# Nulkaba News

Nulkaba Public School

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#### **Kindergarten Orientation**

Even though I was unable to attend last week I have only heard wonderful reports on how successful the Kindergarten Expo was. A big thank you to Mrs Zoneff and her team for all the organisation and hard work which went in to organising this event. I was thrilled with the survey responses as this has been the first time we have gone with an extended orientation. I'm sure the children are now ready and excited about coming to Nulkaba in 2013. I would like to take this opportunity again to welcome all our families to our wonderful school.

#### Old Hall/Canteen

As some of you are aware the old hall/canteen building has to be removed from our grounds and taken to a new location. Thanks to the P&C and our local member (and some discussions) we have managed to secure two demoutables to take its place. One will be used for our new class and one will be available for all the things for which we used the old hall. We are also going to have our A block renovated and brought up to code and will be involved in the trial of the new modular buildings the DEC are currently preparing to use. Overall a great result for Nulkaba. A big thank you to all staff and especially Allan for all his help in getting this building ready for removal.

#### **Book Week**

I know it is late this year but that was so we could give book week the time it deserves. Our Book Fair is on next week as well and we have a wonderful day planned for the 7th November. More information is contained later in the newsletter and on the note which went home. Please come along and enjoy the day with us.

#### **Advertiser**

It will be our turn to have a page spread in the Advertiser o the 14th November. With so many wonderful achievements this year it will be hard to squeeze it all on one page. Please have a look for it on that date.

#### **Photo Shoot**

As part of the Cessnock Community of Great Public Schools we will be having some new photos taken on 27th November for promotional reasons. These will be used on ads, banners and promotional material for our CCGPS.

I cannot believe this year is disappearing so quickly, we have a large amount of events and work to complete, so it is going to full steam ahead.

Narelle Hunt

# "What's on" the Calendar?

Mon 29th Oct-Fri Nov 9th Fri 2nd Nov

Mon 5th Nav-Tues 6th Nav

Wed 7th Nov

Tues 13th Nov

Thurs 15th Nov Thurs 22nd Nov Fri 23rd Nov

Tues 27th Nov Thurs 29th Nov Tues 11th Dec

Thurs 13th Dec Fri 14th Dec Wed 19th Dec Swim Program

Stage 3 Surf Day (S3A & S3P) Christmas Book Fair Viewing Day

Christmas Book Fair Sale Day Joel Howlett Performance

Book Week Parade (2pm)

Year 2 Surf Day Jump Start Program at MVHS

P & C Meeting (6.30pm Staff Room) Year 4 Maitland Cinema Music Lesson Concert (6pm)

MVHS Orientation Day (Year 6) Last day for medallion names Jump Start Program at MVHS

School Disco Presentation Day (K-6)

P & C Dinner Meeting the Railway

Year 6 Farewell
Thank you morning tea
Last day of Term for Students





# \*\*\* END OF YEAR CHRISTMAS DISCO \*\*\*

Thursday 29th November, 2012

Where: Nulkaba School Hall How much: \$2 per child Teacher supervised – drop off is allowable – you are also more than welcome to stay

K-2 (Including next year's Kinder kids) from 4:30 to 6pm includes
an awesome Lucky Door Prize!

YUMMY SAUSAGE SIZZLE 5.45pm - 6:45pm
52 & 53 from 6:30 to 8pm includes an amazing Lucky Door Prize!

- Parents Note: There will be a sausage sizzle, drinks, lollies, chocolates & Xmas novelties available for sale at the disco, so if you are leaving your child and not staying, please ensure they have enough money to enter the disco and make other purchases if they wish to
- ★ If you can stay and help out on the night by cooking on the BBQ or selling food or novelties please email <u>Kathryn®akmselfstorage.com.au</u> or text O42O 539468 ©





## Jellybean Guessing Competition

In Week 5,

Monday 5.11.12 to Friday 9.11.12,
we are having a Jellybean Guessing
Competition to raise money for
Diabetes.

You could win a jar of jellybeans worth over \$20 just by guessing the correct number of jellybeans in the jar.

