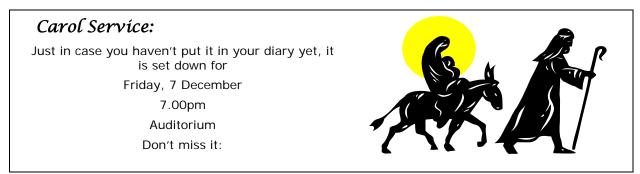
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From The Headmaste	Y: Dr John Goddard		Dates for the Díary:						
school activities which deserve	tudents are involved in significant, outside e a very special mention. Indeed, our stu t is good to see them used to their fullest.	dents	<b>Monday, 19 Nov to Fri 23 Nov:</b> Headstart – Group A						
cast of the musical "	Ily Vincent (Years 7 and 6) are in the Billy Elliott": after many months of start this week and we wish both girls w. Break a Leg!		Monday, 19 Nov. to Wed 21 Nov: Yr 10 Camp – Waterslea, Nowra Wednesday 21 Nov: Yr 11 Careers Exc - UNSW						
Brendan Stephenson, Be selected to train with th Talent Identification Pro sessions, with some wo Congratulations, men!		Thursday, 22 Nov: Yr 12 Formal – Riverside Oaks Yrs 7-10 LEAP Incursion Friday, 23 Nov: Arndell Community Church: Weekend Youth Camp							
It was not a beyond school significant input of time, when Triathlon, Aleisha Ferguson, En spent the day at Penrith Lake important event in our annual	Zone urden	Snr. School Assembly Yr 10 & 9: Wheelchair Rugby Exc – Olympic Park Maths Comp – St Paul's Grammar School							
We have been pleased to "Mythbusters" night – a nig systems. So many mistaken i how the system of marks, gr that all of us have clear and a	see Years 10/11 parents joining us for ht of clear information on the HSC and ideas can surface, generally in the media, a ades and scaling actually works, that it is <b>accurate</b> information. Thank you, parent rend but want to know more, feel free to give	I UAI about vital s, for	Monday, 26 Nov. to 2 Dec: Headstart – Group B Monday, 26 Nov: Yr. 7 Swimming Program CIS Girls Waterpolo Tuesday, 27 Nov: Yr 7 Swimming Program CIS Boys Waterpolo						
for a cause – most are beyond the form a cause – most are beyond the form the form of the	! But we hold Mufti Days in order to raise mond-school charities, sometimes (as this F 's Family Fun Day on Saturday. On the wood thing, but only if everyone follows ser	riday /hole,	Wednesday, 28 Nov: Auditions for 2008 Concert "Christmas Carols" Snr. School Wacky Races Box Car Rally Thursday, 29 Nov: Snr. School Prefects Induction						
open toes.	d in, for safety at school. No Thongs or		Service – Sydney Recital at Richmond Uniting Church with our Handbells Group						
<b>Girls</b> : Be covered up in uniforms. No bare midrit shorts.		Yrs 9/10 PASS Surfing Lessons Friday, 30 November: AICES – Gold Championships Spr. School – Chapel							
Boys (mostly) and Gir that could offend.	Is: absolutely no printing on shirts/tops		Snr. School – Chapel Monday, 3 Dec:						
	but they have to be fun days that allow schools observing in matters of safety and decer		Yrs 3-10 LEAP Incursion						



"Enter His gates with thanksgiving and His courts with praise; Give thanks to Him and praise His name (Ps. 100)

# From the Head of the Junior School: Rick Harrison

I am sure many of you will have heard whispers about some changes that will be happening in the Junior School next year. While we have no staff leaving, there is a little "shuffling". Mrs Miller will be taking over the responsibility for the Junior School Library, while Mrs Chan will move to Stage 2 as co-ordinator and Year 3 teacher. We welcome Ms Sarah Cooney, well known to us through her casual teaching here, as a Kindergarten teacher.

On Wednesday of last week we welcomed the members of Kindergarten 2008 and their parents to the College. While the children spent some time with the infants' staff, the parents were informed about many of the things that they can expect to occur in the first year of the formal education of their children. Many thanks to all those who attended, those who spoke, our "models", the P&F and parents of Kindergarten 2007 for providing morning tea and especially to Mrs Misztal for her organisation skills.

Our swimming programme commences next week. The Infants have a two week programme, while the primary classes have one week. Years Three and Four will swim next week and Years Five and Six the following week.

