Intensive Swim School Program

Next week all students will participate in the DEC Intensive Swim Program. This Intensive Swim School is a learn to swim program developing water confidence, providing students with basic skills in water safety and survival.

Students will travel by bus each day at 11:30am and return to school by approximately 2:45pm.

Students will participate in two 45 minute sessions each day.

Students will need to bring swimmers, towel and goggles to school each day in a bag (PLEASE ensure every item is labelled with your child’s name). Time will be allocated each day to allow students to change before the bus arrives. However, students may come to school wearing their swimmers underneath their uniform, if they prefer. These students should bring a change of underwear.

On the final day of the program, Friday November 6th, students will be required to take a pair of old pyjamas or old tracksuit for lifesaving skills.

Goggles are required because the chlorine can be overpowering to their eyes.

Students will have a short break between sessions and will need to bring a snack (ie fruit break) and a water bottle each day to have at this time.

We apologise for not recognising the generous contributions from Bulga Coal and our P&C on the permission note that was sent home.

This program has been made possible thanks to the generosity of Coal & Allied, Bulga Coal & our P&C, there is no cost to families.

Please note-there will be no canteen next week.
K-2 Hunter Valley Zoo Excursion
Fitness-a-thon
Our Year 6 fitness-a-thon fundraising event raised $521.00
Thank you for your support, especially to Jules Bosco, Jo Manning, Errol & Jacquie Manning (Grandparents), Rob Nancarrow, Gail Dodds & Brett Gittoes for assisting on the day!

Christmas Craft Day
Christmas Craft day will be held on Thursday 10th December. Please contact the office if you are able to come along and lead a group or help for the day. It is always a fun filled day and the students are able to take home a few lovely Xmas themed items. Lunch is provided for all helpers.

Captain’s speeches
Our 2016 Captain’s speeches will be held on Friday 4th December commencing at 9.10am.

Day for Daniel
Day for Daniel is TOMORROW, Friday 30th October. All students are asked to make a gold coin donation towards the Daniel Morcombe Foundation. Milbrodale students will be joining us for this day. All students are asked to wear RED clothes. We are also having Raw Art visit for all students to participate in a hands on creative arts lesson.

Head lice
Please check and treat your children’s hair regularly for head lice. If everyone does this we should be able to keep the outbreaks under control.

Zooper Doopers
Just a reminder that Zooper Doopers are available to order from the office for 50c each from Monday - Thursday. The ice blocks are then given to those students at recess time.

P&C messages…
Please note our next meeting has been changed and will now be held on Thursday 5th November at 3:10pm. We hope to see you all there.

Bunnings BBQ
Thank you to the parents/carers who volunteered last Sunday to help out at our BBQ. We raised approx $500.
**Christmas Raffle**

The P&C will hold a Christmas raffle with prizes being drawn at the Presentation Day Assembly. Donations of non-perishable items to be included in the raffle can be left at the office. Thank you.

**Canteen Report**

“We are currently having difficulty with our supplier sourcing the round cheese and bacon pizzas on the menu. Until this can be rectified, we have sourced rectangle cheese and bacon pizza of the same brand. No change to the cost on menu.

We are also running low on the Bulla Vanilla Ice-cream tubs and are looking to phase these out as they are not a big seller on the menu. We are looking at an alternative frozen product to replace these and will advise once we have these.

We are looking to revise our Canteen Menu for 2016. If you have any suggestions, the P&C would love to hear from you. Contact Casey Wood and Candice Corrie for more info. We would love to make a more interesting and healthy menu for the children.

We are also looking for canteen volunteers for 2016. Friday is the only day the canteen runs due to lack of volunteers, but if you can help any day (especially Mondays) we would love to hear from you.”

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**Sydney Youth Orchestra Philharmonic in Chapel**

@ Sacred Spaces at The Sisters of Mercy convent, Queen St, Singleton

**Friday 13th November 2015 at 5.30pm**

60 piece orchestra, conducted by Mr. Brian Buggy OAM with guest performer Mr. Mark Walton OAM, clarinet.

Tickets: $15 adults, $10 concession & students, $40 family (2 adults & 2 children) available through the SYO website or at the door from 5pm.

All enquiries to: Sydney Youth Orchestras Operations Manager

Casey Green – 0292512422
casey@syo.com.au
You’re invited to the
White Ribbon Day BBQ Breakfast

Come and join us for a BBQ Breakfast to raise awareness of domestic violence issues within our community. We are asking for a gold coin donation in exchange for breakfast, tea, coffee and juice.

The funds raised on the day will go towards much needed services to protect women from domestic violence.

We will be exhibiting the ‘Love Bites’ artworks created by high school students from Singleton. These artworks were created to raise awareness of domestic violence amongst young people and to help foster positive relationships. Come down and show your support on the day.

When: November 25, 8-9.30am.
Where: Singleton Youth Venue.
Cost: gold coin donation.

RSVP by November 18 to admin@singletonifs.org.au or call 65724288

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Junior Sports Day & Indoor Sports Enrolment

SUNDAY 15th NOVEMBER 2015
Singleton Heights Sports Centre
11am – 2pm

Free Entry • Futsal, Basketball, Squash & Racquetball Taster Drills & Comps • Gymnastics Skills • Kinder Tots/Learn to Play Café • Jumping Castle • Sausage Sizzle

All funds raised will donated to YMCA benevolent programs

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