Principal's Message

Welcome to a bright new 2013. How wonderful to see so many smiling faces walking through the gates on the first day of school for 2013.

Thank you to parents and carers for ensuring your children have arrived on time, dressed proudly in their school uniforms and ready to take on their important role as learners.

This year will bring with it many changes and challenges but there is no doubt in my mind that they will be for the continual improvement of the teaching and learning at Sussex Inlet Public School.

Welcome to several new staff members, Mrs Corinne Hamilton and Ms Belinda Ryder who bring with them experience, knowledge and skills which will complement our teaching strengths. Mr Ben Neich will be with us for Term 1. He is replacing Mrs Henderson who retired after many wonderful years at Sussex Inlet PS and will be greatly missed.

This week students will work in their grades until final numbers can be confirmed. It is always wonderful to welcome new students and families to our school so we will do our best to keep disruptions to a minimum and establish classes as soon as possible.

I look forward to meeting all members of our school and the wider community as I embrace my new role as Principal. Please make sure you say hello and keep me informed of any issues, concerns and / or great things that happen with your children and at our school.

Lorraine Jenkinson
Principal

Dates to Remember

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Late arrival/leaving early

Students arriving at school after 9.00am or leaving the school prior to 3.00pm for any reason must call into the office with a parent or carer and fill in a Notice of Absence to be given to the class teacher. This is a requirement of the attendance at school regulations.

School Banking

The children have the opportunity to bank with the Commonwealth Bank through the school banking system. The school banking day is Monday and children are asked to take their bank books direct to the office on that day.

If you would like to open an account, School Banking application forms are available at the office.

P&C News

Uniform Store
For all the newcomers to Sussex Inlet Public School as well as anyone requiring replacement uniforms, the P&C will be opening the uniform shop for extended hours for the first week of school. The shop will be open from 8.45am in G block every morning this week.

The shop will then resume its normal hours Monday and Tuesday at 8.45am.

Sussex Inlet Cinema
A big thank you goes to the Sussex Inlet Cinema for helping us with the movie premier fundraiser of Wreck It Ralph, which was held on 21st December 2012. Eager students of Sussex Inlet Public School packed the theatre to be among the first in Australia to see what has been one of the most popular movies these holidays.

There were heaps of prizes given away and lots of fun had by all. With your help, $420 was raised in total to help support the Sussex Out of School Hours Care.

P&C Meetings
Welcome to the new parents and carers that have now joined our Sussex Inlet Public School community with children starting in Kindergarten in 2013. If you are eager to get involved in your child’s education and want to know what is happening within your school community, one of the best ways, is to get involved with the P&C.

The Sussex Inlet Public School P&C meets every third Monday of the month at 7pm at the school. All parents new to the school, as well those of older children are welcome to come along. The next meeting will be on February 18, and we are keen to meet any new members.

Tracey Solari
Publicity Officer

Community News

Junior Tennis Competition      Starting Date 7.2.2013
Tennis Coaching                Starting Date 4.2.2013

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Sussex Inlet Public School Staff – 2013

Principal  Mrs Lorraine Jenkinson

Assistant Principals  Ms Karen Coyle
                        Ms Julie Hayek

Teachers  Mrs Mary Dunnett
            Ms Linda Glover
            Mrs Corinne Hamilton
            Mrs Sherie Murphy
            Mrs Rebecca Nevin
            Mrs Belinda Ryder

Teacher/Librarian  Mrs Robyn Queripel

Casual Teachers  Miss Lee Bower
                 Mrs Melinda Croan
                 Mrs Catherine Fulginiti
                 Mrs Tiina Hill
                 Mr Ben Neich

School Administrative Manager  Mrs Val Williams

School Administrative Officer  Mrs Gail Banks
                              Mrs Myra Walker