The next two weeks are also the time for the Headstart programme. For those of you who don't know what this is, it is an opportunity for next year's Kindergarten to get to know what school is all about. The group is divided into two with one half coming for half a day every day for the first week, with the remainder of the group doing the same in the second week. The children will participate in all manner of school activities and also be involved with some simple testing.

Students who were presented with Citizenship Awards during our most recent Awards Assembly were: KR: Jayden Blackman, Kurtis McGarrity;

- KB: Kane Welsh, Emelia Evans;
- 1B: Connor Miller-Argue, Alyssa Holz;
- 2B: Lachlan Piper, Andrew Sinclair;
- 3B: Brooke Waters, India Rich;
- 4B: Nathan Hodges, Bailey Pritchard;
- 5B: John-Linden Carpinato, Gabby Saunders; 6B: Ben Walls, Mitchell Dean.
- Congratulations to all of these students.

I look forward to seeing many of you at the Family Fun Day.

Some dates to remember:

- Head Start Group A commences: Monday, 19th November.
- Head Start Group B commences: Monday, 26<sup>th</sup> November.
- Infants Presentation Afternoon: Monday 10<sup>th</sup> December.
- Primary Presentation Evening: Tuesday, 11<sup>th</sup> December.

# Senior School Sports Desk:

## Hills Zone Triathlon Results

A replica day of the Hills Zone Athletics - cold, windy and wet! This did not deter the 24 students who came out for the day.

## Individual Athletes:

Dieter Hoffman (Jnr), Ben Tuynman (Inter), Hayden Collins (Inter) and Ian Dewhurst (Sen) all finishing in the top 5 of their age groups. Dieter 2<sup>nd</sup>, Ben 5<sup>th</sup>, Hayden 2<sup>nd</sup>, Ian 4<sup>th</sup>. These boys took on the elements and other competitors showing us what tremendous athletes they are!

The 8 teams completed their section of the course with tremendous fortitude, even when the rained poured down at the start of the bike leg adding water and wind for the Inters and Seniors to push through!

Lauren Massey, Phoebe Zapletal & Nicola Olliffe finished 14 <sup>th</sup> Kimberlee Currell, Deanne Collins, Raquel Abrahams finished 7 <sup>th</sup>	Intermediate Girls Cassie Brett, Erin Thornton & Danielle Clay finished 19 <sup>th</sup> Renne Barck, Tamika Rutely & Rebecca Frogley finished 20 <sup>th</sup> Holly Andrews, Alex Cornick & Olivia Leal finished 21 <sup>st</sup>
Dieter Hoffman, Jake Carpenter & Ben Tuynman finished 3rd	<b>Senior Boys</b> Grant Donaldson, Ian McKelvey & Luke Power finished 2 <sup>nd</sup> Troy Edwards, Matt Otten & Ian Dewhurst finished 3 <sup>rd</sup>

- 1R: Jack Breene, Riley Parry-Osborne;
- 2R: Emily Ayres, Emily Jowsey;
- 3R: Christie Stanford, Liam Steinhour, Jackson Black;
- 4R: Elouise Abrahams, Isaac Whatson;
- 5R: Aden Meca, Madison Abrahams;

Arndell finished in 5<sup>th</sup> place. The boys finishing in 1<sup>st</sup> place overall and the girls finishing in 10<sup>th</sup> place.

**A BIG** Thank You to the parents for your support, Aleisha Ferguson, Emma Jungherr, Amy Mares & Ashleigh Burden who came as officials, sitting out on the run track in the elements helping to direct the runners. And Mr Burroughs who assisted with the team and drove the minibus home via Maccas! Grant & Troy being most appreciative!

# Student Sporting Achievements:

## CIS Baseball

Congratulations to Michael Walters Yr10 who was selected to play for CIS in All Schools Baseball Championships in 2008.

## CIS 15s Tennis Singles:

Danica Barbagallo played excellent tennis to finish 3<sup>rd</sup> in her pool. The top 2 players from each pool were selected to play for the CIS representative team. We look forward to her success next year!

# Junior Girls and Boys CSSA Basketball Competition:



Hi, this is a photo of the junior boys CSSA basketball team. We really had a fun day. The team won three out of five games. Here is the team: Michael Coyle, Jack Black, Josh Ellison, Ben Rodgers, Isaac Whatston, Dakota Cooke-Martin and Nathan Hodges. A big thanks to Dakota and Isaac who came into the team on Monday. Connor Moore could not play due to an operation. Also Max Midgley couldn't make it due to a broken wrist, a big thanks to our supporters, they really got us going. Also to Matt and Mr Walker for coaching us. The boys put everything into all our games. Well done.

