

# <u>Pilliga Public School Newsletter</u>

## The little school that's BIG on learning

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#### **Book Week**

We will be celebrating Book Week next Monday, 26th. I would encourage everyone to have your child/ren costumes prepared as there will be a parade in two categories—Infants and Primary.

There is an open invitation to all the parents and wider community to come along to our book week morning tea and support the school and students. This year we will have a large selection of books for sale and the profits go to the school. It will be a great time for Christmas presents.

The morning tea will begin at 9:30am with the parade at 10:00am.

#### WAMS Healthy Eating and Keeping Fit Day.

This Friday, Daniele Graves from WAMS will be visiting the school to deliver a series of health talks relating to appropriate diet and exercise for kids. Daniele has extended an invitation to parents to attend the 12:00pm session on nutrition. Included in the day will be an exercise morning session, nutrition session and even a smoothie making session!

#### **CWA Italy Lunch**

Thank you to Judy Field and the Country Womens' Association for organising another successful luncheon for the students of Pilliga Public and wider community with a special thanks to Dollar for her presentation on Galileo. The Country of choice this year was Italy and one of the attributes of Italy's culture is their passion for food. This was fortunate for us, as the meals the ladies produced for the lunch could have come from straight from Naples!

Judy took our Italy projects to the main branch to show and the school was recognised for our efforts with a framed certificate of appreciation. Well done, Pilliga Public!

#### **Band Performance**

Last Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> October, the Marist Brothers College Northern Beaches Band played at our school for our students are parents. The band were beneficiaries of the previous days CWA Italian lunch, as they were served left overs before they played. The performances were great as they played classic concert band songs. Rod, the band conductor, was very animated and was getting the crowd up and moving while the Marist Brothers College students played. There was one scary moment where he asked the adults and teachers to get up and dance the Can-Can... The highlight for me was when Rod called up the students to have a play on some of the instruments and play along with them. It was a great opportunity for all the students involved.



### Yr 6 transition to high school

After some changes from the High School, here are the latest Transition Dates

**Future transition dates:** 

Wk 2 - Tues 13th Oct 9:30 - 12:30

Wk 4 - Thurs 29th Oct 11:30 - 2:00

Wk 8 – Mon 23rd Nov Whole day & Parent Info night starting at 5:30pm