

The Engadine Public School WARATAH

1A Waratah Rd, Engadine NSW 2233 Term 4, Week 7

CALENDAR

<u>November</u>

- 22 Dance performance
- 23 Variety Club Xmas Party
- 25 Kinder Concert/Picnic
- 26 PSSA Semi Finals

December

- 1 Canteen Promotion Day
- **3** PSSA Finals
- 8 Yr 6 Musical
- 9 Carols 6pm Reports go home
- **10** School Picnic—Funarama
- 13 Engadine Idol
- **14** Presentation Day
- Yr 6 Farewell
- **15** Last day for students
- 16/17 Staff Development Days

2011

<u>January</u>

28 (Friday) Teachers return

<u>February</u>

- 1 Yrs 1-6 Resume School Kinder Best Start Assessments commence
- 2 Kinder Best Start Assessments continue
- 3 Kinders 1st Day

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Dear Parents

There has been some confusion recently about the starting date for school in 2011. Teachers will commence on Friday, 28 January 2010 (Term 1 Staff Development Day).

Students will commence on the following Monday, 1 February. New Kinder students will commence Best Start assessment from Monday as per the timetable provided by the school during transition.

BER

After months of construction and waiting, I can happily announce that as of today we are able to occupy all the buildings that have been under the BER Construction Program. This will mean that 1-2S and 1-2 R will now be able to move out of their temporary classrooms and into their new rooms. 3-4B and 2-3N have already taken up residence in the new K Block. We are expecting the demountables to be removed sometime in the next few weeks.

Kinder Transition 2011

Many thanks to Miss Steven and her team for their wonderful efforts in organising and conducting a very informative Kinder Transition Program. I'm sure that all of our prospective Kinder students and parents are feeling very confident about starting school at EPS next year. It has also been pleasing to see Year 5 working so enthusiastically with their new "buddies" and making them feel welcome.

We still welcome any and all new enrolments for Kinder 2011. If you know of any school aged children who have not already enrolled for next year and are planning on attending EPS, please encourage their parents to contact the school. This will help greatly in the organisation of classes for 2011. Many thanks!

Book Fair and Grandparents Day

Thank you to Mrs Bourke and the staff for a fantastic Book Fair and Grandparents' Day. Feedback from grandparents who attended the day was very positive with many reporting that it was a very enjoyable and worthwhile experience.

> Steve Fuller Relieving Principal

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Grandparents' Day and Book Fair

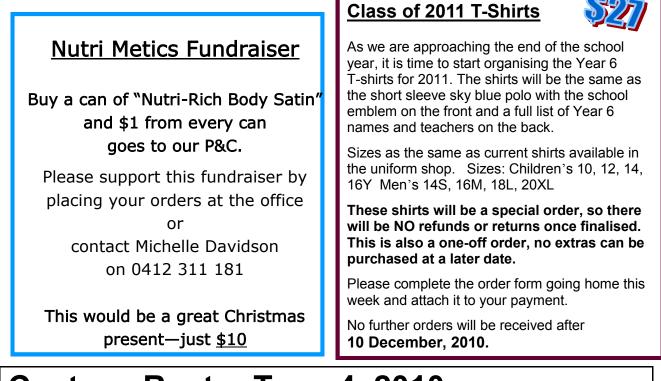
Our 2010 event was again extremely enjoyable and successful. The library and new classrooms were handed over at the beginning of the week, just in the nick of time and this, together with the rain holding off, contributed to a very exciting day.

After an enjoyable morning tea and chat with the students, the huge number of grandparents attending were treated to a very entertaining concert by the children featuring the band, dance groups, choir and class items. It was great to see so many grandparents stay and share lunch with the children. A big thank you is extended to everyone who came along.

Book Fair in the new library was extremely popular and resulted in sales of \$5,483.95 and a book commission for the school valued at around \$1,904. This made it the BEST Book Fair EVER!

Thank you to everyone who visited or purchased books. Your very positive comments about the set up of the new library were much appreciated. After a very disruptive year, I am looking forward to settling down into my amazing new facility and introducing the wonderful variety of new books to the children.

Sue Bourke



Canteen Roster Term 4, 2010

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Week	Monday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Starting				
22-Nov	Lorraine King	Jo Tindall	Birgit Hardman	Kate Giatras
29-Nov	Amanda Cogger	Helen Ledin	Linda Weber	Debbie Gibson
6-Dec	Kerin Coldwell	Faye Rababi	Birgit Hardman,	Kylie Morrell
13-Dec	Tominika Vatuvei	Melissa Shepherd	Linda Weber	Janice Suters,
				Shelley Williams,
				Debbie Gibson

AWARDS

Merit	Cameron Natalie William Kailey Pippa Aiden Harry Olivia George Tanisha Jade Jacob Lavinia Matthew James Zoe Emily Dane Brodie	2/3N 2/3N KG 5/6D 5/6D KP KP 3/6M 3/6M 1/2R 1/2R KP 2/3 3/4B 3/4B 3/4B 3/4B S/4B 6P 6P
Silver	Joshua Taryn Adam Adam Jenna Blake Thomas Jessica Jessica Lauren Zachary Luke Hannah Jayde Jayde Kirsty Bradley Samuel Brianna	1/2S 1/2S 4/5W 4/5W K-2D 4/5W 1/2R 4/5W 1/2R 5/6D 5/6D 5/6D 5/6D 5/6D 5/6D 5/6D 5/6D



Oatley/Como Excursion for 3-6M

