

# Springwood Road State School

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## Newsletter

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### FROM THE PRINCIPAL

#### Prep Play Morning

Wednesday November 19 is our Prep play morning. We look forward to meeting all our new students for 2009.



**Prep Play Day**  
(at Prep on Narelle Crescent)  
**Wednesday 19 November 2008**  
**8:45 – 9:45am**



*(So that you can have lots of fun, remember to bring a clearly named wide brimmed hat and wear closed in shoes with socks please.)*

#### Early Years Drug Strategy

This year our school received a grant to develop a school wide strategy to deliver Drug Education in the early years. Springwood Road already has many programs in place to support this strategy including units of work on Health and healthy eating, Fun Friends, Values Program and Hi-Five. The funding is helping our teachers to assess, reinforce and improve our programs as well as provide resources towards them.

#### Fete Feast


Next Tuesday evening our P&C is holding a Fete Feast meeting at 6:30pm. This meeting is not about assigning jobs for the Fete but getting as many ideas as we can to ensure the event is a great success. If you are free on the evening please join us for drinks, nibbles and ideas. Baby sitting is available on the night.

#### Carols Night

Not long to go now!

Make sure the date is marked on your calendar! (Apologies for incorrect day given in last week's newsletter.)

**Thursday December 4**  
**6.30 – 8.30pm**  
**School Multi-purpose area**



**Lesley Vogan**  
Principal



**EFTPOS PAYMENTS MAY BE MADE AT THE OFFICE UNTIL 1:30PM EACH DAY FOR SCHOOL RELATED EXPENSES (ie EXCURSIONS, RESOURCE CONTRIBUTIONS, CAMPS ETC - NOT P&C RELATED EXPENSES) . MINIMUM PAYMENT FOR EFTPOS IS \$10**

#### WELCOME open door policy

Parents are invited to call or drop in should they require assistance at any time.

### 4 November 2008

#### Newsletter in Brief...

- Prep Play Morning
- Early Years Drug Strategy
- Fete Feast
- Carols Night
- Values Program
- Year 5 Camp
- P - 2 Swimming
- Parade Awards
- P&C Meeting

#### What's on...

- 3 - 5 November**  
Year 6 Camp
- 4 - 14 November (Excl. Mon)**  
P - 2 Swimming
- 11 November**  
Fete Feast Meeting
- 12 November**  
P & C Meeting, 9:15am
- 13 November**  
Tall Trees Music Excursion
- 17 - 27 November (Excl. Fri)**  
3 - 7 Swimming
- 19 November**  
Prep Play Day, 8:45am
- 24 November**  
Instrumental Music Concert & Information Night
- 2 December**  
Volunteers Morning Tea
- 3 December**  
Swim Carnival
- 4 December**  
↳ Talent Quest  
↳ Carols Night
- 5 December**  
Whole School Special Parade
- 10 December**  
Year 7 Graduation

## From the Deputy Principal

### Values Program

For the remainder of term 4 we will spend time reviewing all of our values which include: Perseverance, Honesty, Kindness, Tolerance, Respect, Co-operation and Responsibility.

### Year 5 Camp

Year 5 campers have now returned from three wonderful days at The Mapleton Centre. I thoroughly enjoyed experiencing this camp with our Year 5 children, they were outstanding ambassadors for our school and many wonderful comments were made from the instructors on their team work and co-operation. I was extremely impressed with how our children challenged themselves to overcome anxieties and support others. Well done campers! On camp we divided the children into four groups. The teacher leader of each group then chose two children for a values award. Congratulations to the following children: Adrian – Perseverance, Kirstie – Responsibility, Tyler – Cooperation, Sandra – Kindness, Ethan – Responsibility, Anthony – Tolerance, Shari – Cooperation and Thomas – Perseverance, Rori - Respect, Shardae –Honesty.

## Swimming

Our PREP – Year 2 swimming program (*timetable below*) began today. Parents are most welcome to observe sessions at Laurie Lawrence Swim School during their child's swimming lesson. Please ensure children have all of their uniform and swimming items clearly named.



Lesson Time	Tue 4 Nov 11 Nov	Wed 5 Nov 12 Nov	Thur 6 Nov 13 Nov	Fri 7 Nov 14 Nov
9:00-9:30am	1/2SR	1/2C,2H	2B	PLH
9:30-10:00am	PN	PN	PLH	PD
10:00-10:30am	PD	PLH	1/2SR	PN
10:30-11:00am	PLH	PD	PN	1/2E
11:30-12:00pm	1/2E	2B	PD	1/2SR
12:00-12:30pm	1/2C, 2H	1/2SR	1/2E	1/2C, 2H
12:30-1:00pm	2B	1/2E	1/2C, 2H	2B

**Alisha Le Brese**

### LOST

**One school hat, clearly named Amelia 5DP, taken from the undercover area during play time Monday last week. If found please return to the office. Thank you.**

### LAST P&C MEETING FOR 2008

**WEDNESDAY 12 NOVEMBER**

**9:15AM IN THE PERFORMING ARTS ROOM**

Please come along and help us get organised for the end of the year.