It's 50c a guess or 3 guesses for \$1, so bring along some coins and try your luck!



## P & C CHRISTMAS DINNER

Railway Hotel Vincent St Cessnock Tuesday - 11th December 2012 6.30pm

#### ALL WELCOME

If you are interested in attending please leave names at the office By 7th December 2012





### Wednesday November 7th

Clear your calendar and come join us!

It's Book Fair Sale Day and Book Week Parade



# BUT

# Come and join us for a

# "FAMILY READ IN"!

Join us from 12.30pm for a classroom visit with students to share some quality reading time—

Bring a favourite book of your own to share with your child's class or a group of students

Then share an early lunch with the kids before our

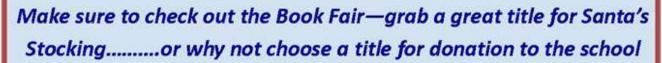


# Champions Read Book Parade!

It will be a great day to

Celebrate the National Year of

Reading and Book Week 2012. AND.....





library for the National Year of Reading?

SEE YOU THERE!!!!!!



# Don't Miss Next Week!

Have you marked the calendar yet? Next **Wednesday** is the day! Book Fair Sale Day! Book Week Parade! **Joel Howlett** performances! AND our **Family Read-in!** 

So what to know:

Book Fair Viewing on Monday and Tuesday, with Sale Day on Wednesday.

Joel Howlett performances for all classes on Wednesday – permission notes to be returned by Tuesday November 6<sup>th</sup>.

Champions Read! Book Week Parade on Wednesday afternoon (Just wait til you see what Mrs M is wearing!)

Family Read-in from 12.30pm on Wednesday.

Phew! Can we fit it all in?

OF COURSE WE CAN!!!!!!

#### **Library Overdue Letters**

Letters have now been sent out to all families where students have not returned library items which were due for return by the end of August. Thank you to those families who have been able to return the noted items. Overdue notices will be sent out again towards the end of November for all outstanding loans, regardless of the length of time that an item has been overdue. The prompt return of all library items will be greatly appreciated as Mrs Morris and library staff prepare for the annual library stocktake period, and it is important that all library items are returned to help ensure that the library stocktake is done accurately and efficiently.





#### ANNUAL PRESENTION DAY CEREMONY

DATE: Tuesday 11th December VENUE: Nulkaba School Hall

TIME: 0-70-m K2 0-marks

TIME: 9:30am K-2 Awards

SHORT INTERMISSION 10:20am Y3-6 awards

PARENTS WILL BE NOTIFIED IF THEIR CHILD IS RECEIVING AN INWARD.

THANK YOU TO PARENTS MORNING TEA

SCHOOL ACKNOWLEDGEMENT ASSEMBLY

DATE: FRIDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER TIME: 9:30AM

A HIGHLIGHT OF THIS ASSEMBLY IS THE PRESENTATION OF MEDIALLIONS

#### **YEAR 6 FAREWELL**

THURSDAY 13TH DECEMBER

MORE INFORMATION WILL BE SENT HOME CLOSER TO EVENT



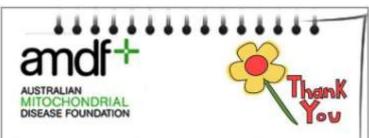
#### SCHOOL MEDALLIONS

A highlight of our end of year activities is the presentation of school medallions. These are awarded to outstanding students, who have over the years managed to receive two Principal Awards.

As a general rule, students are most likely to be achieving their medallion award in years 4-6. If your child has two Principal's Awards, please have them hand the awards to the front office no later than Friday, 23rd November.

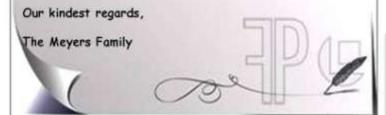
THERE WILL BE NO EXTENSIONS SO PLEASE BE ORGANISED EARLY





To all the Teachers, Students and Parents from the Nulkaba Primary School community please accept this as our personal thank you for raising \$500 for the Australian Mitochondrial Disease Foundation from the PJ day held a few weeks ago at Nulkaba School. The AMDF is very close to our hearts as we lost our precious daughter Jorja Rose Meyers last year to this incurable disease. Thank you for your ongoing support in helping to raise much needed monies for the AMDF. From our family to yours thank you so much. We were deeply touched by your generosity. We were also very touched from the story that was written by some students from \$35 on Mito disease that was published in the Newcastle Herald earlier this year.

