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PRINCIPAL’S REPORT

This will be my last newsletter report for 2013. I must say I cannot believe how quickly this year seems to have disappeared and that I have now been your Principal for a full year. I actually feel like I have been here for a longer period of time than just 12 months.

I truly appreciate how I have been accepted into the Cromer School’s community. It was not easy for me to leave my last school, my home and my family on the Central Coast but I must say I have not regretted my decision to accept my appointment to Cromer PS. I have always enjoyed a new adventure in both my personal and professional life.

What a busy year it has been. We have so much to celebrate. I believe our students from K-6 have benefitted immensely from the dedication and commitment of the entire staff and the love and support of their families. This is a truly wonderful school and that is because of the team work that exists between students, staff and parents.

A school is like a gigantic family. Our school in 2013 had 32 classes K-6 and two Special Education classes making a total of 34 classes. In 2014, we will have a total of 33 classes (31 classes K-6 and two special classes) but this could change if we have additional enrolments arrive in the first week of the 2014 school year. Classes are on maximum numbers or over. However, we do have two grades where our enrolments are below maximum numbers. At this stage we will have 29 straight classes, two composite classes and two Special Education classes.

We definitely will be in a holding pattern for the first week of the new school year as so much change can occur over the Christmas holidays. This year we eventually got over the line to maintain 32 K-6 classes but it was certainly touch and go as to whether we would need to have to reconfigure back to 31 classes.
The composite classes will be a 3/4 Extension Class and a 5/6 Extension Class. The teachers who will be taking these classes have been placed there because of their depth of teaching experience and ability to cater successfully for two grades within the same class. We are fortunate in this school to have a number of multi-talented staff that could be placed into such a setting. Students placed into straight grade classes also have outstanding teachers and they will have a wonderful 2014.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all parents for your generous support to our school this year. A special vote of thanks must go to Jen Webster, P&C Association President and her Executive Team, as well as the P&C various Sub-Committees and their members, especially the Fundraising Committee (with the Fair), Class Parent network, the Canteen and the Uniform Shop. Laura, Liz and Leigh have kept the Canteen and Uniform Shop ticking over and have provided wonderful service and support to Cromer families.

Mrs De Angelis has chaired the School Council and I thank her and the parent, staff and community representatives who undertook this important governance role in 2013. So many parents have volunteered their time in a range of ways in support of our children. Please know, teachers have certainly appreciated the time you have devoted on behalf of Cromer students K-6. As I said at our recent Parent Helper Morning Tea, we would not be anywhere near as successful as we are without the wonderful support we receive. Many thanks, parents and grandparents!

I would also like to acknowledge and thank my entire staff. The Senior Executive in Deputy Principals, Julie Johnson and Nicole Herrmann are wonderful educational leaders. I regard them as my right hands. We work successfully as a trio and I cannot thank them enough for their untold support of students, staff, parents and myself. The Assistant Principals in Nancy Chaffer, Karen Mitchell, Denise Jeffery and Lynda Russo with Relieving Assistant Principals – Sue Battaglene, Laura Lumby, Sharyn Lawler and Sharon Newling not only have taught their classes but have managed grade teams and contributed significantly to the decision making process of the Executive Team.

Kindergarten to Year 6 Grade Teams have members accept additional responsibility as Grade Coordinators. They have worked closely with their colleagues for the benefit of their classes and the grade as a whole. I must say I am very proud of all my class teachers for their hard work, dedication and support of Cromer students. Our boys and girls are offered an incredible range of extra-curricular opportunities and experiences that can only happen due to the many hours of personal time staff devote to sport teams, clubs and performing arts groups. I have acknowledged and thanked each class teacher personally at their Presentation Assembly so have not recorded their names here. To all 32 of my multi-talented class teachers K-6 please know I value what you do on a daily basis. Your impact on young people’s lives should never be underestimated.

