



Avoca Beach Public School Newsletter



Term 1

2009

Week 4

16th February, 2009

Dear Parents/Carers,

SCHOOL ORGANISATION 2009

Principal: Peter Whelan
Assistant Principals: Roxanne Davies (Rel. Fri.)
 Diane Humphreys (Rel.)
 Tasmin Gillett (Mon.—Thurs.)
 Wilma Vallis

Class Teachers:

Julie Mitchell	KM
Barbara Fitzpatrick	KF
Chris Spencer/Nikki Tobin	KST
Anne Abercrombie	1A
Wendy Crayn	1C
Diane Humphreys	1/2H
Craig Blanch	2B
Amanda Edwards	2E
Louise Duck	3/4D
Jane Miles	3/4M
Wilma Vallis	3/4W
Sue Walkerden	3/4V
Roxanne Davies	5/6D
Tasmin Gillett/Nikki Tobin	5/6GT
Lyn Hardy	5/6H
Kylie Renwick	5/6R

Specialist Teachers:

Jenny Kelly	Librarian
Liz Fennell	RFF
Jo Stevens	RFF
Karen Munton	Support Teacher (Learning Assistance)

Support Staff

Karyl-Ann Walker	School Administrative Manager
Mary Foggo	School Administrative Officer
Shauna Bell	School Administrative Officer
Tracey Murray	School Administrative Officer
Adrian Burch	General Assistant
Fiona Youles	Learning Support Officer
Patricia Carpenter	Learning Support Officer
Jo Hutchison	Learning Support Officer
Suzie Tuddenham	Learning Support Officer
Cindy Craig	Learning Support Officer
Kylie Hoskin	Canteen Supervisor
Jai Murray	Cleaner
Lawson Murray	Cleaner

Visiting Staff:

Becky Fulcher	School Counsellor (Thursdays and alternate Fridays)
Sue Calloway	Home School Liaison Officer

NEW SCHOOL BROCHURE

Accompanying today's newsletter is a copy of our new school brochure which will be used to promote our school to prospective parents and community members.

SEX EDUCATION A flyer from **Interrelate** is included in this newsletter for Stage 2 and 3 parents. If you wish your child to participate, please complete the tear-off slip and return to school by Friday 27th February. We need to establish if there is enough interest from parents to justify having the night.

Peter Whelan,
Principal.

RAFFLE TICKET SALES—VOLUNTEERS

Hopefully everyone is working hard at selling their raffle tickets. We need more volunteers to help sell tickets in the weekends leading up to the fair. We are setting up tables at local stores. Please call Evelyn on 4382 6639 if you can help.

ELECTIONS OF P & C OFFICE BEARER POSITIONS

President – Paul Buffey nominated by K Yates, 2nd C Fortey.

Secretary – Carmel Hamilton nominated by P Buffey, 2nd Judith Price-Maljers.

Vice President - Deborah Rendall nominated herself, 2nd Judith Price-Maljers.

Vice President - Kerrie Yates nominated by P Buffey, 2nd C Fortey.

Treasurer - Leanne Edwards nominated by K Yates, 2nd J Thurlow.

Fundraising Coordinator – Kevin Myers nominated by P Buffey, 2nd K Hutchinson.

It was moved by P Buffey that a new role be created of Assistant Treasurer. Seconded Leanne Edwards.. All in favour.

Assistant Treasurer – Carol Fortey nominated herself, 2nd P Buffey.



ENTERTAINMENT AT THE FAIR!

HEY KIDS! Don't be shy!

We need Dancers, Jugglers, Singers, Comedians and Musicians. Call today for a spot in the School Fair's Entertainment Program. You'll need your parent's permission of course! If you're already in the Band or Violin Group then you're already invited. Contact Leann (parent) on 4382 6615 or 0421 820 316.

SRC FUNDRAISER -VICTORIAN BUSH FIRES MUFTI DAY APPEAL

The SRC would like to thank everyone who donated money for the people in Victoria who have lost everything in the fires. We are all very proud of our school for raising a lot more than we thought we would. We raised \$2,200—thank you for being so generous. A special thank you to Mrs. Hardcastle who through her work was able to add to our donation to the Australian Red Cross.

Darcy Griffin,

On behalf of the SRC.

SCHOOL SWIMMING SCHEME

To reserve a place for your child in the school Swimming Scheme, notes need to be returned to Mrs. Duck by this Wednesday. This is a great opportunity for children who have not reached a satisfactory standard of water safety to strengthen their skills. We have not as yet been allocated dates for the scheme. Notes are available from Mrs. Duck if you would like your child to participate.

2009 SWIMMING CARNIVAL

A very successful carnival was held at the Peninsula Leisure Centre on Friday 6th February. House scores and age champions were published in last week's newsletter.

Ribbons have been awarded to place getters in all heats.

Louise Duck,
Recorder

CANTEEN NEWS

- Our Annual General Meeting will be held on Monday 23rd February in the Canteen at 9.30am. We will elect a new Canteen Committee and discuss changes that will be made in the canteen in 2009. Being a committee member is not a big commitment and is a great way to have a say in any changes that may occur. We are seeking new members in 2009, so please come along.
- Congratulations to the 5 children who have won a free slushie from our special day on Friday. Special thanks to all our volunteers last week: Kelly Adams, Leanne Neubauer, Jessica Handley, Danielle Sawszak, Jodie Myers, Kelli Wilson, Danielle Eurell, Melissa Brown.
- This weeks roster:

Tue 17 Feb	Emma, Kellie Hayes
Wed 18 Feb	Linda Van Hove, Nicole Germier
Thur 19 Feb	Sally Brooks, Jane Hughes
Fri 20 Feb	Gina Cartwright, Michelle Wonnacott
Mon 23 Feb	Justine Martin
Tues 24 Feb	Liliana Martinez, Karin Stockholm

Regards,
Kylie Hoskin.

**NUTRITIOUS
FOODS**