Ben Rodgers Year 4

On Tuesday 13 November, the junior girl's basketball team went to the CSSA basketball competition. We had had a great day. There were five other teams from other Anglican schools; one team even came all the way from Newcastle! We didn't go to the finals but we tried our hardest. The girls who went were: Ellie Brown, Megan Fitzgerald, Lauren Sinclair, Molly Hogan, Elouise Abraham, Naomi Borg, and Olivia Awaritefe. Thank you for all the hard work the girls put into the games and to our Coach.

Megan Fitzgerald – Year 4



## Arndell Anglican College Director

Dr. John Goddard

Mr James Webb

Mr Rick Harrison

Mrs Raewyn Dean

Mr Matthew Lumb

5.30pm)

Donna Pellew

0417 774 545

0414 634 453

Mrs Liz Moore

Monday-Friday (Recess/Lunch)

4572 3254 Tuesday/Thursday 8.30-10.30am/2.30-4.pm

Rev. Graeme Sedorenko

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Tina Andersen (Waltho)

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P & F President:

Vice President:

Uniform Shop:

Canteens:

Access:

Arndell Community Church:

4572 3633/0402 278 483 Tuesday/Wednesday/Friday Remote Document

http://rds.arndell.nsw.edu.au

Pastor Greg Peisley

## DATES FOR 2007:

Term 4 - 2007

Friday 7 December – College Carols Monday 10 December - Infants Presentation Tuesday 11 December Primary School Presentation Tuesday 11 December - Term 4 finishes Wednesday 12 December Senior School Presentation

## Term 1 – 2008

Wednesday 30 January - commences for Yrs 7, 11 & 12 students only Thursday 31 Jan. remaining students Thursday 20 March – Staff Development Day Thursday 20 March – Monday 24 March – Easter Break Friday 11 April – Term 1 finishes

Monday 28 April to Friday 27 June

Term 3 – 2008 Monday 21 July to Friday 26 September

Monday 13 October – Wednesday 10 December Friday 5 December - College Carols Tuesday 9 December - Infants Presentation Wednesday 10 December - Primary School Presentation Thursday 11 December - Senior School Presentation.

# Dates For College Camps . . .

The dates for the camps are as follows:

### Year 10 Waterslea, Nowra

Mon 19th Nov - Wed 21st Nov



Andel Community Church

Arndell Community Church is a contemporary church for YOU and YOUR FAMILY. We meet every Sunday of the year at 10am Arndell Anglican College. 6pm Pitt Town Anglican Church Hall 110 Bathurst Street, Pitt Town

Contact: Greg Peisley

Lost Property: A system operates in the College which, when operating smoothly ensures the prompt return of lost items to students. The task of returning lost items is made virtually impossible when items do not have student names clearly marked upon them. It is the responsibility of students and parents to ensure that every item students bring to school is clearly marked; in the High School with the students name and home room number, and in the Junior School with the student's name. Due to the exponentially increasing number of items appearing in Lost Property any item which is not clearly labelled will be deemed to belong to no one and will be returned to the Uniform Shop automatically for re-sale. Regards.

Mr O Laffin

Lost Property has accumulated a large number of shoes. These shoes will be thrown out at the end of next week if their owners do not claim them. Please come to H Block in order to claim your shoes. All remaining property must be distributed by the last day of term.

### INAUGURAL ARNDELL COLLEGE WACKY RACES **BOX CAR RALLY**

Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> November. 12.35 – 3.00pm Inter Homeroom Box car Relay Race Entertainment, BBQ, Race Spectacular

# Help our Farmers

### "Help our Farmers Appeal". Donations can be left at the Parent Reception office. They will be every Friday and deliver them to Kurrajong and organise the hampers to be packed and sent to Wellington just before Christmas. I am very grateful for anything you have to offer.

My contact number is: 0414 844 664 - Wanda Tekiela

# Bus & Traín Passes 2008:

An Application Form for Subsidised Travel will need to be completed for Students who are:

- Entering Kindergarten
- Progressing from Year 2 into Year 3 •
- Progressing from Year 6 into Year 7
  - **Changing School**
- Changing Address

Application Forms are available from Student Services and should be completed and returned by Wednesday 28th November 2007.