Our Special Education classes have been taught by Amy Bauer, Soraia Barry and Greta Francis. Their classes have had the support of SLSOs – Lea Joris and Helen Brady. Other School Learning Support Officers – Kathy Bolland, Mary Bucherri, Karen Milton, Sarah Battaglene and Blake Johnson have worked with children identified with different disabilities as well as worked in our special classes. Our SLSOs offer in-class and playground support. These teachers and SLSOs have gone the extra mile for students who need additional and specialised support on a daily basis. The Special Education team are fantastic.

It would be very remiss of me not to acknowledge my Specialist Teachers. They wear K-6 hats and have taught most classes in the school, groups of students from different grades or individual students. Their knowledge base is incredible and our students have benefitted significantly from their teaching. These dynamos are: Deborah Haddrick and Catherine Lindsay - Teacher Librarians; Sarah Riddington - PD, Health & PE; Jillian Bradford - Music; Kylie Nixon - Art; Sue Battaglene and Di Sullivan - ESL; Sue Battaglene - Reading Recovery; Katie Woodley and Liz Griffin - Learning and Support Teachers (LAST); Lynda Russo - Hearing; and Maree Adderman - Vision.

Sharon McEvoy as our Teacher Mentor has provided a great deal of professional support to teachers seeking accreditation and has acted as a mentor and coach to the teaching team. Her expertise is greatly appreciated and we are very fortunate to have her at Cromer PS. Lisa Terrill as our School Counsellor is not only a trained teacher but a registered psychologist. Lisa is our go-to person when staff and/or parents have a concern over a child’s academic progress, welfare or behaviour. Mrs Terrill has been a wonderful addition to our staff this year.

Mr Anderson and Mrs Crossing as our Band and Strings Teachers also give so much of their expertise to our students. Glynis Cochrane even though retired, came to our rescue this year and has trained our Senior Dance Group. Glynis you are one incredible lady!

I must also acknowledge the significant impact of Sarah Riddington over the last four years in Personal Development, Health and Physical Education for all students and staff. Sarah’s passion, drive and enthusiasm in her field have been amazing to witness. She has been recognised for her expertise by other DEC regions in NSW and the Department of Health when called upon to conduct professional learning workshops. Our funding that has allowed us to mount this additional program concludes at the end of this year so this program will now revert to class teachers. Mrs Riddington is going back on class next year where I am sure her students will enjoy having her just for them. Sarah your impressive contribution to Cromer PS I am sure is greatly appreciated by the entire school community and especially by your Principal.

I now come to the unsung hero/heroines in this school. The wonderful School Administration Support Staff Team (SASS) work tirelessly behind the scenes in support of students, staff and parents. They are the public face of this
school and on many occasions they are the first point of contact with the school. They are the ones who keep this big school afloat via administration.

We have been a 47 Pilot School and one of the 229 Schools trialling all the new student management and financial procedures that will be implemented in all NSW state schools in the coming year. We are blessed to have our Business Manager, Donna Warne and School Administration Manager, Jodie Sly embrace the new procedures. In some respects this has been far from easy but they are two very determined and talented ladies who have risen to the challenge of Learning Business Management Reform (LMBR). The Senior Executive more than anyone else knows of your non-stop efforts on behalf of CPS. Donna and Jodie, your blood is worth bottling!

Our fantastic SAOs in Lynne Hand, Kylie Jarrett and Chrissy Brunsdon never cease to amaze me how they can juggle a hundred and one things and still keep a smile on their faces. If they actually ever had the time to write down in any one day the things they do I think the broader community would be nothing but impressed by their diligence and untold support. The Admin Team is also joined by our hardworking, tireless General Assistant, Tom Meade. Our grounds and buildings fall under Mr Meade's domain. He goes from getting a prized toy that has accidentally found its way onto a verandah awning back to a Kindergarten child, to unblocking drains after torrential downpours to painting display areas for the Year 6 Dinner Dance. Some jobs are little, some are enormous, but Mr Meade can be relied upon to get things done with the minimum of fuss. My Admin Team provides so much support to me for which I am extremely grateful. I am very fortunate to have one of the best SASS Teams in Northern Sydney.

