

# Brookvale News

## Term 4 Week 8

Dates for the Diary	
TERM 4	
Fri 29 November	SCHOOL FAIR
Sat 30 November	Family picnic at
	Pine Street
	playground –
	11:00-1:00
Mon 9 December	Volunteers' Thank
	You Morning Tea
Thurs 12	Presentation Day
December	9:30-11:30am
Fri 13 December	Semester 2
	reports
Fri 13 December	Year 6 Graduation
	Day
	Evening
	Christmas Disco
	K-6
Tues 17	'Brookvale's Got
December	Talent' show
Wed 18	School Picnic Day
December	LAST DAY OF
	TERM

# From The Principal



Fair week has finally arrived and you can feel the excitement around the school. Keep bringing in items that can be sold at the White Elephant Stall (games, toys, DVDs etc.) as well as books for the Book Stall. Cakes can be dropped off to the staff room on Friday morning.

Stage 3 has been busy organising their stalls to ensure that there is something for everyone to do on the day. Games and activities range from 50c to \$1.50.

#### The canteen will not be open on Friday.

There will be a **sausage sizzle** (\$2.00) and a **drink stand** (\$1.50), as well as the cake stall that students can buy food for lunch.

#### Some useful information:

- The fair runs from 11:00am 1:00pm.
- A suggested amount of money for students to bring is \$10-\$15. All cash will be exchanged for tokens on the morning of the fair.
- There are numerous games and activities including Pop the Balloon, Coloured Hairspray, Magneto, The Beautifiers Nail Stall, Bowl the Ball, Throw a Sponge at the Year 6 boys, Fishing 4 Rubber Ducks, and many more.
- Parents and guests are more than welcome to attend.

We look forward to seeing you all on Friday!

#### **Kindergarten Orientation**

It was fantastic to see so many people at Kindergarten Orientation last Thursday and I know that our 2014 kindergarten class had a lovely time playing games and making masks in the Kindy classrooms. The second session will be held this Thursday in the Library from 9:30. Please bring your enrolment form on Thursday if you have not already submitted it.

Skye Surrest



Assistant Principal

## Around the Stages – Early Stage 1

It is hard to believe that we have nearly finished our first year at big school! We have made lots of firm friendships and learnt so many things!

This term Kindergarten have been reading fairy tales and also Dr Seuss. Here are some of our work samples . . . Aren't we clever?





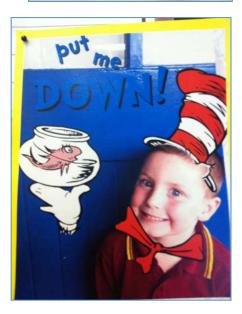












#### **Positive Behaviour, Engaging Learners (PBEL)**

Congratulations to all students for following our school expectations and earning mini merits. Last week the Lucky Dip winners were:

RESPECT – Jack Heffernan RESPONSIBILITY – Paige Cosentino PERSONAL BEST – Vivian Xu

#### Win a Samsung TV!

We are running a fundraising competition with a fantastic prize of a 51" Samsung TV. The TV was kindly donated to us by Kevin Kalinko, the owner of Brookvale Early Learning Centre. To be in with a chance of winning, all you need to do is sell raffle tickets for the Rotary Club of Dee Why. The family that sells the most tickets will win the TV. The school keeps all of the ticket money and it will be put towards the cost of building a COLA (Covered Outdoor Learning Area) in the canteen/eating area. This is definitely a prize worth aiming for! Books of tickets can be collected from the school office.

#### From the Library

#### Parents and carers of library monitors,

As a tribute to the library monitors' hard work and support of the library in 2013 we are holding a breakfast party for them on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December.

Start time: 8.30 A.M.

Please bring a small plate of food to contribute. Juice and soft drinks supplied.

#### PLEASE RETURN ALL OUTSTANDING BOOKS STILL ON LOAN!

The library is beginning stocktake shortly so all books on loan to students must be returned. If your child has received an overdue notice and you know the book has been returned PLEASE write on the note, sign it and send it to school with your child.

Annette Murphy-Haste Teacher Líbrarían

#### **Sporting News**

Congratulations Emily on your selection in to the NSW Water Polo team. We know you have represented the school and the region extremely well and we look forward to hearing about your successes! Good luck!

On Friday the 22<sup>nd</sup> of November I went to a meeting at Collaroy Beach SLSC (Surf Live Saving Club) and the officials for SNB (Sydney Northern Beaches) and HPS (High Performance Squad) were picking groups to join the Interbranch Water Polo Team. And I got picked for the HPS team. YEAH! They were picking teams based on their performance in previous carnivals and luckily I have performed to the best of my ability and went well at those carnivals.

Emily Allen 5/6S

### Kindergarten 2014 - Orientation Program



You and your child are warmly invited to come along for a taste of 'big school' during Term 4. This is a great opportunity to become familiar with the school and make friends with other pre-Kindy children, ready for starting school in 2014.

Monday 14 Oct	12:00-1:00	Plant your own sunflower in the eco-garden, watch it grow each week!
Monday 21 Oct	12:00-1:00	Have fun on a scavenger hunt around the school, with a treat at the end!
Monday 28 Oct	12:00-1:00	Enjoy story time in our library, meet your Year 5/6 buddy ©
Monday 4 Nov	12:00-1:00	Sensational fun with science!
Thursday 21 Nov	9:30-11:00	Orientation in the classroom – and presentation on literacy for Mum and Dad
Thursday 28 Nov	9:30-11:00	Orientation in the classroom – and presentation on numeracy for Mum and Dad
Monday 2 Dec	12:00-1:00	Get creative in the art studio!
Monday 9 Dec	12:00-1:00	Bring your favourite soft toy for a Teddy Bears Picnic!
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# Handball Competition by Jay, Nate and Kabir 😊

If you win, you win five lollies and if you lose you get another chance and if you win the second time you get three lollies.