Travel Passes for all other students will automatically be reissued. Tcards are valid for 4 years - please do not throw your current Tcard out!

# Bookclub: Mrs Tolson - Co-ordinator

Final Bookclub for 2007 due 19 November 2007. . Please Note: that is a MONDAY great for Christmas Presents!!!! Thank you for all your support during the year.

> Information for the Advocate needs to be emailed to enquiries@arndell.nsw.edu.au by Tuesdays 4pm.



# Text book Lists for 2008: Mr Charles - Textbook Co-ordinator

During this week (Nov. 12 - 16) text book lists have been distributed to the students. They are **due** back to the college by the **4th December 2007.** Orders can also be placed on line @ <u>www.campion.com.au</u> and follow the prompts to Arndell.

- Year 8 2008 are on yellow forms
- Year 9 2008 are on blue forms
- Year 10 2008 are on green forms
- Year 11 2008 are on pink forms.
- Year 7 2008 were distributed to students on the open day.

Second hand texts can be bought and sold on Saturday 24 Nov. and on 1 Dec. on the C block veranda from 10 am to 12 noon. Please ensure that you only purchase the specified edition of the required texts.

Braínteaser

Number 34

Every issue of the College newsletter will include a brainteaser organised by Mr. Billeh. The answer will be published in the following issue. Have fun and God bless you all.

Find a one-word anagram of PEPSI-COLA.

Answer to brainteaser 33: Beth is 6, Jo is 22.



# *MOVEMBER* 2007:

Movember (the month formally known as November) is a moustache growing charity event held during November each year.

At the start of Movember guys register with a clean shaven face. The Movember participants known as Mo Bros then have the remainder of the month to grow and groom their moustache and along the way raise as much money and awareness about male health issues, in particular prostate cancer as possible.

Movember brings to attention the fact that men are far less healthy than women. The average life expectancy for men is five years less than for women. The reason for this may be due to men lacking awareness about the very real health issues they face. They tend to have a "she'll be right" attitude and are reluctant to see a doctor about an illness or to go for regular check ups.

The aim of Movember is to change there attitudes, making male health fun by putting the Mo back on the face of fashion and in the process raise some serious funds for key male health issues including PROSTATE CANCER, DEPRESSION and TESTICULAR CANCER.

Prostate cancer - Every year around 18,700 Australian men are diagnosed with prostate cancer and more than 2,900 die of the disease, making it the second largest cause of male cancer deaths, after lung cancer. When diagnosed and treated early and effectively, prostate cancer has a cure rate of over 90%.

Depression - One in six men experience depression at any given time in Australia but most don't seek help. Depression is a known high risk factor for suicide. From 1988 to 2002, the suicide rate was four times higher in men than women.

Testicular cancer - Testicular cancer is the most common cancer in men aged 18-35 years. The number of men diagnosed with testicular cancer has grown by approximately 34% over the past decade, but the reason for this is not known. The good news is testicular cancer is highly curable when found early and treated promptly.

To make a donation, go to <u>www.movember.com.au</u> and click *sponsor a mo*. You can either make a donation or even sponsor Mr Burroughs who is growing a mo for the month. All donations over \$2 are tax deductible.

# Arndell College Fete & Craft Marker



# Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> November, 2007. 3pm - 8pm

Big Rides - Sizzler, Giant Slide, Haunted House, Play Land (ferris wheel, merry-go-round & worm) Jumping Castle & Mickey Maze.

Laughing Clowns, Hoopla, Mini Golf, Ten Pin Bowling, Lucky Dips, Sand Lotto, Face Painting, Air Brush Tattoos Hair Colouring, Fifty fifty, Chocolate Wheel, Cake Stall, Book stall, Plants & Veggie Stall, Show Bags.

Craft Stalls - Lots of Christmas gift ideas! Kid's Art & Craft (purchase your child's work) • Space Club Launching Rockets • Yr 12 Chemistry students performing colourful Chemistry • Look out for the roving Compliment Shop 10 personalised compliments for only \$2.00 (donations to the Children's Cancer Support Foundation)

BBQ, Cold Drinks, Snow Cones & Fairy Floss

Loads of Free Entertainment - Dancing, Singing, Music, Karate.

Uniform Shop opens from 2.30pm.

BBQ & Entertainment on the Lawn Bring a picnic rug or a chair

Ride Arm Band pre purchase still available, buy now & save!! Outside Student Services 8.30 – 9.00am Monday to Friday until 16<sup>th</sup> November.