Even though I am not technically our cleaners’ employer, I regard Lu and Vlado as part of my staff. They keep this school spick and span. On some days they leave here exhausted as their jobs are so physically demanding. They care about our school community and go non-stop to get the school’s premises ready each day for the arrival of students and staff. Valdo and Lu, we appreciate all you do for us.

This year has also seen a number of our staff gain promotion and some of our temporary teachers gain permanent employment. This has been thrilling and justly deserved in each case. Each one has had to compete under the merit selection process which is highly competitive. Earlier this year Lynda Russo was successful in gaining the Assistant Principal Hearing position that is based at Cromer for the Warringah Network of Schools. Recently, Nicole Herrmann was successful in gaining the Deputy Principal’s position substantively. Nicole has relieved in this position for the last two years and everyone acknowledges she is a wonderful educational leader who truly makes a difference and justly deserves her promotion. This now means we have an Assistant Principal vacancy in K-2 which I think will be filled for the start of next year.

Earlier in the year Elise Melotic and then Kathy McGuigan were successful in gaining permanent positions at Mona Vale PS. We were sad to lose these wonderful Temporary Teachers but would never begrudge them gaining a permanent position as this was in their long term best interest. Just yesterday, we received advice that Jenine Brown had been successful in gaining a permanent position at Narrabeen North PS in 2014. Mrs Brown too will be really missed but I am incredibly proud of her as she set herself the professional goal to gain permanency which she has achieved. Well done, Jenine! Colleagues were truly excited on her success. Our best wishes and sincere thanks go with Jenine Brown, Christine Norris and Di Sullivan, who will not be with us next year. Please accept my sincere thanks for your contribution to CPS.

Each one of our Presentation Assemblies has been a joy to behold with students and teachers showcasing the fantastic year of learning and friendship that has taken place in this school. We thank all of the Grade Coordinators and Executive for the organisation of these very special events. Congratulations to each grade for a big team effort. In my books all our students and their teachers are stars. It has also been lovely to see so many proud parents and other family members in the audience with big smiles helping us to celebrate our students’ achievements.

This morning was Year 5’s Presentation Assembly. Not only did we celebrate Year 5’s success in a range of subjects and areas but congratulated the incoming Student Leadership Team. The Ministers for 2014 are: Rhys G, Renee B, Felix C, Isabel V, Jack W, Isabella W, Patrick C, Kate M, Jaxon H, Lauren H, Nicholas C, Zoe S, Christopher M, Holly H, Joel E, Michelle W, Ben P, Tyra P, Max S and Eva W. I know they will be wonderful role models for the rest of our students next year. Together the Ministers met last week to elect the School Captains and Vice Captains for 2014. They took this task very seriously and elected who they believed in their estimation will undertake this extra leadership role to the best of their ability.

It gives me great pleasure to announce the Ministers selection. Our Captains will be Patrick C and Lauren H. They will be ably assisted by Vice Captains Christopher M and Kate M. I am sure everyone will join with me in congratulating Lauren, Patrick, Kate and Christopher. They have had wonderful role models in this year’s Student Leaders: Gabe M, Ella C, Nick B and Lauren D. I believe each of their high schools will quickly identify them as leaders and offer the outgoing Captains and Vice Captains my very real thanks for their significant contribution to total school life in 2013. Our current Ministers have also taken their roles seriously and their efforts have certainly been appreciated by fellow students and staff.

