

Para Meadows School Newsletter

Week 7

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8/3/16

Dear Parents & Carers,

Term 1 is progressing quickly but we still have many more fun events before it comes to a close. We hope you can join us.



TERM 1 EVENTS

10/3 PROLOQUO2GO PARENT/CARER MORNING TEA @10.00 in the school library



11/3 CRAZY HAIR DAY – a gold coin donation towards Leukemia research



14/3 TEMPO TRICYCLES are visiting our school at 9.00am. Flyer attached



18/3 HARMONY DAY and **EASTER RAFFLE ASSEMBLY** @9:45am



24/3 PRIMARY EASTER ASSEMBLY @ 2pm

31/3 PRINCE AND PRINCESS'S DISCO with sausage sizzle. If you would like to come please send in the order form which was sent out previously, along with money in an envelope on it for ticketing & catering purposes

1/4 ASSEMBLY @9:45am

6/4 GRANDPARENTS MORNING VISIT followed by morning tea

Dear Parents and Carers,

Para Meadows School will celebrate Harmony Day on Friday 18th March with a special assembly, morning tea and cultural performances.



Assembly will begin at 9:30am.

We would like to encourage all students (and parents) to dress to reflect their culture or wear orange clothing. We are encouraging staff, students and parents to share something from their culture; it may be a song, story, music, dance or a simple "hello" in their native language.

Parents are invited to contribute finger food from their culture and enjoy a morning tea with staff in the staffroom after the assembly.

We look forward to celebrating the cultural diversity of Para Meadows School with you.

Yours Sincerely,
Aboriginal Education Committee

P&C NEWS

Next Meeting:

Wed 9th of March 9:30 am

All Welcome!

CAREERS CORNER

Thanks to all our year 11 and 12 parents that attended the NDIS meeting last Monday. I hope you came away knowing a bit more about the NDIS and what is required for our school-leavers. Remember, Merryl has given our Year 12 parents homework for next term. Keep the notes up to date.

WOW Programme starts on the 18th March for a few of our Year 10 and 11 students. Those students will be bringing paperwork home for completion soon.

If you have any questions, please phone me at school. Deb Koppel

P & C Easter Raffle



The P&C are having a Easter Raffle which will be **drawn at the assembly Friday 18th of March 2016. TICKETS have been sent and are \$1 each or 6 for \$5. Please let us know if you need more.**

We would really appreciate a few more **donations** towards our raffle being sent in asap. Thank you to all who have already donated.

If you can assist with wrapping, come along for a cuppa at 9:30 am on the 16th.

Ros Lambkin, our new P&C Secretary has requested any old biscuit or chocolate tins for a fundraiser later in the year.

Thanking you, P&C.

YEAR 7 STUDENTS - NSW School Vaccination Program

The first visit is on Thursday the 17th March

Follow up visits are on: 30th of May & 16th of November

NAPLAN TESTING


If you received a NAPLAN testing **Exemption form** for your child and haven't yet returned it, it would be appreciated if you could do so as soon as possible.

Thanking you, Gill

Attention Canteen volunteers:

If you are unable to attend your day please
phone Tracy on 0438273836

CANTEEN ROSTER

Thu 10 Mar	Michelle Wells	
Fri 11 Mar	Paula & John	
Mon 14 Mar	Sharon & Ros	
Tue 15 Mar	Gail & Leyna	
CLOSED		
Thu 17 Mar	Michelle	
Fri 18 Mar	Jo & Jessica	
Mon 21 Mar	Dianne Birch & Emma Noonan	
Tue 22 Mar	Amanda	
CLOSED		
Thu 24 Mar	Michelle Wells	
25 Mar-28 Mar CLOSED for Easter		
Tue 29 Mar	Leyna	

Para Meadows Ex-Students Group

Anyone interested in joining the group in 2016
please contact Genevieve on **0417651862** or

email: genovevecertificate@yahoo.com.au

You will be most welcome to come along and join in
the fun with lots of social activities! Open to all school
leavers and adults with a disability.

**Held at Para Meadows school hall from 7pm-
9pm every fortnight on a Wednesday night,**

\$3 to attend. There are drinks and chips to
purchase and we also serve a light supper.

Dates for 2016:

16Mar/30Mar/13Apr/27Apr/
11May/25May/08Jun/22Jun/06Jul/20Jul/03Aug/
17Aug/31Aug/14Sep/28Sep/12Oct/26Oct/09Nov/
23Nov/07Dec

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

If you are interested in helping out please contact

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email **genovevecertificate@yahoo.com.au**