



PEATS RIDGE PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Week 8 Term 4

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DIARY DATES

TERM 4

Every Monday: Newsletter
Every Tuesday: Scripture
Every Friday: Sport

Wednesday 29th Nov

Kindy Headstart
Cycling Safety Day

Friday 1st Dec

Year 6 Mini Market

Monday 4th Dec to

Friday 15th Dec

Whole school Swim Scheme

Tuesday 5th Dec

KMHS Yr 7 2018 Transition

Monday 11th Dec

Principal's lunch with Year 6
Peats Pride Assembly

Tuesday 12th Dec

PRPS Presentation Night

Wednesday 13th Dec

KMHS Band visit 1-2pm

Thursday 14th Dec

Year 6 Farewell Dinner

Friday 15th Dec

Year 6 day out at
AquaSplash Water Park
Gosford Waterfront
Last Day school for all
students and staff

Tuesday 30th Jan

First day Term 1 for
Years 1 to 6

Wednesday 31st Jan

First day Term 1 for
Kindergarten

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear students and families,

Apologies for the newsletter being a day late this week. Yesterday, our SAM (School Administrative Manager) Mrs Kate Wilson and I had to attend training in the new financial tool being implemented in schools to replace the existing BPC. The move to the new Excel-based Enterprise Financial Tool or e-FPT was informed by feedback and an internal audit review and provides improved functionality with budgeting and financial management- quicker, simpler and user-friendly.

Mr Randall also attended a school planning workshop with me last Wednesday afternoon and the draft is ready for the P&C and community to review and endorse. It'll be uploaded onto the school website early next year.

LEADERSHIP SPEECHES

What a treat it was for staff and parents to hear the Year 5 speeches last Tuesday in preparation for leadership roles in 2018. Every candidate impressed us with their confidence and maturity and spoke extremely well, elaborating on their involvement in representative sport, debating, fund-raising, environmental programs and their willingness to be wonderful role models. It was extremely difficult deciding the order on the ballot form and I congratulate all students for listening so attentively and understanding the importance of their vote. Good luck Jayda, Brooke, Luther, Bianca and Angel-Katlyn! The leadership team will be announced on our Presentation Night, Tuesday 12th December.

YEAR 6 MINI-MARKET

Our Bike Safety Day will finally be held tomorrow and don't forget the Year 6 Mini Market on Friday. 50c tokens are on sale each morning so raid your piggy banks! It's shaping up to be a fantastic day and Year 6 has been very busy preparing their stalls.



PBL VALUE OF THE WEEK

RESPECT

Sit on seats properly – in class & playground

FAREWELL MR T & MISS JOHNSTONE

We're certainly sending off Mr Thew and Miss Johnstone with a bang on their last day Friday and I'm sure they've gained a great deal from their time here at Peats. We wish them all the best for the remainder of their studies at Newcastle University and I'd personally like to thank them for the wonderful teaching, learning and fun they've provided our children.

I'd also like to thank our dedicated and hard-working Scripture teachers- Mary, Mel, Jim, Marisa and Frances for volunteering their time each week and presenting a lovely Christmas concert today. The students loved it!

Swimming School starts next Monday so check your cozzies still fit and Year 6 students are off to their final transition day at Kariong Mountains HS next Tuesday.

It's certainly a busy and exciting time of the year!

Ms Austin

Principal (Rel)

FROM THE OFFICE

I would like to say a big thank you to all the families who have settled their student accounts. It is greatly appreciated. If you still have an amount outstanding, please have the account finalised as soon as possible. Thank you all for your help and cooperation with this matter.

Kind regards,

Kate Wilson

School Admin Manager



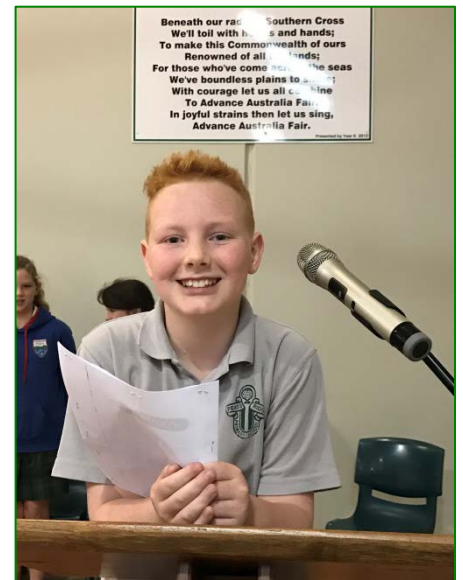
All donations (big and small) will be greatly appreciated!

