P & C News

The Annual General Meeting of the P & C was held on Tuesday. New office bearers for 2015 were elected.

President—Kim Bastow
Vice-President—Chontelle Rowland-Jones
Secretary—Maree Colley
Treasurer—Belinda Roach
Uniform Manager—Diane Hough

Please get behind this year’s committee and support their fundraising efforts.

This meeting was followed by a General Meeting.

Hand dryers and soap dispensers for the boys and girls toilets have been ordered.

P & C will be holding an Easter Basket Raffle. Tickets will be selling for $1 and will be available for purchase soon. The raffle will be drawn on Thursday 2nd April.

A BBQ/Cake Stall and Trash and Treasure Stall will be held at the school on the State Election day on Saturday 28th March and will be asking for help and donations. Start cleaning out your cupboards now! If everyone lends a hand each person may only be needed for an hour or two.

P & C will be cooking a sausage sizzle on the Life Education Van visit day on Tuesday 10th March. A lunch pack will consist of a sausage sandwich, popper and zooper dooper for $3.50, with extra sandwiches costing $1. Order forms will be sent home closer to the day.

Following on from the success of The Duellin’ Piano Show last year, it will again be held on Friday 15th and Saturday 16th May. The P & C has committed to help with this event. Profits will be shared between the Progress Association and P & C.

If you cannot attend the meetings and would like a copy of the minutes please see Nerida or Maree.

It was a fantastic turn out at the Welcome Afternoon Tea last Friday and it was wonderful to see so many families represented.

If you were unable to attend here are some of the important subjects discussed:

* Homework for Term 1 will be a Home Reading program for all students. It is expected that students will read EVERY night.
* Crunch & Sip will continue—please send suitable fruits/vegetables.
* We encourage everyone to participate in Waste Free Wednesday & Nude Food Friday. (More information available at school)
* We encourage everyone to make regular payments into their coupon books to cover the costs of our extra-curricular activities.
* P&C—please become involved in your child’s education

Welcome to Mr Bray

We welcome Mr Greg Bray to our school as Technology teacher K-6 and Art teacher for Years 3-6.

Mr Bray comes to us from Cudgegong Valley Public School and we are all very excited to have him as part of our staff.

Please introduce yourself to him when you see him if you did not get the chance at our Welcome Afternoon Tea last Friday afternoon.
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### Lawnmower for Sale

*Offers are invited for the purchase of the school ride-on lawnmower.*

It is a Greenfield ‘Evolution’ and was purchased by the school in 2007. It is available for inspection at the school each afternoon after 3.05 pm. Offers must be received by 3.00 pm on Thursday 26th February 2015. Offers are to be submitted to the Principal in a sealed envelope, marked “Lawnmower Offer”.

The mower has been regularly serviced, is in working order and will be sold as is.

### NUDE FOOD—RECESS & PLAY LUNCH IDEAS

**FRUIT**

Fruit can be given to your child in a multitude of ways, including:

- Whole pieces, such as apple, mandarin, kiwi fruit, grapes, berries, nectarine and banana
- Chopped pieces frozen overnight
- Dried fruit, such as a small container of sultanas, dried apple, apricots or raisins
- Tinned fruit in natural juice; decanted into a small reusable container of course 😊
- Fruit Kebabs - combine any of the chopped fruits on a wooden skewer or tooth pick: Banana, Apple, Watermelon, Grapes, Kiwi Fruit, Rockmelon, Peaches, Nectarines, Pears & Mandarin

### Maths questions

Are you in search of an educational game to sharpen your child’s maths skills and recall? Maths Monkey’s Quest features maths questions on topics ranging from addition and subtraction to ratios and percentages. It’s aimed at children from Years 3 to 8.


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**Student of the Week**

Reese Harley and Isabella Hurney-Butcher

For outstanding effort all week in all subjects

Quinton Roach

For an excellent result in Spelling

Jessica Simpson

For a wonderful week’s work

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