



Greenwell Point Public School

NEWSLETTER

School Motto – Growing and Learning Together

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Term 4 Week 9

DATES TO REMEMBER

DECEMBER

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| 5 | Christmas Church Service—scripture |
| 6 | P & C meeting 9:15am school library |
| 17 | School Presentation in the hall—all welcome |
| 18 | Last day for students |
| 20 | Last day for staff |

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

Dear Parents/carers,

The announcement of a strike tomorrow is the only thing stopping me from singing the praises of our great Trivia night to commence this newsletter.

Strike action– School will be operational tomorrow as usual. Teachers will be present and children should be at school at the normal times. Children not attending will be marked absent.

If you were there you already know what an excellent night of fun and laughter Mrs Hiscox and Mrs Miller created. They had even arranged for the Jolly Fellow in Red to give out the presents! Many thanks to the parents who gave food items or who made slices. I had several requests for the recipes so if you have time to write them out, I'd like to publish them in time for Christmas. Our local businesses were very generous and I'm sure they would appreciate your additional thank you. Although we are a small community the businesses have very big hearts and need our continuing support. The success of the night also meant many hours of planning and organising from our P&C executive and our school staff. Special thanks to all who helped set up the hall, prepare food and to clean up. Also to the family and friends who attended and joined in the fun of helping the P&C raise valuable funds. I would love to name everyone but I would feel bad if I missed a single name. So many people played a part in making sure the 2013 Trivia night was a rewarding success. Even the students helped with decorations.

The winner of the Raffle was Ian Oldknow and Mrs J Innes 2nd prize of the Christmas painting donated by Mrs Carmel Baker from Albury.

'Bravehearts' is coming to visit the school tomorrow. The school will meet the cost involved. If you would like to know more or to attend you are welcome to come at 1.20 pm. 'Bravehearts' compliments the work we do in personal development and it helps children to understand the feeling of safe and to know when a feeling is not safe. As this is a school event everyone has been included, please let us know if this is not your wish.

The local bowling club are keen to extend a friendly invite for all mums to enjoy a morning of lawn bowling. Please see the community section at the end of this newsletter.

Kate Murphy
Principal

TRIVIA NIGHT

WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE FOLLOWING BUSINESSES FOR THEIR HELP:

Greenwell Point Public School and P&C would like to thank these business for donating:
Greenwell Point Bowling Club, Greenwell Point Chinese, Greenwell Point Hotel, Greenwell Point Butchery, IGA Greenwell Point, Nowra City Holden, Coles, Woolworths Stockland, Shoalhaven City Lanes, Shoalhaven Zoo, The Good Guys, Roxy Cinema, Michel's Patisserie Nowra Mall, Bunnings, Unicorn Cheese, Centre Butchery, Creative Keepsakes, Goodnight Oysters, R & R Oysters, Jim Wild Oysters, Spotlight, Taronga Zoo, Dianne's Hair Design Bomaderry, Nowra Farmers Market, Jolly Olly's, Woolworths Culburra, Shoalhaven Ex-Serviceman's and Sam's Warehouse Ulladulla.

MUFTI DAY

Congratulations to all students who raised \$61 to help with the fire appeal in the Blue Mountains.

CANTEEN NEWS

If you would like to order lunch then please write your order on a brown paper bag for both first and second break and place your money inside the bag and leave it at the office.



BOAT AWARDS

K/1 Seth Francis
1/2/3 Aiden Rowley
3/4/5/6 Jordan Francis

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Best wishes and Happy Birthday to:
Isabella Parsons who turns 8 on the 5th



END OF YEAR CHRISTMAS EXCURSION

Students will be treated to an end of year excursion to Ulladulla Funland on the 16th December 2013. Any students displaying bad behaviour will not be able to attend. A permission note will be given out shortly.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

GREENWELL POINT WOMEN'S BOWLS

The Greenwell Point women's bowls would like to invite all ladies along every Tuesday and Thursday at 9.15am for an hour to learn lawn bowls. A cup of tea will be served after bowls. If you have a spare hour and would like to join these ladies for some fun then please call the club on 44 471111 or call down to visit during this time

