

# GWANDALAN PUBLIC SCHOOL

Principal: Don Begg

Week 1 Term 4 2009



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Dear Friends of Gwandalan Public School

## Welcome back to Term 4

This is a short term (9 weeks) but many items of business need to be completed.

## Staff Changes for Term 4

Mrs Pirlo - Mrs Howard (until mid week 3)

Mrs Clua - Mrs Cann (until 4 November)

Miss McCaffery - Mrs King (until 2 November) Miss McCaffery will return as Mrs Prince.

Mrs Tangey - Mr Sanday (until Mon 26 Oct)

Mrs Anne-Marie Withycombe, Canteen Supervisor in Term 3 - Ms Megan Jackson will be in this position until Mrs Withycombe returns.

## Carpet Cleaning

All rooms were steam cleaned during the holidays. Rooms which recently had brand new carpets laid were not cleaned.

## Important Dates

Kindergarten Orientation - Thursday 29 October 9.15—11.00am

Great Aussie Bush Camp - Tuesday 27 October—Friday 30 October

Fete - Saturday 30 October 10.00—2.00pm

## Stereo Theft

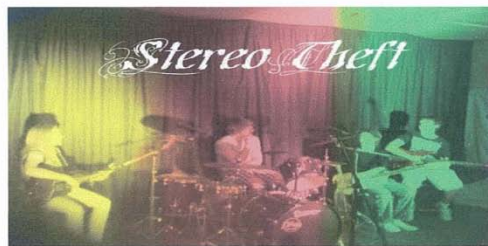
Former students Dean Colley and Jess Blackburn are members of *Stereo Theft*. Can you please support them. Jamie Marters (Jam Tuition)

Regards  
Don Begg

# URGENT FANS WANTED

Local rock band Stereo Theft entered a competition to win a \$50,000 record deal with Sony music and they need YOUR help.

To vote for the guys go to [www.myschoolact.com](http://www.myschoolact.com) and search for stereo theft.



**Star Slips**  
**Term 4 Week 1**  
**KR**  
**75 star slips**

**1/2J**  
**75 Star slips**

James Dunn

Jessica  
Tashana  
Shannon  
Madeleine  
Larissa  
Christopher  
Brandon  
Justin  
Jonathon  
Callum  
Kaden  
Zachery  
Caleb  
Jamie

## Concert DVD

Orders are still being taken at the office, up until Friday 30 October at a cost of \$10.00 each. DVD's will be available as soon as possible after that date.

## Australian Red Cross Blood Service

The Red Cross Donormobile is visiting St Brendan's Catholic Primary School, Carters Rd Lake Munmorah on Monday 2 November 12 noon—5pm.

The Australian Red Cross Blood Service needs to collect 25,000 blood donations every week and 500 of these need to be collected in the Central Coast to meet the needs of local hospitals.

## **P&C NEWS THE FETE IS COMING! Saturday October 31st WE NEED YOUR HELP!**

**The P&C will need help on the day to help run the canteen and to help set up and clear up for the day. We also need help selling raffle tickets before the fete at the disco on Wednesday and on the day. If you can help, please email Silvana at [silren@dodo.com.au](mailto:silren@dodo.com.au) or leave your name and contact details at the canteen.**

**The minutes of the P&C meetings can be viewed at:**

**<http://www.gwandalan-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/pandc.htm>**

## Donations

[We appreciate any white elephant donations. However we do not have very much space in the office to store the donations. Could you please keep the donations at home until a few days before the fete. Thank you.](#)

## **Newsletter Advertisement.**

We are currently preparing the annual review of the school newsletter cover and if parents, family or friends have a business they would like to feature on the supporting local business advertisement page, please contact Lee Cornwell at Australian Newsletter Services Freecall: 1800 245 077

## **Important Notice**

Please ensure that your contact details, phone numbers, mobile phone numbers, emergency contact persons details are all up to date with the school office. We often have difficulty contacting parents/caregivers in the case of an emergency.

**REMINDER**—If your child is late to school, please supply a not to explain the absence. If no note is supplied the absence is noted as unexplained. This is a Department of Education requirement.

**REMINDER**— If you have an email address and would like to have the newsletter sent

home via that method, please contact the office with your details.  
All newsletters can be viewed on the School Website.