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Principal’s Report:

A busy week this week even though the school has had little access to the outside world with our email system down for the last 2 days. If you have been trying to email the school we are sorry for the inconvenience this has caused.

Senior and Junior Dance Ensembles

Last Tuesday I had the privilege of attending the Sydney North Dance Festival at Glen Street theatre. Our Senior Dance group performed “Rhythm of the Land” and the Junior Dance ensemble performing “Treaty.” The costumes looked fantastic underneath the lights and the students danced like professionals. The constant rehearsals and the marvellous choreography of our dance teachers Kristy and Cassie, supported by our own wonderful staff Lauren Finlayson and Natalie Panetta, all came to together with a polished and professional performance on Tuesday night. How very proud I was of all those involved and many of the parents were indeed impressed with the standard of performance. The ensembles will be performing again on Friday afternoon and the Junior Ensemble again next Thursday 27 June. Good luck to them all for the next few performances. Well done!

Senior Band – Yamaha Festival

Yesterday the Senior Band capably conducted by Ben Dickson performed 3 pieces at the Yamaha Music Festival at the Chatswood Concourse. The band members were very keen to perform and thrilled the audience with their musical repertoire. We were all impressed with their development as a band and were pleased with the evaluation given by one of a panel of judges. A big thank you to Lauren Finlayson for her organisation of the band and supervising the children to and from the performance yesterday. Lauren has had a lot of extra commitments this week with their development as a band and with her reports. We really appreciate all her extra efforts in assisting with these additional programs within our school.

WHAT’S HAPPENING NEXT WEEK

Monday 24 June
Dance Concert Rehearsal @ Balgowlah Boys Campus

Tuesday 25 June
Dance Concert Performance K-2 10.00am Yrs 3-6
12.00pm @ Balgowlah Boys Campus Hall

Wednesday 26 June
Yrs 5 & 6 depart for Canberra Camp

Thursday 27 June
Jnr Dance Ensemble performance 9.45am @ Glen St

Friday 28 June
Yrs 5 & 6 return from Canberra Camp
Last day of Term 2

School Dance Concert
Next Monday 24 June we will have a full dress rehearsal of our school dance concert at Balgowlah Boys high school. The children will travel by bus to and from the rehearsal and have the morning to rehearse on the stage in preparation for the concert the next day. All students will need their costumes for the dress rehearsal and will need to take their morning tea and fruit break to the rehearsal. We should all be back at school by lunchtime.

The actual dance concert will be Tuesday 25 June at the Balgowlah Boys Campus hall. The K-2 concert will begin at 10.00am with doors opening at 9.45am. The 3-6 concert will begin at 12 o’clock with an approximate 45 minute break between each concert. You may like to visit some of the local coffee shops in this break for a quick cuppa if you are staying on for the later concert. Both the Senior and Junior dance ensembles will be performing at both concerts. Reserved seating for the K-2 and 3-6 concerts has already been organised for those lucky families who purchased tickets at the Trivia Night. No entry cost is required however there will be opportunity to make a small donation towards our school at the door.

The canteen will be closed both of these days so please pack lunch for these days.

Year 5 and 6 Camp
Next Wednesday 26 June all of the Year 5 & 6 students along with Mrs Ward, Ms Phillips, Mr Dylan and Mrs Lee will be travelling to Canberra for a 3 day excursion. The trip is to support the work done on the Australian government in the HSIE lessons. We wish all the students a safe journey, making sure they pack plenty of warm clothes. While I’m away Mrs O’Grady and Mrs Learmont will be sharing the role of principal.

Kindergarten Excursion
Tomorrow Kindergarten will be visiting the Manly Vale Community Gardens. They will be walking down and having their morning tea and lunch there. If it is raining unfortunately the excursion will have to be cancelled.

Reports
Next Tuesday 25 June our end of semester report will go home with all students. The reports are a reflection on how your child is going according to Stage outcomes. The stages of development are:

Early Stage 1 - Kindergarten
Stage 1 – Year 1 and 2
Stage 2 – Year 3 and 4
Stage 3 – Year 5 and 6

Please be aware that the younger grades of the stage eg. Year 1, 3 and 5 are only part way through their stage and therefore it is common to find a lot of the outcomes not
achieved. Many students are still working towards achieving these outcomes. For students to have received “sound” on their reports it means that they have achieved those outcomes. Discussion with your child’s teacher can be done next term if you wish to make an interview time.