# BRING YOUR FAMILY, PICNIC RUG AND BE READY FOR A GREAT DAY! IT'S THIS SATURDAY

# OUR FAMILY FUN DAY

Saturday the 17<sup>th</sup> of November 2007.

WOW, HOW WONDERFUL YOU ALL ARE!

Take a look at all of our fantastic helpers. It is awesome to see so many names.

There are still spots in the later time slots that can't wait to have names. Please contact me ASAP so that we can fill them and make the day enjoyable by for everyone.

Please let me know if I need to make any changes.

On the day please go to the ticket sales, they can direct you where to go. "MOST importantly enjoy socializing with your fellow volunteers and have a great day watching your kids having fun."

Looking forward to meetingand working with you,Kerrie Butler02 45779483kerriebutler@people.net.ausubject SCHOOL FETE

# Arndell College Fete & Craft Marker



TASK	Description	Times	Volunteer	1	Volunteer	Volunteer
BBQ	Cooking	3-4	Peter Regal	$\square$	Wayne Elvin	Harry Stephens
	the BBQ	4-5	Phillip Kirkwood		Colin Thompson	Harry Stephens
	food	5-6	John Tekiela		Victor Vella	Harry Stephens
		6-7	John Tekiela			Harry Stephens
		7-8	David Butler			
DRINKS	Take	3-4	Trenna		Sarah Rowe	Ella Rowe
	money for	4-5	Tumbridge		Linda Monds	Sharon Cupitt
	BBQ and	5-6	Sue Hogan		Linda Monds	Sharon Cupitt
		6-7	Connie Stephens		Joyce Vella	
	sell drinks	7-8	Connie Stephens		<i>4</i>	
TICKET	Sales and	3-4	Connie Stephens		Jacqui Breene	
SALES/ SHOWBAGS	pick up of	4-5	Connie Stephens		Kim Hogan	
	prepaid	5-6	Kim Hogan		Phillip Young	
	ride tickets	6-7	Kalita Van Ewyk		Phillip Young	
00.457		7-8	Kalita Van Ewyk			
CRAFT STALL	Selling children's	3-4	Julie Read		Anna	Susan Lane
STALL	craft	4-5	VanessaTowers&		MacDonald	
		5-6	Ash		Ros Midgley	
		6-7	Stuart Hansen			
		7-8				
САКЕ	Solling	3-4	Megan Fradd	$\square$	Judy Richards	Barbara Henry
STALL	Selling	4-5	Melissa Smith		Jayne Hunter	
	donated	4-5 5-6	Joyce Vella		Lesley McGuire	
	cakes and	6-7	JUYCE VEIIA		Lesley McGulle	
	slices	7-8				
PLANT	Selling	3-4	Gillian Van Der		Lee Finnane	Heather Muers
STALL	plants	4-5	Eyk		Lee Finnane	Tiedthei wueis
		5-6	Jenny Hilder		Kellie Hansen	
		6-7	Astrid Bradshaw		Lee Finnane	
		7-8			Lee Finnane	
		7-0			Lee Finnane	
GAMES	Collection	3-4	Jillian Carpenter		Joanne	
TENT		4-5	4.30		McWilliams	
	of money	5-6	Heather Muers		Joanne	
	and supervise	6-7	Irene Regal		McWillams	
	games	7-8	Laura Thorpe			
CHOCOLATE WHEEL	Selling	3-4	Neile Robinson		Ros Midgley	
	tickets for	4-5	Neile Robinson		Di Elvin	
	chocolate	5-6				
	wheel	6-7			Joanne	
	WHEEL	7-8			McWilliams	
					Joanne McWilliams	
RAFFLE	Selling	3-4	Jenny Hilder	$\square$		
TICKET	raffle	3-4 4-5	Heather Muers			
SALES	tickets	4-5 5-6				
		6-7				
		7-8				
UNIFORM	Helping in	2.30			Lisa Holland	
SHOP	the uniform	-				
	shop	3.30	Rob Thompson			
		3.30				
		-				
		4.30				
SETUP	Help with	2-3	Jillian Carpenter		Joanne	Rowe Family
	set up		Megan & Shane		McWilliams	Megan,Prue,Ann
			Fradd		Rob&ColinThom	a
			Judy Richards		psn	Sharon, Kerrie,
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PACK UP	Help with pack up	7.30	Joanne			
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		and	Stuart & Kollio Hanson			
		on	&KellieHansen			
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