To help make our Presentation Night Raffle a huge success, we request donations of Raffle Prizes (such as gifts, vouchers, hampers, toys - *basically whatever you prefer!*)

If all donations can be returned to school with your child by no later than **Wednesday 6th December** so that our P&C can create the Prize List in time for our raffle.

Tickets for our Monster Presentation Night Raffle will go on sale shortly. We genuinely appreciate any donation you (or your business) can make!

YEAR 6 2018 LEADERSHIP SPEECHES



LASAGNE LUNCH





CENTRAL COAST CAROLS

WHAT FUN IT IS TO LAUGH AND SING!

THURSDAY 21 DECEMBER
CENTRAL COAST STADIUM

Gates open at 4pm. Shows starts at 5pm

Featuring Damien Leith, Lah Lah's Big Live Band, amazing local acts, amusements, great food and fireworks.

Hosted by Star 104.5's Rabbit & Julie Goodwin
and an appearance by Santa.



CENTRAL COAST



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Event Partners



CENTRAL COAST STADIUM

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Tickets are \$10.00* per person | \$5.00* youth (5-17yrs) Get tickets at www.centralcoastcarols.com.au

100% DONATED TO CANCER COUNCIL NSW - CENTRAL COAST

*plus booking fee



FOOTGOLF

➤ \$11 for Adults ➤ \$6 for Kids

KIDS PARTY &
GROUP PACKAGES

STARTING FROM

\$20

➤ Golf 18 holes from **\$22**

➤ Social groups of 12
or more only **\$30pp**

Incl. Cart Hire



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around buses**



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TOWARDS ZERO

FAIRHAVEN SERVICES
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Twilight CHRISTMAS FAIR

Saturday 2nd December
3pm to 8pm

MARKET STALLS. FINE FOOD. MUSIC. RAFFLES. PRIZES.
CHRISTMAS CAROLS. POOCH PARADE (BRING YOUR HOUND).
VINTAGE FAIRGROUND ALLEY. FAMILY FUN.

All proceeds benefit local people who live with disability



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BUNNINGS warehouse WEST GOSFORD

CHRISTMAS FAMILY NIGHT

Thursday 7th December 6pm-8pm

Bring the family along for great night of fun with lots of
activities including: *Kindifarm Petting Zoo

- *Magic Show
- *Balloon artists
- *Face painting
- *Kids Christmas craft
- *Free sausage sizzle
- *Slot car track
- *Free gift wrapping
- *Lucky door prize
- *Adult DIY activity
- *Visits from Santa!!!

BOOKINGS PREFERRED

For bookings email westgosfordao@bunnings.com.au, call the store on
43493500 or see a team member in store. You can also book online on
our website www.bunnings.com.au



Christmas Event

Sunday 17th December 2017

from 12noon

at Kulnura Community Hall



Please join us in support of Mountain Community Children's Centre for an afternoon of fun and entertainment. All proceeds from the event will go towards the rebuild of the Centre that was devastated by fire on Monday 6th November 2017.

- **12.30pm Christmas Show:** *Santa and the Never Never Christmas Pantomime*, by Em's Entertainment.
Show duration: 45 minutes
- **Performances** by our Joey, Lizard and Snake Room Children
- **Carol's** led by Roisin Pengelly from Kulnura Public School
- A visit from **Santa Claus**
- **Jumping castle** (\$)
- **Face painting** (\$)

\$ gold coin
donation

For sale:

- BBQ and drinks - please come hungry
- Tea, coffee and cakes
- Lollies and ice-blocks
- Raffle, lucky door and tombola prizes
- Fresh local produce: fruit, vegetables, flowers and plants

Please bring your own picnic rug and chairs.

Further information on our Facebook page @MountainChildren.au

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