I wish to thank and acknowledge this year’s leadership team for their outstanding work:

- Ministers: Amber H; Callum E; Mia C; Jack B; Sophie B; Jake W; Indianna M; Joshua S; Tierri F; James S; Bailee G; Braden N; Emma D; Will K; Kate L; and Lewie S.
- Sports Ministers: Madison C; Ashley J; Jordan M; Tiana K; Michael V; Chay B; Brad M; and Blair H.
- Band Captains: Ashleigh R and Bella M.
Next week students will have their class parties on Monday. Children are allowed to wear casual clothes for their parties. On Monday night Year 6 will participate in ‘Colour My World – Year 6 Class of 2013 VIP Event’ – in other words the Year 6 Dinner Dance and Farewell. This should be a wonderful evening. Many thanks must go to the Parent Committee and Nancy Chaffer who have planned such a special evening for our graduating students. Next Tuesday, the Year 6 Presentation Assembly will be our formal graduation ceremony. We are delighted that the Mayor of Warringah, Michael Regan, will join us on this special occasion.

In closing, I would like to thank Year 6 for the last seven years. I wish each and every Year 6 student a great deal of happiness and on-going success as you move into your secondary studies. I believe the 23 different high schools who receive you will find they have hard working, multi-talented students who will become actively involved in secondary school life. Know we will always be interested in your endeavours and I encourage you to take every opportunity and new experience in your stride. An exciting new learning world awaits you. Our school motto is ‘Wisdom and Courage’. My special wish for you is that you have the wisdom to remember Cromer’s core values of ‘Respect, Responsibility and Achievement’ as this will support your courage to take the ‘next big step’ and face the exciting, challenging and rewarding times that lie ahead next year and in the future.

We have a number of Year 6 parents who will have their last child graduating from Cromer PS next week and we thank you for the way you have supported the school over many years. We have been very lucky to have been on the receiving end of your generous time and effort.

On behalf of Cromer PS Staff, I would like to send my best wishes for the future to departing students and their families. I hope it does not take long to settle into your new homes and new schools.

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Kind Regards

Maureen Gray
Principal

DEPUTY PRINCIPAL’S REPORT FOR 2013

Day One for students is WEDNESDAY 29th January 2014. Students are to return to their 2013 classrooms and will stay with their old class for the beginning of 2014 for a couple of days until all students have returned.

END OF YEAR GRADE AWARD ASSEMBLIES
What a fabulous week (and a bit) we have had with the K – 5 End of Year Award Assemblies. We have had over 300 parents, family and friends at each grade presentation every day of the week to congratulate our students for their hard work and achievements throughout 2013.

Each grade song and photo presentation was truly amazing in capturing each student in their various grade activities throughout the year. What wonderful memories you have all created! Thank you to all our staff and students for your dedication and hard work all year. We congratulate you all!

STUDENT and STAFF SUCCESS
Hailey F (4W) has been selected to represent Manly Warringah Basketball in the under/12 division 1 for 2014. Well done Hailey – your family and school community are very proud of your achievements. Congratulations!

END OF YEAR DATES FOR YOUR DIARY
Monday 16th - Whole school class parties and grade activities day! (children may wear MUFTI CLOTHES for their party)
Year 6 Dinner Dance at 6:30pm in the hall
Tuesday 17th - Year 6 Graduation Assembly at 9:30am in the hall
Year 6 Leadership team lunch with Mrs Gray
Wednesday 18th - Year 6 Waterworks excursion
Last day of school for all students.

YEAR 6 CONGRATULATIONS!!
As the year finally draws to a close, we wish to extend our congratulations and well wishes to all our Year 6 students as their Primary School chapter is now complete! With High School approaching and friendships taking on new pathways, we hope your memories of Cromer Public School will always bring a smile to your face.

Best wishes Year 6 students and families for the next exciting chapter of your lives! Thank you to our extraordinary Year 6 teachers – Mrs Chaffer, Mrs Scarlett, Miss Gregory, Mr Mason and Mrs Boland – for all your support, guidance, creativity and dedication given to the students in this, their last year at Primary School.

