



## Dear Friends of Gwandalan Public School

### **Brooke Coggins Success Continues**

Congratulations to Brooke upon winning a bronze medal at the Australian PSSA Cross Country titles held at Geelong, Victoria last weekend.

What a fantastic effort!

### **Concert Rehearsal Change Of Date**

Our concert rehearsal will be held on Monday 1st September due to an industrial stoppage being held on Tuesday 2nd September.

### **Concert—Wednesday 3rd September**

**Venue:** Lake Munmorah High School Hall.

**Time:** 6pm Start

**Be there:** 5.40pm

Lake Munmorah High School is a SMOKE FREE ZONE.

### **Covered Outdoor Learning Area (COLA)**

A COLA kit has been ordered and will arrive in Week 1 of the October school holidays. It is anticipated that the COLA will be erected before the end of Week 2

### **Fathers Day Breakfast**

Will be served at 8am on the 5th September.

**Rebel Sport Discounts** – Our school now has cards available to all families to use at any Rebel Sport Stores which entitle them to a 5% discount on any purchases they make at the school. After your first purchase this paper discount card will be replaced by a plastic card at the Rebel Store which you may keep indefinitely. Please make use of this offer when visiting any Rebel Store as the school will also receive greater discounts in the future.

**Sport in Schools – 2008** – This year's Sport in Schools Program is now running throughout this term and the cost per student is \$30.00. Please make your payments now if you haven't already done so to ensure that your child can participate each week throughout this term.

**Hunter Mathematics Test** - Each year our school participates in the Hunter Maths Competition which involves all schools in the Central Coast and the Hunter area. There is a small cost for this competition of 50c to cover the costs, including test papers, marking, etc. All students in years 5 & 6 are asked to bring in 50c within the next two weeks and hand it to their respective teachers please.

**District Athletics Carnival** – The Annual District Athletics Carnival will be held on Friday, 5th September. Students who have made the Gwandalan Team have been given

their notes for the District.

**Basketball Development Days** – Two

development days have been organised for last Tuesday and today in the school grounds for students in Years 3 to 6. An officer from the Tuggerah Lakes Basketball Association will be running the days.

**Soccer Development Days** – Members of the Central Coast Football Association will be running two development days on Monday 22nd and Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> September for all children in the school (K to Yr6).

**Touch Football** – Our girls Touch Football team will be playing Toukley in the fourth Round of the State Knockout after beating Mannering Park, Lake Munmorah and Kanwal in the first three rounds. We wish them all the best!

**CROSS COUNTRY SUCCESS** – Brooke has really put our school on the map! Last Saturday Brooke contested the National Cross Country Carnival at Geelong in Victoria. After coming third in the State Carnival prior to this she has again run phenomenally well to place third in Australia! Everyone is so proud of Brooke. We are fortunate to have such an outstanding athlete representing us.  
Congratulations Brooke.

**FATHERS DAY BREAKFAST**

Will be served at 8am on the 5th September at the School. All dads welcome.

**KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENTS  
FOR 2009**

We are now accepting enrolments for Kindergarten for 2009. Any student turning 5 before 1st August is eligible to enroll.