Thank you for helping spread the awareness of Mito disease



# REMINDERS PAYMENTS DUE

JOEL HOWLETT PERFORMANCE \$2.00 - DUE FRI 06/11/12

> YEAR 2 SURF DAY \$23,00 - DUE FRI 09/11/12

YEAR 4 MAITLAND CINEMA \$19.50- DUE FRI 09/11/12

YEAR 6 SHIRT 2013 \$15.00-DEPOSIT DUE 09/11/12 \$30.00-FULL PAYMENT DUE END OF TERM





#### NULKABA PRIMARY SCHOOL

SOCKS 3 PAIR \$9.95

> **TUNICS** \$42.95

SCHOOL POLOS \$22.95

SPORTS POLOS \$29.95

> JACKETS \$24.95

GREY SHORTS FROM \$19.95

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FREE Parenting Course

Hand's On' session for families with children not yet at school

Most activities will be alternatives to expensive toys

Lots of creative, cheap and cheerful ideas will be shared

Reading Bug session with Lyn!



Venue: Koe-Nara Tuesdays 10 am to 11.30

## Babies

Just for Babies under 18 months and their Dad, Mum or Grandparent

tach Wednesday of term Ipm to 2,30 pm Venue: Koe-Nara





Like us on Facebook



# COMMUNITY EVENT

The Doody family has been associated with Nulkaba Primary School for many years and are currently going though a tough time with Vanessa being recently diagnosed with a brain tumor. While the family remain positive about future, Vanessa will require ongoing medical treatment and is unable to work for the forseeable future. A fundraising trivia night is going to be held on Saturday 24th November to help raise money to support the Doody family. In times like these, the Nulkaba School community has always helped rally together to help families in need which is why we have chosen this school to send our children. Please show your support by attending the fundraising night, or if you are unable to come, purchase raffle tickets to benefit the Doody family.

# PSST... Think you're smart?



# **Well...Prove it!**

# At our TRIVIA NIGHT

In Support of the Doody Family

SATURDAY 24th NOVEMBER 7:00pm ©Tempus Two Winery Barrel Hall Broke Road Pokolbin

> \$25 per person (Light Supper provided)

Wine Beer and Soft Drinks will be available to purchase at the bar

Trivia, Games, Auctions, Raffles & Fun!

Auction items include luxury accommodation packages, wine, and much more!

So get your team of 8-10 people together And join us for a fun night!

If you can't make it along, you can still buy raffle tickets to WIN some GREAT prizes! (Contact the School or Rover Coaches for details)

#### RSVP by 20 November with Payment to:

Nulkaba School 4990 1805

Or To:

Rover Coaches 4990 1699 email: sarahdlewis@yahoo.com.au



### NULKABA NIBBLES

#### CANTEEN ROSTER Week A

Monday 29th October to Friday 2nd November 2012

Day Date Names

Monday 29th October C Barton
F Lanser
M McClellan

Tuesday 30th October A Raywood
B Cunningham
T Harris

Wednesday 31st October C Percival A Murray

> S Gough 1st November E Stott

Thursday 1st November E Stott R Mumane

Friday 2nd November J Borghero M Wills

#### Week B

Monday 5th November to Friday 9th November 2012

Names Monday 5th November D Palazzi J Vivian S Boyd Tuesday 6th November A Smith K Laybutt Wednesday 7th November R Meyers N Galvin 8th November HELP NEEDED Thursday