Music Bus
The Music Bus is a bus that comes to the school to provide music lessons in lunchtimes. The lessons are 30 minutes in length and will begin at 1pm to finish at 1.30pm. The cost of the lessons are $15 for keyboard, guitar and singing or $17 for drums. Lessons are subject to interest and availability. There may be some opportunity to run lessons before school if there’s interest. If you wish to enquire about the Music Bus please call 1300168742. Expression of interest forms are available from the school office. Please complete and send directly to the Music Bus not to the school.

PSSA – last Friday of term
As most of our senior students are away in Canberra all of our senior teams have forfeited their games on Friday 27 June. We are still hoping to send our Junior teams on that day to play their games. If you know that you will be away on that day please inform your coach by tomorrow so as we can make arrangements for that last Friday.

P&C Meeting – Tuesday 25 June 7.30pm
At the next P&C meeting Brett Forster from the Primary Parent Planner will be presenting an App for your phones to enhance communication between the school and community. The App will be explained and shown at the beginning of the P&C meeting to interested parents and maybe trialled later this year. Please feel free to come along to the meeting next week to find out more.

Tina Lee
Principal

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**Term Dates 2013**

| Term 2 | Wed 1 May to Fri 28 June |
| Term 3 | Tues 16 July to Fri 20 September |
| Term 4 | Tues 8 October to Wed 18 December |

SCHOOL ZONES—Keep Our Children Safe

School zones operate between 8.00-9.30am and 2.30-4.00pm on school days. Remember the speed limit is 40km/h in all school zones.

**Parking Around School Zones**

**NO STOPPING**
Vehicles may not stop on a No Stopping area for any length of time, no matter how short. Dropping off or picking up passengers is not permitted in these areas. A continuous yellow edge line also indicates a No Stopping zone.

**Fine:** exceeds $265 and 2 demerit points

**NO PARKING**
Vehicles may stop in a No Parking area to pick up or drop off goods or passengers provided drivers stay within three metres of their vehicle and are not parked in the No Parking zone for longer than two minutes.

**Fine:** exceeds $147 and 2 demerit points

**DOUBLE PARKING**
Vehicles may not stop next to legally parked vehicles, even for a short time. Double parking reduces the visibility for other motorists and pedestrians and it can also cause other motorists to drive on to the wrong side of the road in order to pass.

**Fine:** exceeds $265 and 2 demerit points
**Library News**

Despite the wet weather our 20c Book Sale was a great success. Thank you to all our enthusiastic patrons our total sales exceeded $121.20. We still have a few boxes of great stories left so do come and have a browse.

Special thank you to our fabulous library monitors, **Kiah, McQueen, Eric, Miles, Ellie, Mia, Talia, Ivy, Maddie, Tierey** who helped to organise, sell and count the takings.

Glynis Poole—Teacher/Librarian

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**Manly Vale Public School Dance Concert**

**Balgowlah Boys Campus Hall**

**Tuesday 25 June 2013**

K-2 concert commences 10.00am
3-6 concert commences 12.00pm
Doors open 9.30am

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SPORTS FUNDAMENTALS

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OWLETS
Owlets meet on Mondays from 9.15-11.00am in the school hall. Feel free to join in! For further information contact Kyrralyn on 0422 404 273.

PSSA SPORT
Please check the School’s Website for cancellations of PSSA Sport due to the weather  
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P&C MEETINGS
Usually held every 3rd Tuesday @7.30pm in the Administration Block unless otherwise advised.

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Winter Holiday ART Program + Term 3
North Balgowlah Community Centre age 5-10
MY SUPER SELF 3rd July Paint & frame a glamorous or superhero self portrait add glitter, gems, ribbon and feathers for extra dazzle. Decorate a personalised journal + funky photo frame.
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Pittwater Council AustCycle program is designed to teach children ages 5 to 12 the important skills of bike control and road safety, 1-3 July 2013 @ Narrabeen North Public School. Both programs are just $35 and include 6 hours of training with 2 AustCycle teachers and a participant pack that includes a certificate of recognition. Register online http://www.austcycle.com.au or more info on 9339 5842.

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Return of the Mermaids Restoration Project Saturday 22 June "Back to Nature Day" at the Mermaid Pool, King St, Manly Vale from 9.00am. More info see https://www.facebook.com/groups/224958938606/

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