

Jamberoo Public School

WEEK 9 TERM 4 2012

NEWSLETTER

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Calendar Dates Friday 7th Dec Assembly - House Captain Elections
Monday 10th Dec WIRES Snake Talk in Hall 2.00 - 2.45pm
Tuesday 11th Dec Jamberoo Action Park Stage 3 - Permission Note in Newsletter
Wednesday 12th Dec Minnamurra PS Concert - children may bring cushion for comfort
Thursday 13th Dec Presentation Day 9.30am
Monday 17th Dec School Christmas Concert 9.30-11.00am and Year 6 Farewell Evening
Tuesday 18th Dec Gold Day and Jamberoo Carols in the Park
Wednesday 19th December Students last day at school for 2012!

Principals Report Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Its hard to believe that this will be the last Newsletter for the year. Next week is our Presentation Assembly and I am looking forward to celebrating the sport, academic and artistic achievements of so many of our students. All children shine in their own unique way and while they won't all receive a certificate next week, they have all had many wonderful achievements throughout the year.

Congratulations to the Year 5 students who stood for election last week. They were all outstanding. The school has elected as their School Captains for 2013 Grace Mahon and Tom Behl-Shanks and as their Vice-Captains Grace McGlinchey and Aidan Hedges. I am confident they will make excellent leaders and will have the support of the school community. Best wishes to the students who will be presenting speeches this Friday for Junior and Senior House Captains. All senior leaders will receive their badges on Presentation Day.

Mrs Beesley has taken sick leave for the rest of Term 4 and Mrs McCormack will continue to teach Drualla. Much planning is already in place for 2013 and it is most likely our class structures will be: 5 classes of K/1, Yr 2, 3/4, 4/5, Yr 6.

The Kindergarten Orientation Program has been very successful. Special thanks to Mrs Xuereb, Mrs Buswell, Mrs Woolley and Mrs McGee. Thank you also to Mrs Dowling for her assistance with the parent volunteer afternoon tea. Finally thank you to the P & C and to the wonderful staff at Jamberoo who all work together to make this a special school.

The days ahead are still very busy for all. Please read notes carefully so as not to miss important events. Do not hesitate to contact me if you have any concerns.

Have a safe and happy Christmas vacation with family and friends.

Mrs Cartwright



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MERIT AWARDS TERM 4 WEEK 7

DIAMOND	Tireni Mawbey, Sarah Williams, Tom Behl-Shanks,		
GOLD	Charlotte Poole, Laura Hall, Oliver Harris, Kiara Foye, Flo Gawith, Lillian Kofod		
	Evie Heyblok, Mitchell Smee, Tireni Mawbey, Nicholas Kofod, Brady Delamont		
	Hamish Forbes-Brown, Imogen Smith, Jack Morris, Ellis Blackburn, Abbey Davies		
	Leah Thompson		
SILVER	Rebecca Silburn, Ruben Janssens, Erin McCormack, Lachlan Poole, Charlotte Woolley		
	Annique Burnett, Kiara Foye, Tireni Mawbey, Nicholas Kofod, Imogen Smith		
	Jack Morris X 2, Tom Behl-Shanks, Bridget McCormack, Tai Papesch-Ward		
	Leah Thompson		
BRONZE	Clare Smith, Hannah Collins, Eliza Schweitzer, Grace Fitzgerald, Charlotte Poole X 2		
	Oliver Harris, Kiara Foye X 2, Tilly Smith, Marley Janssens, Tireni Mawbey X 2,		
	Nicholas Kofod X 2, Hamish Forbes-Brown, Brandon Smith, Imogen Smith		
	Jack Morris X 3, Tom Behl-Shanks X 2, Bridget McCormack, Ellis Blackburn		
	Abbey Davies, Tai Papesch-Ward X 2, Lauren Perry, Leah Thompson		
Merits Birrahlee K/1/2		Merits Drualla K/1/2	
Grace Fitzgerald	Hannah Collins	Lillian Kofod	Alexa Davies
Monika Mitrevska	Nina Donnerbauer	Ollie Harris	Gemma Boughen
Saffron Willoughby	Callan Mawbey	Amarli Aquilina	Jake Hazell
Eliza Schweitzer		Tilly Smith	Alex Mills
		Matthew Maguire	
Merits Terragong 3/4/5		Merits The Swamp 5/6	
Riley Williams	Sophie Short	Jasmine Mills	Leah Thompson
Henri Richards-Palk	Renee Weir	Billy Smith	Ciara McMurdo-Farr
Jasiah Tuaoi	Dane Mathews	Aidan Smith	
Merits Wyalla 3/4/5		VIRTUE: THANKFULNESS	
Luke Parisotto		Ellis Blackburn	Kiara Foye
Nick Voller		Laura Hall	Keturah Fitzgerald
Justin Short		Jack Maguire	Jordan Ciavarella
Angus Swan		Erin McCormack	Thomas North
Max Jennings		Shaylen Mawbey	Cassie Hawes



