## Dates to Remember in Term 4

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<td>Tuesday, 4th November</td>
<td>Melbourne Cup Day – No School</td>
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## Notices Sent Home This Week:
PIB (Parent Information Bulletin)
School Production
Congratulations to everyone at Cockatoo Primary School for the wonderful effort with the school production over the last three nights. The children who performed were amazing as were the back stage support crew and the students who manned the market stalls at interval. The nights were a brilliant success and I must thank the fantastic team of teachers, office staff and parents who worked so hard at bringing it all together.
To the wonderful children of our great school – you were champions! I am so proud of you all! The attitude and the enthusiasm displayed towards your role, whatever it was, proved to be nothing short of outstanding. The level of courage displayed when appearing on stage was sensational and, for some of you (me included), the nerves were a real challenge. The behavior displayed by all children was fantastic!
There were many ‘magic moments’ displayed over our three night journey and to watch the children grow and develop in self-confidence was a joy to behold.
A special mention must be made again to all staff who under the guidance of Alice, our coordinator, provided the children with the opportunity to perform and grow whilst still maintaining a focus on the learning programs.
Well done!!

End of Year Procedures
Teachers will soon be considering grade models and the consequent placement of children for the next school year. This process is very involved and requires considerable amounts of staff discussion. Each student’s academic level, social circle and emotional development is taken into consideration prior to a placement being made. Due to the considerable amount of time and thought that goes into this task, last minute changes to grade placements are impossible to make – one change has a snow balling effect. The final lists are considered by all staff at a staff meeting prior to publication. As you can see we really do try to get ‘the mix’ just right!
If your child will be moving from the area and, therefore not attending our school, I would appreciate it if I could be advised as soon as possible.

Emergency Management Plans
Our school and OSHC Emergency Management Plans are currently being updated to ensure that they replicate any changes to current regulations. The plans will be tabled at School Council before being finally approved by DEECD.

As we are in a high fire risk area we are asking that all parents provide updated mobile phone details to the office. A note will be sent home next week to enable you to do so. This will enable us to communicate directly with you through your mobile phone device in the event of an emergency.

Assembly
Due to conclusion of the ‘theatrical season’ assembly will re-commence next Friday at 2.30PM.
SICK BAY DUTY

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<td>Donna Baguley</td>
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<td>21.11.2014</td>
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<td>Lynda Chiruttini</td>
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<td>Leighta Bennett</td>
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If you would like to help please contact the office.

OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS

To Contact O.S.H.C.
call the School Office on 5968 8017 between
8.30am and 4.30pm
or ring 0408 566 957
or 5968 0256
at all other times.
Hope to see you soon.
Janine, Deidre and Kelly.

PLUMBER
Local Plumber
Call Dean
Mobile: 0431 335 064
Home: 03 5968 9268

NO JOB TOO SMALL

SPACE AVAILABLE FOR ADVERTISING

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G.S.T. INCLUSIVE

WHOLE YEAR ADVERTISING DISCOUNT: REGULAR SIZE -
$175.00

Please contact the school on 5968 8017 if you would like to advertise in our newsletter

All newsletter items are to be at the Office by 12MD Tuesday.
HAPPY BIRTHDAY

We would like to wish the following Students and Teachers a very Happy Birthday

Students:

Emily Cummins
Madison Cummins
Indi Young
Matthew Diprose
Gryphen Bennett
Brodie Walker
Mitchell Sears

IT'S COOL TO BE AT SCHOOL!

Edible Garden

Monday, 10th November

3:30pm straight after school,
There will be jobs for everybody.
Sausage sizzle for all the hungry workers.

More details in next weeks newsletter....
Mail Order Eftpos Credit Payment

Cardholder’s Name: ..............................................................
Card Type: □ Bankcard □ Mastercard □ Visa
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Payment for: .............................................................................
Cardholder’s Signature: .................................................. Date: ....../....../......

Please Note: $10.00 minimum

Cockatoo Primary School

ABSENCE NOTE

Name of Student: ..............................................................
Date of Absence: ....../........ to ........../......../........
Name of Grade Teacher: ........................................................
Reason for Absence:
□ Fire Plan Activation □ Medical Appointment
□ Illness □ Dental Appointment
□ Head Lice □ Parent Choice (Family Reasons)
□ Holiday □ Hospital Admission
□ Other - Please list ..............................................................
Signature of Parent or Guardian: .............................................
Date: ....../......../........

It is the parent's responsibility to inform the school of the reason for a student's absence. A satisfactory reason must be given; otherwise it will become a matter for the School Attendance Officer to deal with. Relevant legislation: The Education Act 1958 section 53(3), Community Services Act 1970 section 74(b), 74(c), 74(g).

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Cockatoo Primary School PFA has been busy planning lots of exciting things for this year's Carnival on Saturday the 15th November. Rides, Games for the Whole Family, Face Painting, Spinning Wheel, Hot Donuts, Lucky Dips, Show Bags, Yummy Food, Whip Cracking Demonstration, Raffle prizes drawn every ½ hour, Cockatoo Idol, Market Stalls plus lots more. This year the Carnival will run from 12pm 'til 6pm. Our Carnival Signs have been sponsored by Stockdale and Leggo in Emerald. We have a Monster Raffle once again this year with donations from many local & distant businesses. We have lots of items & vouchers to give away every ½ hour in the raffle this year. Tickets sell for $1.00 each or 3 for $2.00. Sheets of Raffle Tickets have been sent home. Additional tickets are available from the Office.

