Dear Parents and Friends,

Outreach Support Programs

The school is introducing a number of in-school outreach programs in co-operation with other local schools. The first of these involves a psychologist (counselling) program. This is independent of the school and Department of Education but will operate on site at school. To access this program, students or families will need to have Mental Health Care Plans (MHCP) from their general practitioner (GP), allowing 6 sessions per year that are bulk billed (no charge). This can be extended by another 4 sessions in the calendar year, totalling 10 bulk billed sessions.

There is also the opportunity to run small focus group sessions on such things as depression, anxiety or transition to high school etc.

More detailed information is available at school, so please contact me to discuss this new and exciting opportunity.

Active After School

Today (Wednesday, 26 November) is the last Active After School day. This is not only for the year but for good. The program has been ended and we await information about possible future options.

I believe it is a good time to acknowledge the efforts and extra time taken by Mr Braye and Mrs Adamthwaite in undertaking training and operating the program over the years. This is a valuable program that has added greatly to the amenity enjoyed by our students.

Not only have students had the opportunity to try such varied recreational activities from archery to circuit training but it was also the catalyst to establishing our school basketball team that has gone on from strength to strength.

We are looking at other options for 2015 so watch this space.

Head Lice

Head lice still remains a problem. Check every family member's hair & treat as necessary. Remember to retreat in 7-10 days time to break the cycle.
Hot Lunch

If your child is absent on Tuesdays and they have ordered a hot lunch, please contact Mel by 8.30am on 0407 662 961 so that the order is not put in the oven and can be kept over until the following week.

Plain Pies $2.50, Quiche $2.50, Sausage Roll $2.00, Up & Go $1.50, Poppers $1.00

Thanks

A big thanks to Louise Kozary for organising our third pie drive of the year. Louise does such a great job at this, as well as organising our hot lunches every week and stocking the canteen. Thanks to all the helpers on Thursday, and to all who ordered.

Thanks, also, to Deb Walter, who has served the P&C for two years as our Treasurer. Her contribution has been fantastic. Our new Treasurer is Allan Jennings and we greatly appreciate his willingness to take on the role.

Sausage Sizzle

Friday 28 November
Deb Walter, Katrina Tresidder, Joanne McLaren
Sizzle $1.50 Poppers $1.00 Up’n’Go $1.50

LEARN TO SWIM CLASSES
For ages 18 mths to 12 yrs
• Water safety skills
• Fun & supportive environment
• Nationally qualified instructors
• Come every day—see the results!

Beresfield Pool
Mon 12th January to Thurs 22nd January 2015
For more information or bookings:
Visit dsr.nsw.gov.au/swimandsurvive or call 131302

Maitland Grossman High School
FREE COMMUNITY CORROBORREE
Friday 5 December 2014 from 4-6.30pm
• Aboriginal dance groups
• Aboriginal artists showcasing
• Free bbq
• Fun

ALL WELCOME
Further info: Pauline.a.mitchell@det.nsw.edu.au or Ph 0249342066

Activity Note

Event: Australian Wildlife Displays
Destination: Black Hill PS
Date: Wednesday, 12 December 2014
Dress: Sport Uniform
Cost: $7.90 ea
Payment: To the school mail box
Permission Note: Class teachers
 Supervision: Class teachers

I give permission for my child/children of class/es ______________________ to attend the Australian Wildlife Displays at Black Hill Public School on Friday, 12 December 2014. I enclose $7.90 per student as full payment for this activity.

Principal:___________________________   Date:  _______________
## Assembly Report 21 November

### Miss Gardoll’s Awards
- **Merit**
  - Matilda Cooper
- **English Award**
  - Zoe
- **Mathematics Award**
  - Max
- **Creative Arts Award**
  - Odin
- **Quality Work Award**
  - Reina

### Mr Bray’s Awards
- **Merit**
  - Chloe
  - Darcy
- **English Award**
  - Nash
- **Mathematics Award**
  - Dakota
- **Creative Arts Award**
  - Aleisia
- **Quality Work Award**
  - Kodi

### Mrs Strickland’s Awards
- **Merit**
  - Jordan Oliva W.
- **English Award**
  - Oliver
- **Mathematics Award**
  - Olivia M.
- **Creative Arts Award**
  - Mya
- **Quality Work Award**
  - Danny

### Mrs Adamthwaite’s Awards
- **Merit**
  - Remy
  - Lachlan
- **English Award**
  - Dakota
- **Mathematics Award**
  - Jack
- **Creative Arts Award**
  - Montana
- **Quality Work Award**
  - Imogen

### Prefect’s Awards
- Reilly

### House Cup
- **Worimi**

### Special Awards
- Zack, Danny
BLACK HILL PUBLIC SCHOOL
NEWCASTLE PUDDING LADY PREMIUM CHRISTMAS PUDDING FUNDRAISING ORDER

This order is for (Childs Name):  Childs Class:  PLEASE RETURN ORDER AND CORRECT MONEY TO SCHOOL BY FRIDAY 28th NOVEMBER
ORDERS WILL BE READY FOR PICK UP FROM SCHOOL ON FRIDAY 12th DECEMBER

Contact No:  

All our handmade Christmas Puddings are boiled in the cloth and then vacuum sealed for protection. Store in the pantry prior to use.

500g - Serves 4 to 5 people  1kg - Serves 8 to 10 people  1.5kg - Serves 12 to 15 people  2kg - Serves 15+ people

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