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Jamberoo Action Park Stage 3 Excursion Permission Note - Tuesday 11th December

Permission note in body of Newsletter please return as soon as possible. Thank you.

Mrs Behl-Shanks

Debating

All interested Year 4, 5 and 6 students that would like to try debating. Please come along on Friday morning at 8.15am in the Swamp.

2013 Swimming Carnival Date

Our 2013 swimming carnival has been booked for Friday 8th February. Please put this date in your calendar. Permission notes and further details will be sent home early next year.

UNIFORM SHOP

The Uniform Shop's last opening day for 2012 is Thursday 6 December (due to Presentation Day). However, if you need uniforms before the end of the school year, see Gail or Ruth in the playground, and we will be happy to assist.

Uniform Shop will be open on 29 Jan from 2pm-3pm for new students, and reopen at our regular Thursday 8.45am time on 31 Jan 2013.

Thank you for supporting your P&C Uniform Shop throughout this year. Have a happy & safe holidays.

Gail & Ruth

P & C MEETING AND AGM

Next P & C meeting is week 3 of term 1 in 2013 (Wednesday 18th February) . This meeting will also be the AGM where all positions will be declared vacant and voting will take place to re-fill all positions on the executive.

Everyone is welcome to attend. Thanks.

Jacqui McGee

President P & C

School Calendars 2013

The 2013 school calendars are now at the school and look fantastic. They are \$15 each and can be bought from the front office or the uniform shop.

Every child in the school is in the calendar thus making them a great Christmas present for family, grandparents, relatives, etc.

These calendars are great mementos of your child's school year and are a purchase you don't want to miss out on.



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Thursday 29th of November 2012

Jamberoo Action Park Stage 3 Excursion

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Stage 3 students are invited to Jamberoo Action Park in Week 10. Below you will find the details for the day.

When: Tuesday 11th December 2012

Location: Jamberoo Action Park, Jamberoo

Transport: Transport will be by private vehicle. If you have any difficulties arranging this please let us know ASAP.

Time: Students should be dropped off at the Action Park entry no later than 9:30am.
Students can be picked up from the venue at 3:00pm.

Cost: \$22 per student (existing discounts or passes cannot be used).

Bring: Students should wear a hat, sunscreen, swimming costume, shorts and a t-shirt (no singlets) on the day. Students may wear thongs. A small backpack containing a towel, packed lunch and a drink should also be brought along.

If you would like your child to attend please complete the permission slip below and return to school with payment no later than Friday 7th December. Late payment will result in an additional cost. If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact us.

Regards,

Sharon Behl-Shanks and Melissa Dean

Year 5 and 6 PICNIC DAY – JAMBEROO ACTION PARK

I give permission for my son/daughter _____ of class _____ to attend the Picnic Day at Jamberoo Action Park on Tuesday 11th December 2012. I understand that transport is the responsibility of the parent. I have enclosed \$22.00 payment.

Swimming Ability (circle one): Non-swimmer Weak (25m aided) Strong (50m unaided)

Parent: _____ Signed: _____ Date: _____



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MINNAMURRA PUBLIC SCHOOL STAGE 3 PRODUCTION

Be Careful What You Wish For!

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Our school has been invited to attend the production "Be Careful What You Wish For!" An exciting production written and directed by Jenny Ferguson and performed by the Stage 3 students of Minnamurra Public School. This is a wonderful opportunity for students to visit a 'bigger' school and meet students from a neighbouring community.

