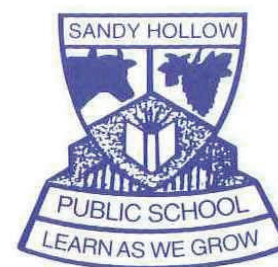




AUSTRALIA'S BIGGEST MORNING TEA

To be held on
FRIDAY 25TH MAY
AT SANDY HOLLOW HALL
9am to 1pm
Hosts: Denise Cox and



SANDY HOLLOW SNIPPETS

"Creating Future Leaders"

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23rd May, 2012

Yearling Sales

A number of students and staff attended the horse sale in Scone yesterday to witness the sale of the yearling donated by Widden Stud. It was quite exciting to be caught up in the atmosphere of the sales. The horse sold for \$4000. It has been quite overwhelming all the support that has been given towards this sale. We would like to thank Widden Stud, the Higgins family, the Kemp family, Grant Biscoe of Kirksbridge Farm, Sydney Horse Transport and Inglis. The combined generosity of these people has ensured that the entire funds of the sale go directly to the school. The new owners, who are based in Canberra, have assured us that they will send updates to the school, so that the students can follow his progress.



SRC

There will be a SRC meeting this Friday at 1.25pm. We will be discussing the charities to be supported this year and possible fundraising for our major project – refurbishment of the sandpit.

Pittman Cup

We only have one week left for training for Pittman Cup. All students will be involved in marching practice this week, in preparation for the march past. The P&C will need as many volunteers as possible to ensure that everyone will have the opportunity to watch their children compete. If we do not get enough volunteers, there will be no canteen available on the day.

Additions and Attachments

- ♦ Minutes from the last P&C meeting.



DATES TO REMEMBER

Book Fair 28th May to 1st June

Pittman Cup Wed 30th May

Fun Run/Walk-A-Thon Fri 8th June

Canteen Monday 28th May -
Nicola Field
Monday 4th June - Wendy Stair and
Christine Scott

Next Toybox - Mon 4th June

Claim the Date

School Disco	Fri 15th June
Trivia Night	Sat 23rd June
Eisteddfod	Week 9
Aussie Bush Camp	25th to 27th July



Nutrition Snippet Growing Your Own Fruit Trees

Guide to growing your own mandarins

- Small growing tree to about 3-4m in height and width, ideal for smaller back-yards
- Hardy and easy to grow, great for kids
- Prefer sheltered areas but tolerate an exposed windy site
- Ideal in full sun for maximum fruit production
- Regular watering when young, and when fruit is forming
- The trees will start to produce fruit within 1-3 years after planting



Best of all it's easy and fun for the kids to maintain and watch as it grows. They will be so excited when the fruit is ready for harvesting!

A great school initiative, trees could be planted on the school grounds & taken care of by the classes. Learnt skills at school could be transferred to the home.

For more information about the *Eat It To Beat It* Program please visit
www.cancercouncil.org.au/eatittobeatit or phone 4923 0710.



Bookfair

During the week of Pittman Cup, Mrs Parker will be running a book fair. Further information will be sent home shortly.

Walkathon

Our walkathon will be held on Friday the 8th June. It will be run between recess and lunch and will culminate with a sausage sizzle provided by the P&C. Order forms will be sent home shortly. All funds raised at the walkathon will go towards reducing the final payment of the excursion and assisting parents of K-1-2 with their excursion later in the year.

Invermein Meeting

I will be attending the Upper Hunter Small Schools Principals Network meeting on Thursday. I will be replaced by Mrs Parker.

Great Aussie Bush Camp

Just a reminder that the second payment of \$50 was due on Friday 11th May. There are quite a few families who have not paid this instalment. We set up an instalment system to ensure that families would be able to pay smaller amounts on a regular basis. The P&C have raised some funds which will be distributed shortly. We will let you know how much the third payment has been reduced by.

Christina Darlington
Relieving Principal



Weekly Awards

- ♦ Max Lundie - writing interesting sentences in spelling.
- ♦ Tylana Cox - trying hard in mathematics.
- ♦ Nickolas Roberts - writing interesting sentences in spelling.
- ♦ Codi Marsh - application in maths.
- ♦ Gypsie Russell - wonderful singing with Adam and listening to the music.
- ♦ Andrew Harris - fantastic computer work with Mrs Hinze.

Workers of the Week

K/1/2 - Ayden Marsh and Cambell Hinze.
3/4/5/6 - Georgie Russell, Connor Hodder, Gracie Russell and Jackson Whalan.

Student of the Week



Natasha Marsh - helping Kindergarten in athletics.

From the Canteen

As of next Monday canteen volunteers will be able to obtain from the Sandy Hollow Service Station any salad items they require. Thanks to the generosity of Tony and Vicki Norris, they will supply us with lettuce leaves, tomato, cucumber and carrot. Those volunteers who wish to bring in salad items from home can still do so.

DENMAN LITTLE ATHLETICS CENTRE **AGM**

The Denman Little Athletics AGM will be held at 6.30pm on Tuesday 29 May 2012 at the Denman RSL. The continuity and further growth of the Centre is dependent on expanding the committee and distributing the Centre's tasks among a larger group of people. We would encourage anyone who would like to be involved to come along and would be very grateful for any contribution you could make. Any enquiries please contact either Anthony Worth (ph 0408 246 538) or Robert Jackson (ph 0421 201 233).

Toybox

Our Toybox numbers are dropping again. Please remember to use this valuable service and encourage your friends and family also. Remember, use it or lose it!

Pie Drive Fundraiser

The Baerami Memorial Hall is holding a PIE DRIVE again, after last years very successful fundraiser. If you would like to place an order or would like any more information, please contact Michelle on 6547 5058.

All orders and money need to be back to me by Friday 1st June for a delivery date of Wednesday 13th June.

All monies raised will go towards our continual renovation of the hall.

Thank you.

Michelle Walker
Secretary



Woolies Earn and Learn

It's on again – Woolies Earn and Learn. From May 9th, you can start collecting stickers from Woolies when you shop. These stickers will be placed on a card supplied by the school. Once the card is full, it is returned to school and a replacement is issued.

Last year, we used our vouchers to purchase a variety of science equipment including magnifying glasses, thermometers, a magnet kit and an electricity kit. This equipment will enhance our practical science based lessons.

Trivia Night and Auction

Saturday 23rd June – Sandy Hollow Progress Association Hall

Bring your own basket dinner and drinks

Cost - \$10 per person

6.30 for 7pm start

Tables (max 8 people) can be booked by contacting Christine Searle on 6547 4561 or Christina Darlington at the school.

