we all had a great day. It was wonderful to see so many parents and grandparents come along and support the children.

Thanks to Nicole, Jeanene, Deanna and Kylie who had the school canteen open for our carnival. This was very well supported by our children and visitors.

Thanks to everyone who donated delicious treats to be sold on the day.

Champions will be announced when the high jump events are completed.

All children who will be competing at the Small Schools District Athletics Carnival to be held in Iluka on Thursday 31st July will be given a permission note with events later this week.

STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Congratulations to the following students who received certificates for 'Student of the Week' at our assembly today. Bailey Anderson and Isobel Hildrew - a keen cooperative students; Mariah Gibson - fantastic work in reading; Ella Bushell - excellent work in all areas; Tyra Hildrew - great all round class member; Mali Matthews, Angus Nielsen and Rheannah Wyse - trying hard to do his/her best work in class and Nathan Moss - Library Award. Well done!

THE BARBER OF SEVILLE

The whole school will be travelling to Yamba Bowling Club on Tuesday 29th July to see Opera Australia's Oz Opera Presents - Rossini's The Barber of Seville. This is one of the most popular operas ever written and will delight young audiences.

Cost for this enjoyable experience is \$8.50 per child.

Permission note is attached to today's newsletter.

MILL MUD BAGGING DAY

It's almost MILL MUD time....

Bagging day is **Sunday 31st of August.**

Put this date on your calendar so you can "dig in" to help raise money to enlarge and upgrade your children's much loved canteen. Bring your spade, boots, gloves and sun safe gear. Will we thank you for your efforts with a sausage sizzle and some refreshments. This is our major fundraiser for the year so we need all the help we can get - remember 'many hands make light work'.

BCF DONATION

BCF has donated a Kayak, seat and fishing rod pack to our school. This all due to Renee Ryan's efforts on our behalf. Thanks Renee! The P&C are working hard to make raffle tickets books ready so we can all start selling tickets in this wonderful prize.

LIBRARY NEWS

Premier's Reading Challenge

Just a reminder to all students that the due date for the PRC is fast approaching. Children need to return their completed reading logs to Mrs Davidson as soon as possible, please.

Library days for classes are:

- K/1 - Wednesday
- 1/2/3 - Tuesday
- 4/5/6 - Thursday

Coming Events - BOOK FAIR -
Wednesday 20th August 2014.



Education & Communities

Athletics Carnival



FATHER'S DAY STALL

Father's Day is on Sunday the 7th of September. The P&C are holding their stall on Thursday the 4th September. If you can help out with this stall please call Danielle on 0409053657. Your help would be greatly appreciated. The prices for the gifts range from \$1.50 to \$6.00

AMART ALL SPORTS

The school has registered for the rewards program offered by Amart Allsports in Coffs Harbour. This means that if a customer nominates our school we get 5% of the value of their purchase donated to our school. We recently received \$160 worth of soccer balls from this program. Don't forget to nominate us if you are in Amart Allsports in Coffs Harbour.

TOYWORLD MACLEAN

This local business also has a program that offers 5% of the value of your purchase to our school. So don't forget to mention Harwood Island Public School when you next purchase items for your family.

CANTEEN NEWS

On the menu this week we have Beef Stew \$3.00 and Milo 50c.

Thanks to Nicole Coram, Kylie Doulton, Jeanene Jackson and Deanna Jackson who provided a great canteen for our school's athletics carnival yesterday. Everyone really appreciated having a hot cup of tea or coffee and delicious warm food for lunch. We look forward to your continued support of the school canteen.

STUDENT BANKING

Starting this week banking day will be held on **FRIDAY'S**. If you wish to bank at the school please have your deposit books at the school office by recess on Friday.

MILL MUD PICK-UP ROSTER

Your support with the Mill Mud fundraiser for our school would be greatly appreciated. If you can help out on any of the days listed below could you please fill in and return to the school office or you can phone Mrs Bull or Mrs Woodhouse on 66464213.

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MILL MUD PICK-UP ROSTER

	4.00 - 4.30	4.30 - 5.00	5.00 - 5.30
Monday 1st September			
Tuesday 2nd September			
Wednesday 3rd September			
Thursday 4th September			
Friday 5th September			

	9am-10am	10am-11am	11am-12md
Sunday 14th September			

Thursday 31/7/ 2014

Name: _____

Chicken Enchiladas - \$3.00

Number of serves

Milo - .50c

Number of serves

Amount Enclosed: _____

OPERA AUSTRALIA'S - BARBER OF SEVILLE

I give permission for my child/ren to travel to Yamba Bowling Club to attend the performance of the Barber of Seville.

Transport will be by bus.

Cost of this event is \$8.50 per child.

Special needs of my child which you should be aware (e.g. allergies, medication etc) are:-

To the best of my knowledge he/she has no medical conditions, disability or injury that puts them at risk in participating in this activity.

In the event of illness or injury, I authorise the school to seek medical assistance on my behalf that my child may require in an emergency. I understand that my child is covered by the school's ambulance insurance and I am aware that I will be responsible for all additional costs for medical treatment of my child/ren (other than the cost of an ambulance).

Name parent / Carer

Signature

Date

Amount enclosed: _____