# Jamberoo Public School

**WEEK 11 TERM 4 2014** 

**NEWSLETTER** 

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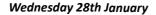
### A small school making a big difference!



Had a wonderful morning at the Jamberoo Public School's presentation day! Congratulations to all the wonderful teachers and students.



Sam, Annie and Sarah Delighted to welcome our Governor and his wonderful wife Linda to our electorate



Students return to School
 Kindergarten Best Start
 Kindergarten Best Start
 Kindergarten First Day
 Kindergarten Photos

Thursday 5th February Friday 6th February

Thursday 29th January

Friday 30th January

- School Swimming Carnival

Friday 13th February - School Sport Begins

#### Dear Parents and Caregivers,

What a sensational end to the year! Presentation Day last week was a wonderful success and a credit to every student and member of staff. Our official guests commented on many outstanding aspects of the day, including the behaviour of our students, the huge representation of parents and community members for a small school, the stage 2 choir, the Kindergarten and Year 6 graduations and our official recognition of the 2015 leaders. Thank you to everyone who attended and helped make this a special day.

The Year 6 Farewell last night was also a fabulous night. Thank you to the Year 5 students and parents for starting the events and to the wonderful caterers, Emma Donnerbauer and Ruth Woolley, the food was amazing. Year 6 looked and behaved resplendently, making it a very enjoyable night.

Unfortunately the excursion to Kiama Surf Beach needed to be cancelled today due to lightning. The Department of Education and Communities has a very stringent policy on students being outside during inclement weather and I am confident it was best to take this safety precaution.

It is with great pleasure that I can finally announce the appointment of Mrs Behl-Shanks as a permanent member of staff for Jamberoo PS in 2015. We welcome her in her 'new' position and know what enthusiasm and passion she brings with her. I am also extremely pleased to announce that Mrs McCormack will remain as a classroom teacher in 2015. Mrs McCormack also brings much experience and enthusiasm to our school and I know parents and students will be happy to know she is not leaving us.

The funeral for Nicole Hartenstein will be held at the Anglican Church on Thursday, 18<sup>th</sup> December at 11am. Our school hall will also be available as I believe many people will be attending the funeral and we have been advised that our hall can be linked to the service in the Anglican Church. As it is not a school day, the school grounds may be used for parking. On behalf of the staff we would like to extend our sincere condolences to Nicole's family and many friends. Our thoughts are with them at this sad and difficult time.









Students will not go into permanent classes on the first day of Term 1 next year. There is already a Plan A and B and with numbers very close to setting up a 5<sup>th</sup> class again, we will need to wait to ensure transition is as smooth as possible. If you are planning on being away at the start of Term 1 or if something unexpected occurs, could you please try to let us know with an email or written correspondence of when you are intending to return. Every child at the beginning of the year will make a difference to the setting up of classes. Staff will be at Jamberoo PS for Staff Development Day on Tuesday, 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2015, Years 1-6 will commence school on Wednesday, 28th and Kindergarten will commence school on Friday, 30<sup>th</sup> January following their Best Start interview.

On behalf of the staff I would like to wish everyone a safe and happy holiday season. Enjoy your time together and we look forward to seeing you next year. Merry Christmas to all!

#### **Suzanne Hammond-Warne**

**Principal** 

#### **Carols in the Park**

Carols in the Park will start at 7.15pm tonight. Students who are performing please wear something with the colours red, green and white.

Stage 1 - Performing at 7.40pm

Stage 2 - Performing at 8.07pm

Stage 3 - Performing at 8.38pm

#### Year 6 Mini Fete

Last Monday, we held our fundraising mini fete to buy our farewell gift for the school. The stalls were Apple Bobbing, Crazy Hair, Lolly Jar Guessing, Hoops, Nerf Target Shooting, Cake Stall, Shell Toss and Delicious Spiders and Milkshakes. In total we raised \$658.80! We would like to spend the money on buying new backboards and hoops for the basketball court. We had a lot of fun running our stalls and would like to thank everyone for supporting the mini fete so well.









#### **TERM 4 CHOOK ROSTER**

Saturday 20th December - Hall Family

Sunday 21st December - Hall Family

# Gold Diamond Jeremy Stiner Saffron Willoughby Jack Maguire Hannah Collins Pheonix Willoughby Alex Mawbey Sarah Williams Lillian Kofod

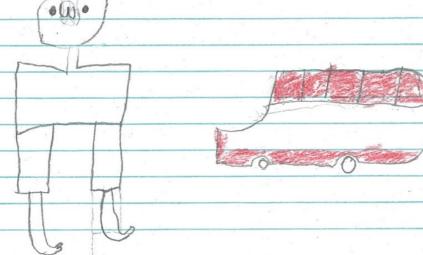




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# **Letter From Patrick** As a reminder of the generosity of the Jamberoo School Community, this week we received a letter from Patrick, our Kenyan sponsor child. I am sure you will agree that our small school has made a difference in Patrick's life as is reflected in his lovely letter public school mach







## **Summer Holidays Chook Roster**

The end of the year is fast approaching, hooray.... so we need to get organised with the chook roster over the school holidays.

Monday 22nd December - Weir Family	Tuesday 23rd December - Weir Family
Wednesday 24th December - Weir Family	Thursday 25th December - Weir Family
Friday 26th December Sophie & Hannah Williams	Saturday 27th December Sophie & Hannah Williams
Sunday 28th December - Sophie & Hannah Williams	Monday 29th December - Sophie & Hannah Williams
Tuesday 30th December - Weir Family	Wednesday 31st December - Weir Family
Thursday 1st January - Weir Family	Friday 2nd January - Weir Family
Saturday 3rd January - Isabel Ryan	Sunday 4th January - Isabel Ryan
Monday 5th January - Isabel Ryan	Tuesday 6th January - Isabel Ryan
Wednesday 7th January Ella-Mae North	Thursday 8th January - Ella-Mae North
Friday 9th January - Ella-Mae North	Saturday 10th January - Alex & Lilly Mawbey
Sunday 11th January - Alex & Lilli Mawbey	Monday 12th January - Macson & Huon Smith
Tuesday 13th January - Laura & Sarah Hall	Wednesday 14th January - Laura & Sarah Hall
Thursday 15th January - Macson & Huon Smith	Friday 16th January - Macson & Huon Smith
Saturday 17th January - Macon & Huon Smith	Sunday 18th January - Macson & Huon Smith
Monday 19th January - Macson & Huon Smith	Tuesday 20th January - Macson & Huon Smith
Wednesday 21st January - McCormack Family	Thursday 22nd January - McCormack Family
Friday 23rd January - McCormack Family	Saturday 24th January - Nina & Grandma Nel
Sunday 25th January - Nina & Grandma Nel	Monday 26th January - Nina & Grandma Nel