Friday 9th November K Coen

R Alexander M Scarborough

L Newberry

#### Week C

Monday 12th November to Friday 16th November 2012 lay Date Names

Monday 12th November J Slatter K Wadwell Tuesday 13th November L O'Brien

T Richardson

Wednesday 14th November R Marchant

K Edwards D James

Thursday 15th November

W Jenness

R Stevens

Friday 16th November R Stirrat V Schrieber

G Ellis

IF YOU CAN HELP TO FILL OUR CURRENT VACANCIES
PLEASE CONTACT

LINDA ON 0457 514 786

Support your school by volunteering in the canteen once per month

## "Warehouse



# Shopping trip"

#### 27 October 2012

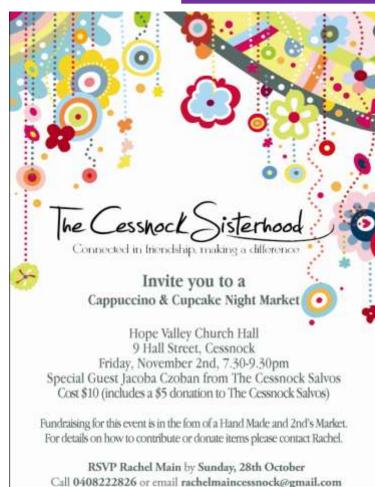
\$55.00 Wine, cheese and biscuits for the drive home.

Depart: Kearsley Street, Aberdare

Time: 7.00am, Return: 7.00pm Contact: Melissa McClellan – 4991 5803 Seats still available call ASAP

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LuggageHouse
Nutshop
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Koe-Nara,

Corner of Bawson & Quarrybylong Sta

Cessnock, 2525

T: 4990 9584

M: 0428 265 854

Term 4 program's	Activity	Times	Venue	
Mondays	Playworks	10 to 12	Koe-Nara	
	Fruit & Veg co-op pick up (fortnightly)	12 to 2 30	Koe-Nara	
Tuesdays	Let's Play Stories & Songs with Lyn	10 to 11.30	Koe-nara	
Wednesday	Stories in the Street	9.30 - 11.30	East Cessnock	
	Bables for bables under 18 months	1 to 2.30	Koe-Nara	
Thursday	Playworks & Reading Bug	9.30 to 11.30	East Cessnock Public School	
Friday	Stringing It Together (for parents under 25 years)	10 to 12	Koe-Nara	
	Fruit & Veg payments due	By 2.30pm	Koe-Nara	

## Fruit & Veg Co-operative



Available to any family or individual who is walling to meet the payment. Backets are only available fortnightly, see below for dates in Term 4.

Products wary fortnightly, depending on what is in season.

To join - bring a leaindry backet and pay your money by the due date. If you have time to help sort the fruit & veg come to Koe-Nara around 12.16 on the Monday.

Fruit & Veg backets - \$50 please supply your own backet

Free range eggs - \$5.20 a dozen

Pay by this date	Pick up your basket
12 October 2012	18 October 2012
26 October 2012	29 October 2012
9 November 2012	12 November 2012
23 November 2012	26 November 2012
7 December 2012	10 December 2012



Term 4.2012



### NULKABA CANTEEN PIZZA DAY LUNCH FRIDAY 7th DECEMBER 2012



1 x SLICE OF PIZZA

2 x SLICES OF PIZZA

**PLUS** 

OR

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FLAVOURED PLAYWATER \$5.00 FLAVOURED PLAYWATER

\$7.00

PLEASE TICK YOUR CHOICE FOR PIZZA

☐ CHEESE & BACON

□ HAM & PINEAPPLE

PLEASE PROVIDE A LUNCH BAG FOR THE PIZZA SLICE THANKYOU ORDERS TO BE RETURNED TO CANTEEN

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CLASS		
AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$		

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# **Nulkaba School Canteen**

# Volunteer Details

I would like to be a CANTEEN REGULAR VOLUNTEER once every 4 weeks on:						
Possible Days:	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	
If possible I'd like	e to be rost	ered on w	ith:			
AND / OR						
I'd be happy to be contacted as a <b>CANTEEN CASUAL VOLUNTEER</b> on:						
Possible Days:	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	
Name:						
Home Phone:	Mobile Phone:					
Email Address:						
Student's Name:						