KINDERGARTEN 2014
Our 2014 Kindergarten students and families will receive their final transition to school pack in the post on Tuesday. Each pack includes a Ready for School social story about starting at Cromer, Kindergarten start dates and each student’s Best Start scheduled time. Please contact the front office if you have any further questions.
2014 REQUIREMENTS LIST
This year, our requirement lists will be available to view on our Website to help you get ready over the holidays for your child returning to school next year. You will find all the stationery needs and classroom supplies for the new grade as well as DAY ONE procedures.

2014 TEXTBOOK PURCHASES
Next year’s textbook purchases can be made online over the January school holidays. A link for each grade can be found on our Website and the Smart Phone App.

Students in Year One to Six will receive these textbooks on Friday 31st January 2014 at school. Kindergarten students will receive their books the following week.

LOST PROPERTY…..last call for 2013!!!!
Unclaimed lunchboxes and containers will be destroyed next week. Jackets, hat and jumpers will be displayed in the hall steps near the basketball courts on Monday 16th December for students to collect. Unclaimed clothing will then be donated to the Uniform Shop's second hand store.

DEC INFORMATION FOR PARENTS
Kik messenger
Does your child use Kik? Police have described it as "the Number 1 social media problem involving teenagers" but most parents would barely have heard of the messaging app Kik. Find out what it is at: http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/technology/technology-az/-/technology_glossary/7w0F/5353/Kik+messenger.


Choosing school shoes
Are expensive school shoes the best option for happy feet? Let's face it, school shoes have never been at the cutting edge of fashion. In fact, if you look at what your parents were wearing, the humble school shoe really hasn't evolved much at all.


Teach your kids to be waterproof
As temperatures rise, the risk of drowning increases too. Review these water-safety tips to help keep your family safe this summer at: http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/wellbeing/health/water-safety-tip.

We wish you all a safe, relaxing and enjoyable Christmas holiday with your families and friends. Thank you for your ongoing support and assistance throughout 2013 and we look forward to starting a new year together in 2014.

Merry Christmas to all…..

Kindest regards,

Julie Johnson and Nicole Herrmann
Deputy Principals

K6B NEWS
On Monday K-6B attended Warringah Council’s International Day of People with a Disability at the Cromer Community Centre. They had a wonderful morning interacting with the clown show, dancing and painting a tile for the All Abilities Playground at Collaroy Beach. Pizza, fruit and drinks were provided for lunch. They met the Mayor of Warringah, Mr Michael Reagan. It was an exciting way to celebrate their abilities.

Lea Joris and Amy Bauer

PRIMARY ETHICS: Volunteer Teachers
If you would like our children to have the option to participate in the rewarding Primary Ethics program at Cromer Public School, please get in touch, as the program is only viable if we have enough volunteers available to teach. These classes run for 30 mins every Wednesday.

Our Primary Ethics classes are now up and running for Years 1-2 and Years 5-6. Our volunteer teachers have been delighted with their students' enthusiasm during their classes. For more information about Primary Ethics or to find out more about volunteering as a teacher and the training you will be given, please go to http://www.primaryethics.com.au/ or contact Kirsty at ethics.cromer@gmail.com.
UNIFORM SHOP NEWS

I would like to thank my dedicated volunteers for helping on our Uniform Shop in 2013 - you are greatly appreciated. I wish you all a very happy and healthy Christmas and New Year.

Please note the Uniform Shop opening times:

- the last day in 2013 is Thursday 19th December from 8:30am to 11:30am
- the first day in 2014 is Thursday 23rd January from 8:30am to 11:30am
- we are open Tuesday 28th January (staff development day) from 8:30am to 11:30am
- Thereafter we are open Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8:30am to 11:30am

**Year 6 signature bears:** we have limited stock of signature bears for sale at $12 each. They are a lovely keepsake for your child leaving primary school. Please purchase ASAP as they will not last long. Orders can be taken via email or phone with credit card payment.

