



JAMBOREE HEIGHTS STATE SCHOOL

P & C NEWSLETTER

Volume 3 – Thursday, 21st May 2009

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GENERAL

Thank you to everyone for their help working on the Mothers Day stall and to everyone who supported the fundraising. I saw a lot of new faces at the stall last week, which was great. A special thank you to Megan, Alison, Maryanne, Karen, Jacqui, Sandra and Helen.

Mothers Day Raffle Prizes

1st prize – Nicole Yearbury

2nd prize – Melissa Rohan

3rd prize – Matt Gibbs

4th prize – M Arndt

5th prize – Cathy Hill

6th prize – Alison Hirini

Congratulations to all the prize winners

Gwen Stevens

MUSIC COMMITTEE

Don't forget the "Entertainment Books" still on sale from the office – great value at only \$60.00. Our next meeting is on Wednesday 17th June at 7.00pm in the staff room.

HEALTH COMMITTEE

Look out for our current newsletter which coincides with Allergy Awareness Week. Enter our colouring competition and win some great prizes. If you have any questions or concerns relating to health at school, please contact us at health@jhss.com.au.

DOGS IN SCHOOL GROUNDS

There have been a few reports recently of dogs being brought onto school grounds, particularly the oval. Please be aware that dogs are not allowed within the school grounds at any time – even during before or after school activities. If you are walking your kids to school, please say goodbye to them at the gate and don't come inside with your dog. We would also ask that you please ensure that dogs are kept on a leash near to the school, as both dogs and children can be unpredictable

WALK TO SCHOOL DAY

Walk to school day last Friday was a great success. Thanks to Julie Attwood and Woolworths for providing fruit for those who walked. Reports were that school traffic was greatly improved on the day.

So why not try walking to school whenever you can – even one day a week can make an impact.

CHAPLAIN

A very warm welcome to our new school chaplain, Lisa Demedio. We look forward to getting to know her, so please say hello when you see her around the school.

PICKUP ZONE / PARKING

Please do not park in the pickup zone. This is strictly for stopping to pickup or drop off children. Parking here causes great inconvenience to those who are doing the right thing, and really disrupts the flow of traffic. If you need to walk your children to class for any reason (e.g. preps, to carry something extra, see the teacher etc), then you must find a legitimate parking spot.

P&C MEETING

Our next meeting will be on Monday 15th June at 7.00pm in the OSHC building. Please come along and be involved, or just find out more about your school.

WRITE THESE DOWN !!

May	
26th	Fete meeting 7pm
June	
8th	Public Holiday
9th	Prep Information Session 5.30pm
15th	P&C Meeting 7pm
17th	Music committee meeting 7pm

FETE NEWS

WE WANT YOUR RECIPES!!!!

This year, the Prep Classes are publishing a Recipe Book for the Fete. Therefore we require all of your tried and tested recipes, those fast and fabulous family favourites – from simple to sinful, delicious to decadent. All those recipes your friends ask for – we want them! After all, good things should be shared by all!



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We require recipes for the following categories:

- Hors d'oeuvres
- Starters and Light Meals
- Mains
- Desserts
- Sauces and Dressings
- Beverages
- Creative Kids (eg Party Foods, Cooking for Kids, Playdough, goop etc)

We will take the recipes in any form. You can email them to sandmmcgrath@bigpond.com, pass them on in paper form to your class rep or send them to any of the Prep Classrooms for collection. Please be sure to include your name (eg McGrath Family) on your recipe as we would like to recognise your contribution.

Michelle McGrath

Bottle Stall

As this is the last fete for bottle stall convenor Sue Stevens, she really wants to pass on her knowledge to someone else for future fetes. Sue is still happy to convene the stall, but needs a co-convenor to help. If you are interested in helping on a very popular stall (even if you aren't a grade 4 parent), please contact her at stevensaj@optusnet.com.au.

Help needed ! ! ! !

We need lots of helpers to make each and every stall a success. We know that most of you would like the opportunity to help out, but can't make it to meetings – what else can you do?

Please consider helping in one or more of the following ways:-

- Convenor – all stalls require a convenor to act as a central organizing point. Please note that *you will not be running the entire stall on your own*. You will be required to organize appropriate donations, volunteers to man the stall, rosters etc. The better organized beforehand, the more smoothly the stall will run on the day. There is plenty of help available from members of the fete committee, but a small group can't do it all – we need your help!
- Volunteer on fete day – each stall will require volunteers to help man the stalls on fete day.

Your commitment could be as little as 1 hr – every little bit helps. You do not need to stick with your own year level – if another stalls interests you, please offer your help.

- Donation of goods – if you can't get involved with organizing or manning a stall, a donation is a simple way to help. We need things like cans of drink, bottles of water, sugar (for cake stall and fairly floss), flour, cake mix, serviettes, sauce, bits and pieces for bottle stall etc. It is so easy to throw something extra in your trolley with your weekly shop. If every student in the school makes even a small donation, what a great start we can make for the fete. If you forget to get something at the shops, just send in a cash donation – what could be easier!

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