

Para Meadows School Newsletter

Week 5

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Dear Parents & Carers,

As summer fast approaches I bring to your attention the school's **SUN SAFETY** Policy, and encourage all families to provide a hat and sunscreen for your child. Staff endeavour to ensure that students are covered and not exposed to too much sun at all times

NSW Bus Safety Week is upon us. Running from 6–12 November 2017 it aims to highlight the importance of bus-related safety issues for all road users.

Bus Safety Week is part of the 'Be Bus Aware' campaign which aims to reinforce the road rules relating to buses to the community and promote safer on-road interactions between pedestrians, motorists, bicycle riders and buses.

Visit bebusaware.com.au and view the clip on bus safety in NSW



PARA MEADOWS TRIVIA NIGHT

Please think about getting a group of friends or family together to join a table and come along and support our school. There are some wonderful prizes on offer, it will be a great night to catch up with other parents and staff. If you are unable to come along, please consider selling a book of raffle tickets.

Best Regards for the upcoming fortnight

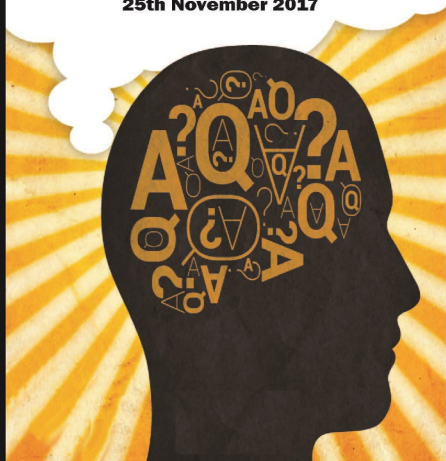
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TRIVIANIGHT

Para Meadows School
Main Hall, 56 Porter St, Wollongong

Raffle Tickets

25th November 2017



Dear Parents/Carers

This week you will be sent home a book of Raffle Tickets for our upcoming Trivia Night. We are raising money to equip our new woodworking room and communication devices..

Please can we ask for your help in selling tickets. We have lots of amazing prizes inc.

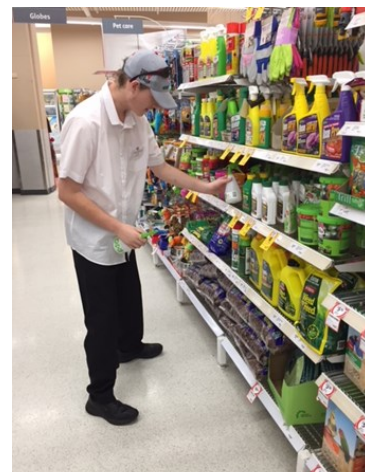
Sydney Harbour Story Cruise
Quستاcon Family Pass, Dinner for 2 @ Windjammers, \$50 Michael Hill Voucher, Merrigong Tickets for 2, 18holes Golf @ The Links and lots more.

**Tickets are \$2 each
a book for \$10**

More books are available at the office.
Please return money and stubbs by 24th November

CAREERS CORNER

Did you go to Coles in Fairy Meadow and see neat and tidy shelves last Friday? Para Meadows was responsible for that! Our WOW Programme started last Friday with three of our students heading off to Coles to sort out the Pet Care and Toiletries aisles. They packed, cleared, straightened and stacked items and flattened empty cartons. Ethan, Keegan and Natalie worked solidly for one and a half hours. Well done, Para Meadows.



NDIS

July 2017, NDIS was introduced in Wollongong. All parents/carers of students K - 12 should have contacted the NDIS and begun their discussions or have their plans by now. If not, contact NDIS (ndis.gov.au). The school is not involved in the process.

Attention Canteen volunteers:

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



JMon 6 Nov	Jo & Juliette
Tues 7 Nov	Jean
CLOSED	
Thu 9 Nov	Jessica
Fri 10 Nov	John & paula
Mon 13 Nov	Suzi
Tue 14 Nov	Leyna
CLOSED	
Thu 16 Nov	Tracy & Megan
Fri 18 Nov	Paula & John

Para Meadows Ex-Students Group

Anyone interested in joining the group in 2017 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 2017:

02Aug/16Aug/30Aug/13Sep/27Sep/11Oct/25Oct/08Nov/22Nov/06Dec (Xmas party)

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

If you are interested in helping out please contact Genevieve Vieira on 0417651862 or email genovevecertificate@yahoo.com.au