Mrs McPherson
Uniform Shop Manager

CHESS CLUB NEWS

It has been a wonderful year for the Chess Club. We had students represent Cromer at 3 different tournaments: Mona Vale Public School, Artamon Public School and the Regional Tournament at Pittwater House School. Our Cromer students performed exceptionally well and represented our school with great sportsmanship.

We are very fortunate at Cromer to have such a fantastic and professional Chess coach in Miro N. Each Tuesday lunchtime he guides the children with new moves and then challenges them to play games. This is all done under the wonderful supervision of Mrs Peisley in Class 1P. A big thank you to the ladies in the office who manage the accounts for the Chess Club.

Term 4 saw an influx of some highly enthusiastic Kindy and Year 1 students. These students diligently attended every Tuesday lunch to learn about chess pieces and their special moves. It is always humorous when you hear them call a ‘pawn’ a ‘prawn’.

**NEW CHESS CLUB CO-ORDINATORS WANTED**

****We will be stepping down as chess coordinators at the end of this year and are looking for any parent or grandparent who would be keen to take over. **** I am happy to assist the new coordinator next year with a hand over. REMEMBER, the Chess Club can only stay alive if there is a volunteer coordinator.

Please contact me for details if you are interested.

Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a safe New Year!!

Marilinda & Roland Winter
Coordinators of the Cromer Chess Club

Please feel free to contact us via email with any questions regarding chess at:  Marilinda@iprimus.com.au

SCHOOL BANKING

Sending out a HUGE ‘well done’ to our Cromer Public School bankers this year! It has been a wonderful year watching you all save!

We are very pleased to announce that one of Cromer’s banking students was a runner up in the Commonwealth Bank Term 4 Dollarmites competition. He won the DVD pack!! His name was one of tens of thousands NSW wide picked out of the draw.

Congratulations to our winner and all of our bankers on a wonderful money saving year! We look forward to another successful year in 2014!
During the year some of my Year 5 girls have been writing poems and songs while at afterschool care. One of the girls has written about her time in year 5 and I would like to share it with everyone as I thought it was great.

In 2013 I came back to school,
At the swimming carnival I swam in the pool.
I was put in a class and it was called 5L,
In term 2, I got to ring the home time bell.
This year I went on my very first camp,
My room was cosy like the glow of a lamp.
On a Friday morning we did ballroom dance,
Some people were bad, looked like they had ants in their pants.
On a Wednesday, Thursday, Friday I went to afterschool care
Dana improved the centre so I liked it more there.
I saw snow for the first time this year,
It was cold, so we had to wear snow gear.
My teacher was Mrs Lawler, she was fun but firm
We have learnt lots and lots because of her each term.
I went for Minister, but didn’t get in,
But I got chocolate so it’s sorta win win
My friends slept over, as in Tamzin, Eva Izzy
Coz we stayed up so late, the next day we were dizzy.
I liked year 5, it was so much fun
Thanks for reading my poem and now it’s all done!

By Abbey M

VACATION CARE
Visit our website www.ooshnb.com.au or click on http://www.ooshnb.com.au/resource/file/vacation-care.pdf to go straight to our forms. A reminder that OOSH will be open for the pupil free days on the 19th and 20th December as well as the 23rd and 24th December. We will also be open on the 28th January, before we are back at School on the 29th. This service will be at St John's Kids Club Narraweena. Our 2014 Registration/booking forms are also on our website.

Have a great weekend.

The Team at Cromer Kids Club!
www.ooshnb.com.au

LIBRARY BOOKS
Mrs Haddrick does a wonderful job as our Teacher Librarian sharing her expertise in literature and visual literacy with students and staff. She is also responsible for our large collection of books which students love to borrow. It is disappointing that last week we had 192 students with overdue books not returned. Many thanks to those students who have since returned their books.