When: Wednesday, 12th December 2012 11.00am – 2.00 pm

Time: Students should arrive for school as usual and will leave by bus at 11.00am.
Students will return by bus to Jamberoo Public School for the end of the school day.

Where: Minnamurra Public School, Minnamurra

Transport: By bus

Supervision: This is a whole school activity and teachers will accompany their classes.

Uniform: Students should wear their school uniform.

Cost: \$8.00

Additional Information: Students must wear a hat and bring a drink bottle.



Please complete and return the permission note and money to the Office no later than Friday 7th December 2012

Carol Xuereb
Assistant Principal

MINNAMURRA PUBLIC SCHOOL STAGE 3 PRODUCTION

Be Careful What You Wish For!

I give permission for my child _____ of class _____

to attend the Minnamurra Concert on Wednesday, 12th December 2012 at Minnamurra Public School, Minnamurra.

I understand transport will be by bus. I enclose \$8.00 for this excursion.

My child has the following medical/special needs: _____

I give permission for my child to be treated in the event of injury. Medicare No: _____

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Parent /Caregiver



Chook Roster

December Chook Roster is displayed in the Office and outside Wyalla classroom, this weekend's volunteers are Tilly and Clare Smith. The chook pen nesting boxes have been empty recently but we have just discovered the secret nest in the garden. We hope the chooks will be retrained by the holidays.

Eggs gathered during the weekends and holidays are a reward for your family's time. Only a few spots left for the holidays. Fill in a space or weekend with your name and contact phone number and return to the Office. Changes can be made later if you have unexpected commitments. New families and are welcome.

Please see or email Mrs Xuereb if you would like further details as an information sheet is available. (carol.xuereb@det.nsw.edu.au) The information sheet will be forwarded to all volunteer families for the holidays.

Summer Holiday Roster					
Mon	24.12.12	Laura Hall	Mon	31.12.12	Marlou Williams
Tues	25.12.12	Xuereb	Tues	01.01.13	Marlou Williams
Wed	26.12.12	Xuereb	Wed	02.01.13	Hamish Forbes-Brown
Thurs	27.12.12	Liam North	Thurs	03.01.13	Hamish Forbes-Brown
Fri	28.12.12	Liam North	Fri	04.01.13	Hamish Forbes-Brown
Sat	29.12.12	Laura Hall	Sat	05.01.13	Alex Mawbey
Sun	30.12.12	Marlou Williams	Sun	06.01.13	Alex Mawbey
Mon	07.01.13	Alex Mawbey	Mon		
Tues	08.01.13	Weir family	Tues		
Wed	09.01.13	Weir family	Wed	16.01.13	Weir family
Thurs	10.01.13	Weir family	Thurs	17.01.13	Weir family
Fri	11.01.13	Weir family	Fri	18.01.13	Weir family
Sat	12.01.13	Weir family	Sat	19.01.13	Weir family
Sun	13.01.13		Sun	20.01.13	Weir family
Mon	21.01.13		Sun	27.01.13	Janssens family
Tues	22.01.13		Tues	29.01.13	Xuereb
Wed	23.01.13		And Back To School 2013		
Thurs	24.01.13				
Fri	25.01.13				
Sat	26.01.13	Janssens family			
Mon	28.01.13	Janssens family			

An Invitation to Presentation Day 2012

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

At Jamberoo Public School we are very proud of the achievements of our students. To recognise and celebrate their accomplishments throughout 2012, we have a special Presentation Day.

Students are given certificates and prizes to acknowledge their input into Jamberoo Public School in academic fields as well as in sporting areas and citizenship.

This year our Presentation Day will be held at 9:30am on Thursday 13th December, in the Jamberoo Public School Hall.

We look forward to your presence at this exciting event.

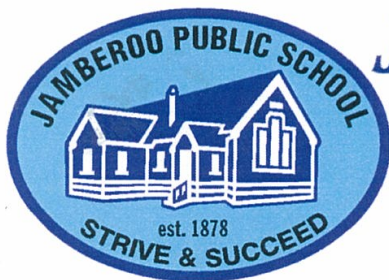


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Aquatic Awareness Program & Gold Day 2012

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

On Tuesday 18th December, 2012, Surf Life Saving Australia will visit Jamberoo PS in the morning and present an aquatic awareness program that will incorporate fun activities to develop the students' beach safety awareness and skills. During this session students will learn about surf and beach safety.