### Fete News

Organisation has well and truly started for our 2009 Fete but we need your help.

You are invited to our First Fete Feast.

What is a Fete Feast you ask? It is a Wine and Cheese Night to gather ideas on what you want to see at our school fete.

Some of the topics focussed on will be food, stalls and entertainment.

We hope to see you there.

**TUESDAY 11 NOVEMBER 2008**

**6:30PM**

**IN THE LIBRARY**

**(Babysitting will be provided)**

**Please RSVP by 10 November to the school office**

Thanks,

**Fete Committee**

If you can't make it but still want to contribute please fill in your details on the form below and leave at the office by Monday 10 November.

Name: .....

Child's Name & Class: .....

Here are some of my ideas: .....

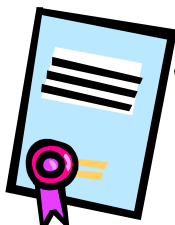
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PARADE AWARDS	
P - 3 (29 October)	Year 4 - 7 (31 October)
Jasmine	Ryan
Ena	Jermaine
Alicia	Michaela
Jayden	Amar
Zjena	Ainslie
Andrew	Kaitlyn
Madison	Monet
Daniel	Tunaga
Madison	
Bethany	
Kailum	
Jacob	
Anna-Marie	
Kyle	
Harley	
Kaitlyn	
Haylee	
Samantha	
Alesha	
Amar	



### Kids Night Out is Going Bowling!

**Friday 7 November**

**6:30 - 8:00pm**

**Wembley Road Bowling Alley**

\$10 includes game, shoe hire and dinner

Springwood Church of Christ

Please RSVP to Sharon on 0403 977 123 by November 4, for further details also contact Sharon

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**Southside Fruit Market and Deli**

3267 Logan Road, Underwood, Phone: 3841 1125

**After School Special!** (must present this voucher)

**10% off Fruit & Vegetables between 3-6pm weekdays**



### NEWSLETTER AWARD




My child ..... in class


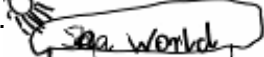



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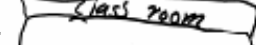

Signed: .....





## 2/3H students have been writing Acrostic Poems to describe themselves, then illustrated them.

**M**oves very quickly on grass.   
**E**njoys going to the beach to play.   
**G**oes to soccer every Sunday.  
**A**rrives early at school every day.   
**N**ibbles on apples at fruit time.



**R**uns across the park.   
**I**nterested in the moon.   
**A**mazed in Seaworld.   
**N**ibbles on chocolate.   
**N**ice to friends.   
**A**dds blocks to build towers.

**T**alks all the time at home.   
**E**ats lots of chocolate.  
**R**eads lots of books.  
**I**gnores people when working.   
**N**ibbles on cheese.  
**A**nswers lots of questions.


**E**arns lots of money.  
**M**akes pretty pictures.  
**M**eets mum after school.  
**A**rgues with her sister.   
**A**nswers questions. 


**N**ods to say yes.  
**N**ibbles on dark chocolate.  
**A**sks Mum for food.  
**M**akes cakes with mum.  
**A**dds chocolate to cake.  
**R**eads lots of books at home.  
**I**magines being a power girl.  
**E**ats chocolate.


**2/3H**

**E**njoys going to the park.   
**L**earns a lot.   
**E**dits her writing.  
**E**xcited about going to Movieworld.  
**N**ice to my teacher.  
**A**sleep in the night.

**J**umps a lot.   
**A**nnoys people.  
**C**leans a lot.   
**K**icks a ball.   
**S**ees Lego everywhere. 

**O**pens jars.  
**N**ibbles on nuts.  
**R**uns really fast.  
**H**elps other people all the time.   
**Y**awns when reading a book.  
**S**hares his toys with his little brother

**S**kips to school.  
**O**pens the front door.  
**P**lays with toys.  
**H**elps mum make the bed.   
**I**nterested in bike riding.  
**E**ats healthy food.

**I**s a pretty girl.  
**S**he loves her parents.  
**A**nswers all the questions.  
**B**orrows books to read.  
**E**njoys playing with her sister.  
**L**ikes doing homework.   
**L**oves her baby sister.  
**A** great sister.