However, we still have a significant number of books worth $1600 that are still outstanding. Some students have had as many as 10 reminder notices to return books to no avail. The reminder notice details the name of the book, the due date of its return, its cost and the number of notices sent. If a student borrows one book or more books it is their responsibility to take care of it and return the book once it has been read. If the books cannot be found the replacement cost of the book should be sent to Mrs Haddrick.

We cannot afford to sustain such a loss in our Library as this will limit the number of books students will be able to borrow in the future. Several attempts have been made to get the books back. This is extremely frustrating as students are not accepting responsibility for their actions. Some children have told the Librarians that they know where the books are and others have no idea.

Unless this matter is attended to, the student’s borrowing rights will have to be curtailed next year. Parents if your child is one of our students with outstanding books can you please help them to do a thorough search of their bedroom over the weekend. If the book remains missing, the child should use their savings to reimburse the library or have to undertake some home jobs to earn the replacement cost. In this way they may learn a valuable lesson.

Your understanding and co-operation in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Maureen Gray
YEAR SIX DINNER

I would just like to say a huge "thank you" to all those parents and families who have worked tirelessly over the past few months in the lead up to this event, especially the decorating team, memorabilia team, catering team and the setting up, washing up and cleaning up teams.

Special mention to:

* Finger-printing - Dee Why
* Avanti Pizzeria- Wheeler Hts (for Catering)
* David Cooper (former parent) of Cooper Neon
* S & M Neaves
* M & S Schmidt

* Lisa Glynn Design & Illustration
* Alpha Floor Systems & solutions
* Audio Equip Solutions
* A Maher (for the cake)
* K & P Wong

Michelle Bruzzano

CANTEEN NEWS

Canteen will be closed for refurbishment from Tuesday 17th Dec. We are hoping to be back up and running first day back 2014 but keep an eye out on the school’s website, school app or Flexischools for up to date information.

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Laura & The Canteen Team

HEALTHY LIVING TIP

The simplest way

to create a delicious spring meal

This easy and delicious vegetable frittata can be enjoyed hot for dinner, and cold the next day in your kids lunch boxes!

Ingredients:
- 1/3 cup pasta
  (penne/sizes/size)
- 100g mushrooms, sliced
- 1 medium onion, chopped
- 1 tbsp olive oil
- 1 medium tomato, chopped
- 6 eggs, whisked
- 1 medium zucchini, sliced thinly
- 2 tbsp parsley

Method:
1. Preheat oven to 180°C. Grease 20cm cake pan.
2. Cook pasta in water until tender. Drain.
3. Heat oil in large frying pan, cook onion, zucchini and mushrooms until just tender.
4. Combine all ingredients in large bowl. Mix well.
5. Pour mixture into prepared pan, bake for 45min
6. (Serves 4)

For more information visit www.eattobeatit.com.au
or join us at facebook.com/eattobeatit

Eat It To Beat It
CALL FOR ASSISTANCE: AUDITOR and SECRETARY NEEDED

The P&C would like to audit its finances. Are you an auditor or do you know an auditor who could do this for us at a reduced cost? All funds raised by the P&C go back into the school, so where we can reduce costs, we aim to.

Planning ahead to 2014, the P&C will be looking for a new Secretary. This position has been performed by Mrs Whiley for several years. Mrs Whiley is keen to spend more time working with the Music Committee. Thank you for all your services, Mrs Whiley. At evening meetings this year, Mrs Whiley has been assisted by Mrs de Angelis in the Secretary role. Thank you for helping out Mrs de Angelis.

The role of the P&C Secretary is to promote upcoming meetings, minute the meetings, follow up on matters that arise and to organise special meetings or presentations for community interest. It’s the sort of role you can personally shape to become as comprehensive or as condensed as possible. The Secretary is also a member of the P&C Executive.

The time commitment is less than 1 hour per week (aside from meeting attendance). If you would like to know more, please contact Jen Webster on 0412 438 133 or jen_webster@optusnet.com.au.

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