RULES: It can NOT bounce in the square two times and you can NOT make it

bounce over the line or you're out and you can NOT come back after 5 times.

# Hoopla by James and Leo

In hoopla you use hoops to loop a bottle and if you manage to loop a bottle you will win the prize that is in front of that bottle.

You can buy 5 hoops for 3 tokens or 7 hoops for 5 tokens

SHOOT THE HOOP TO SCOOP THE LOOT AND WIN A PRIZE!!



Come on and try the soccer shootout by Hefzie, Liam & Kai Any grade can play and win and *everyone is a winner* 2 tickets=5 attempts - 3 tickets=8 attempts - 4 tickets=10 attempts

The more goals you score the more prizes you will get.

RULES: 3-6 stand 4.5 meters from the goal, K-2 stand 2.5 meters away from the goal.

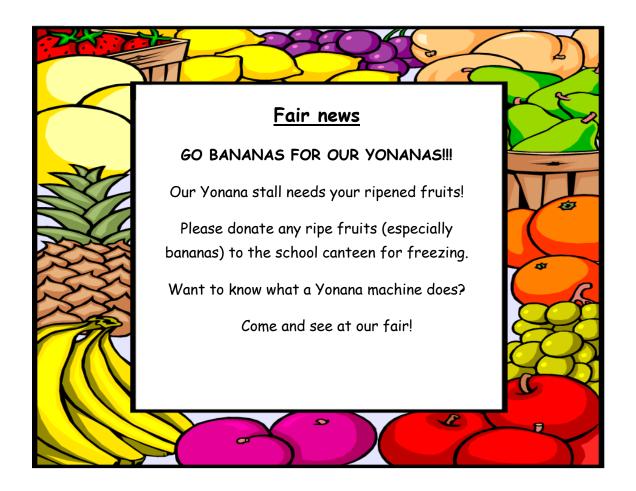
## Kindy White Elephant Stall - Items Needed



If you have any pre-loved toys, games, handbags, household bric-a- brac or costume jewellery that you could donate for kindergarten's white elephant stall at the school fair please send them to the kindergarten rooms as soon as possible.

Please make sure all items are in good condition .







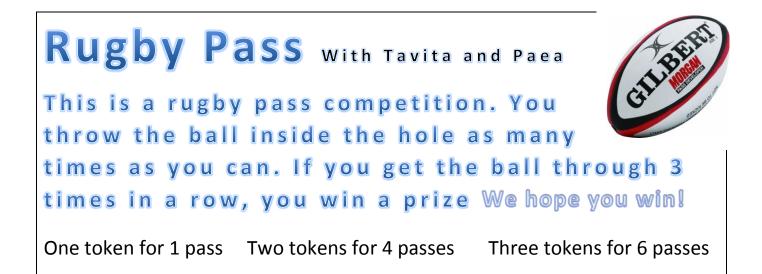
# Colour Our Drawing by Seth G, Elijah and Justin

#### Everyone is a winner

This is a drawing competition where you draw what we tell you to draw. You will have 5 minutes to draw. It will cost 1 token to enter. Whoever does the

best drawing will win a prize (lollies or small toys). But even if you don't win you still get a prize. But if you are the winner you get a bigger prize! <sup>(2)</sup> ! So don't forget to come to our stall.







# Basket Hoop by Marika and Aidan

Have a shot, get it in or not you might not know. You might just win so have go. Walk up and have a shot the prizes are good and there are lots of prizes to be won. Go on, it's pretty fun. It's one token for two shots. If you get two in, you get three Freddos. If you get three in, you

get 4 Freddos and lastly, if you get seven shots in, you can get a bigger prize!!

# Toys'n' Tucker Christmas Appeal 2013

Through Toys 'n' Tucker you can share the joy of Christmas with people in need!

We need non-perishable food items in tins, jars, bottles and packets, especially festive food such as Christmas cakes, puddings and tinned ham. We're also collecting gifts for children and teens including toys, board games, sports equipment and retail gift cards.

Please place your donation under the Christmas tree in the school entrance foyer. At the end of term our donations will be collected by Anglicare and given to families in need.



## **Community News**



#### EARLY SIGN ON COMPETITION

Help support your local Junior Rugby League Club by encouraging your students to become the next MANLY WARRINGAH SEA EAGLES NRL SUPERSTAR

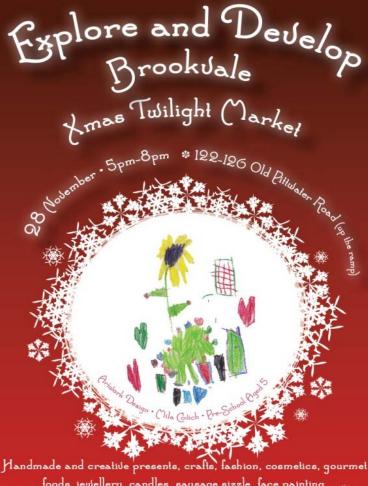


The Sea Eagles are coming to your school!! A fun afternoon of skills and games will be held at your school by the NRL and the Sea Eagles players. See the office for your registration form to be a part of the clinic



The school with the highest amount of Junior League registrations per capita from the Come & Try clinics will WIN a Rugby League equipment pack from the NRL





foods, jewellery, candles, sausage sizzle, face painting, nta and so much morell