Following this, students who have achieved Gold Level in our merit system are invited to attend our special Gold Reward Day.

- This year our Gold Day is to be run in conjunction with the Surf Awareness Program. We will travel by bus to Surf Beach Kiama for a picnic lunch and then continue activities with a Beachsmart Program involving Nippers style activities such as beach sprints, flags, water wade and team relays. The day will be run by members of the South Coast Branch of Surf Lifesaving.

We will then return to school by bus by 3:00pm.

Students who have not achieved Gold will continue with the Beachsmart Program at school.

When: Tuesday 18th December 2012.

Where: Morning at school and afternoon at Surf Beach Kiama for students who have achieved Gold

Morning and afternoon at school for students who have not achieved Gold

Travel: Bus for Gold students

Cost: There is no cost for this day

What to wear: Gold students may wear swimming costumes and appropriate sun safe clothing, a hat and sunscreen. Sun safe clothing means that shoulders must be covered - NO singlet or midriff tops.

Students must also wear safe footwear eg joggers, sandals that buckle. Thongs and loose shoes are not permitted.

Students not travelling to Kiama Surf Beach may also wear sun safe clothing.

What to bring: Students **may** bring thongs for wearing from the park to the beach, a towel, picnic lunch and plenty to drink.

Please note: Students staying at school do not need to return a permission note.

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Gold Day Permission Note 2012

I give permission for my child/children..... of class/classes to participate in the Gold Day to be run on 18th December, 2012. I understand my child/ children will be travelling to Kiama Surf Beach by bus.

Please indicate if your child currently suffers from any medical condition or is taking medication that may affect his/her participation on the day.

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I give my child/children permission to be treated in the event of injury.

Medicare No:

Signed..... Date.....

Community Notices



"SUNRISE COMES TO JAMBEROO ACTION PARK"

The Sunrise Morning show is coming to Jamberoo Action Park on Wednesday 12th December 2012, where we will host its LIVE Weather Crosses and you and your family are invited to join in the morning activities.

So why not come to Jamberoo Action Park from 6.00 on Wednesday 12th December 2012 to enjoy lots of fun and activities.

Simply just turn up at the Admission Gates of Jamberoo Action Park on the morning to become involved, you might even get to be on TV!

Jamberoo Public School students, staff, family and friends schedule:

TIME	ACTIVITY
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6:00am	
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Students, family and staff arrive at Jamberoo Action Park Admission Gates	
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6:30am	
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Students, family and staff involved in the weather cross	
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7.00am	
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Students, family and staff involved in the weather cross	
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7.30am	
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Students, family and staff involved in the weather cross	
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8.00am	
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Students, family and staff involved in the weather cross	
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8.30am	
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Students, family and staff involved in the weather cross	
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All students depart Jamberoo Action Park and arrive back in time for the start of School!

Community Notices



Ages 7-12yrs

All competitors will receive an event t-shirt and finishers medallion.

January 13, 2013

Go to www.eliteenergy.com.au and click on the triathlon event box then click on the Nowra event.

School Banking Competition

Mrs Morris - School Banking Officer

BANK SOME MONEY AND YOU COULD BANK YOURSELF AN iPad MINI.

Simply making a deposit through School Banking will put you in the draw to win one of twelve (12) iPad Mini's valued at \$369 each for Christmas*.

Here's how it works -

- Make a deposit into your CommBank Youthsaver account at school any time between November 19 – December 14 2012.
- Every student that makes a deposit during the competition period will go into a draw to win one (1) of twelve (12) iPad Mini's (16GB with wi-fi).
- For more information, simply contact your School Banking Specialist or the School Banking Helpdesk on 1800 674 496.

Start saving more today and you can be a winner!

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 **CAN**

Terms and conditions: The competition will run from 19th November 2012 – 11:59pm 14th December 2012. Competition is Australia wide. The prize draw will take place at 12:00pm 17th December 2012. Winner(s) will be notified by telephone and by email. The winner will be notified in the Australian Newspaper on 17th December 2012. The Prize is the CommBank Bank of Australia, Darling Park, Town & City, Sydney, NSW. Terms and conditions are available at www.commbank.com.au/schoolbanking. *In total of around 122,000 iPad Mini's will be given away from 2013-2016. Give away in New South Wales, Victoria, Queensland, Western Australia, Tasmania and South Australia including Northern Territory. Period November 2012-2016.