All Families will be sent a Donation Request Letter. If your business or the business you work for is able to make a donation to our Carnival, please give them this letter. All donations will be greatly appreciated and acknowledged.

You can purchase Ride Bands for the Carnival from the Office at a discounted price. If you buy your ride bands from the Office BEFORE the Carnival they will be at a greatly reduced price. This will give you unlimited rides all day long. If you purchase your ride bands on the day they cost more...... What great value, free rides all day long from 12 midday ‘til 5.30pm. If you buy individual ride tickets on the day they are far more expensive.

Do you want to enter Cockatoo Idol at the Carnival? Have you been practicing your act? You need to fill out the Cockatoo Idol Booking Form & return it to the Office. Each participant in Idol will need to pay a $3.00 application fee with their Booking Form. Backing music etc will need to be submitted before Friday 14th November. All participants will receive a Cockatoo Idol Certificate. First, Second & Third place winners will receive a prize.

To all our Home Chefs out there..... if you're into making preserves, jams, chutneys, sauces, pickles etc please set aside a few bottles / jars of your produce for our Carnival this year. We plan to have a "homemade" stall and we would really appreciate your donation. We're already off to a good start with a few homemade preserves, but we need lots, lots more. We also need cakes, slices, cookies, and anything else yummy you or your friends and family can make for our "homemade treats" stall.
Do you have any old crockery at home??????
We need old plates both large and small, bowls, cups, saucers and mugs for a new stall at the Carnival this year. **We don't want your good crockery..... we want the old chipped or cracked stuff (not broken please).** Send it into School, or drop it in to the Office.

Does anyone have any cricket balls they can donate to School? They don't need to be new, just as long as they are still intact. Cricket balls are required for an game / stall at this year's Carnival, and we need approximately 20. Please send them along to the Office.

We will send a roster home soon. **Each family is rostered on a stall to help out at the Carnival for a couple of hours. There is a set up shift, running the stalls shifts & a pack up shift. If you have any problem with the time you have been rostered on, when notes are sent home, please contact the Office immediately to arrange an alternative roster time...**

PFA are very pleased to announce that we are paying for the bus transport costs for the Grade 4 Rick Annal Bike Camp. We are extremely proud to support this annual program.

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**MARKET DAY 2014 = SUCCESS!**

This year the Grade five and six students, for their economic assessment, designed and sold products at our School Production.

Thank you to everyone who assisted with this program and especially our WONDERFUL SENIOR STUDENTS for all of their hard work.

All profits made will be donated to Beyond Blue Foundation. This was voted, by the senior students as a need in our community. Once all of the profits are calculated we will announce the total donated amount and, hopefully present a SUPER cheque at assembly.

Thank you once again
Sarah Wintle

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New Cupcakes
Chocolate/Vanilla/Butter
flavours
ONLY .50c

*Help needed*
Canteen Duty commences
at 10.30am and runs
approximately
until 2.00 – 2.30pm.

SLUSHY’S
ARE BACK
TROPICAL
$1.20

Canteen News
Changes have been made to the EVERYDAY MONEY SAVER MEAL DEAL please replace with
the new copy sent home today.
Have you seen our canteen menu, if you missed out, copies are available at the Office. There have
been some price changes so please check before ordering. Tomato sauce, Soy Sauce, Mayo and
lunch bags are now included free of charge. If your child doesn’t want them please write ‘No sauce’
clearly on the lunch bag otherwise they will be added.

EVERYDAY MONEY SAVER MEAL DEALS
We are offering a Meal Deal for the low price of $5.00 and in this deal you can choose from
1 - Main 2 - Snack 3 - Drink.
All you need to do is fill out the Meal Deal form tick one item from each section and place in a Bag
like a normal lunch order.
This Meal Deal offer is available any day the canteen is open while stock is available.
Extra copies are available at the office or in the newsletter.

Reminder
We do not accept New Zealand coins as payment for purchases,
NO foreign currency will be accepted as the bank does not accept
it therefore it is a loss for the school.

Freddo Frogs, SUNKIST and Ham &
Cheese Crossants are NO longer
available from the Everyday Money
Saver Meal Deal
Strawberry Moosies now available on
your Everyday Meal Deal under snacks.
Everyday
Money Saver
Meal Deal

Select 1 Item from each section for the LOW price of $5.00
*meals are set/no changes can be made*

Mains

Egg & Bacon Quiche
Large Spring Roll
Hamburger with cheese (sauce & mustard optional)
6 Southern Style Chicken Bites
3 Roasted Wing Dings
King Sized Sausage Roll
8 Flame Grilled Beef Meatballs
Twisty Pasta with Bolognese Sauce
Vegetable Pastie
2 Large Chicken Dim Sims
Pizza Pie

Snacks

Strawberry Moosie
Twin packet Sweet Biscuits
Cheese and Biscuits
Frozen Fruit Juice Tube
Frozen Fruit Cup Pineapple only

Drinks

Can of Solo
Can of Lemonade
Bottle of Water

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