

GWANDALAN PUBLIC SCHOOL



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Mini Newsletter Term 3
Week 7 - 2nd September 2008

Dear Friends of Gwandalan Public School

School Concert

At the time of this newsletter publication final preparations for our concert have been completed. Enjoy the night and remember to view each performance through a child's perspective. What an opportunity for many to shine in front of family and friends.

Parking At The Concert

The grass area between the high school and the Catholic School is not a parking area. Families risk being booked if parking ranges visit.

Year 6 Gift To School

This Friday work will commence on renewing our school hall's lighting system and upgrading speakers and microphones for use under the COLA. Funds raised by Year 6 students will be used.

AFL Gala Day Year 3 & Boys and Girls

The boys Gala Day was washed out last Thursday. A girls team has been invited to learn skills and play some games on the day.

Unsuccessful Priority School Program Application

We were notified on Monday that our school was unsuccessful in being added to the list of schools on Federal Government Funding. Many thanks to all families for returning surveys.

Book Club

The second issue of Book club for the term is enclosed with this week's newsletter. Orders and the correct money should be tied in a small bag and taken to Mrs Pirlo in the Library before school on Friday. Please DO NOT put money into a self-seal envelope as the \$2 coins escape from under the flap. Orders will be collected on Friday 5th September 2008 only and will be sent on that day. Please do not give them in anywhere else but the Library.

Cheques should be made payable to Scholastic Australia and Credit Card payments should be prepaid as per the instruction on the order forms. Please read the fine print for the "At Home" packs. These packs are an on-going commitment (ie they will be sent to your home address every month) and orders cannot be taken for these items unless the order coupon is filled in and signed by the parent.

Many thanks – B. Pirlo Teachers-Librarian.

Fathers Day Stall on Friday 5th September

The children are able to purchase a present for their Father with prices starting from \$2.00. Cards for 50c and Father's Day Raffle \$1 each or 6 for \$5.

1st Prize – A double pass on the Jet Buzz Jet Boat for 40 minutes at the Pelican Marina Lake Macquarie -2nd Prize – Luggage for Dad -3rd Prize – Darrell Lea Bag.

The children shall be escorted by their teacher to the Community Room, one class at a time, starting with Kindergarten at 9.30am.

The raffle shall be drawn straight after the stall.

The P & C would like to take this opportunity to wish all the Father's a HAPPY FATHER'S DAY FOR SUNDAY 7th.