2012 SALVATION ARMY GIVING TREE



have much pleasure once again hosting a Giving Tree in 2012 on behalf of the Salvation Army. We ask for your assistance to ensure that the needy children in our local area have a reason to smile on Christmas morning. It is as easy as dropping into your local Elders office in Jamberoo and placing a new toy under our Giving Tree. Last year Elders Jamberoo alone collected over 150 new toys. This was a fantastic effort by our very generous local community.

This year's appeal concludes Monday 10th December, 2012.



The Burnett family this week opened Burnetts on Barney, a landscape supply business set up in conjunction with Burnett Trees at 80 Barney Street, Kiama, on the site where Kiama Landscape Supplies and then MJ Rowles operated similar businesses.

Burnetts on Barney has a bulk and bagged range of soils, sands, mulches, firewood, blue metals and decorative pebbles, all available for delivery or pickup. We have a local emphasis with JambéRooMooPoo, local mushroom compost and chook poo plus Healthy Earth soil foods.

We are proudly stocking Jamberoo's Estate Gardening tools plus beautiful garden and horticultural art by connections Kate Blackburn and Stuart Alexander. There are also stunning red cedar slabs and mature tree transplants for sale.

To celebrate our opening and to recognise the fantastic revival of Jamberoo's School Garden Club, Burnetts on Barney will return 5% of any sales made to Jamberoo Public School families this term to the School's Garden Club.

We would love to welcome Jamberoo families to have a look at our new site at 80 Barney Street, Kiama, from 7am to 4.30pm weekdays and 7am to 4pm on Saturdays. Call Andrew or Bee Burnett on 42 331 322.

Kiama it's back

**2013 K.I.S.S. Arts Festival from the 4th-6th January with
3 amazing events.**

1. **FREE** Street Theatre Festival in Hindmarsh Park with 4 world class acts from across the globe here to entertain you.
2. **FREE** Open Air Cabaret for all ages. 4th and 5th Jan in the Sebel Harbourside Courtyard between 7-9pm and on Sunday 6th in the Jamberoo pub beer garden from 5-7pm. Performers will request donations, please give generously.
3. Circus Workshops 2nd to 15th January from 10am-3pm everyday. Kids and adults classes available. Workshops will be held at Dance sensation studios in Brown street Kiama. Cost \$50.

FOR CIRCUS WORKSHOP BOOKINGS AND MORE INFO ON
ALL ASPECTS OF THE FESTIVAL

www.kissartsfestival.com.au or call Tamara 0403 817 549



Jamberoo Public School Celebrates 135 years in 2013

That's right, 2013 is the 135th Anniversary of our school, and we do plan to celebrate.

A date has been set for this auspicious occasion,

Saturday the 26th October 2013 (Save the date)

The Fete will run from 10am to 3pm.

An event like this does not just happen. It needs a team of committed and enthusiastic people to put it all together. Jackie Hall is our Fete Coordinator. There have been a few generous well organised parents who have volunteered their time to be a part of the fete committee for 2013, thank you very much, however a few more helpers are required for the committee. If you are unable to attend fete meetings, don't let that stop you, you can still be a great help from home or even on the phone. The Jamberoo Fete committee wants you...

If you can spare a little of your time for the Fete, please contact **Jackie** on her email address jacjas1@tpg.com.au or mobile 0404 042 585. Don't be afraid to approach Jackie at school, she can normally be found at school on a Monday and Tuesday morning or afternoon. We are looking for volunteers, suggestions, donations and more importantly, your support. Please remember all monies raised from the fete will be put directly into making Jamberoo Public School an even better place.

Book and Uniform Donations are now open - Gail & Ruth have kindly offered to run the second hand book and uniform stall. Please feel free to donate any unwanted books or uniforms if you're planning a cleanup prior to Christmas. Gail will gladly accept all donations from now. Gail can be found most days across the school week.

Cheers,
Jamberoo Fete Committee 2013



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