Check out the Fete pages on the WSPS website for more information.


♦ Coordinators’ names and details  ♦ Hamper theme ideas
♦ How to volunteer via online sign up  ♦ Ways you can help make our Fete a success

Fete Committee Members: Maria Romnios 0407 999 270  |  Lauren Rizzacasa 0438 818 480  |  Sam Walsh  0411 333 102

Key Dates

17/2  Collection Boxes (outside classrooms) are ready for your donations from now ’till week of fete
17/2  Soft Drink Donation Week..............GOAL: 1000 cans
      Please bring a can or six pack and drop off in fete collection boxes
24/2  Lucky Dip Bags Week..................GOAL: 500
      Bring in your uniquely-created lucky dip bags (no glass jars please)
3/3   Block of Chocolate Week.............GOAL: 400 blocks
      Bring in a block of chocolate to be used for Lob-a-Choc.
3/3   Stall Coordinators Meeting— 7pm Staff Room
4/3   Raffle Tickets distributed
      Please return all ticket money and all tickets sold and unsold by 26/3.
7/3   Online Volunteer Roster Closes
      Get in early to get the shift you want.
11/3  Collection ends for Hamper Donations
17/3  Letter Box Drop Flyers ready for distribution to the neighbourhood
17/3  Preserves and Jams need to be delivered to school by this date
23/3  WSPS Working Bee
      Bring plant Donations, large bric-a-brac, toys, etc. to school
24/3  Cake Boxes distributed to students
28/3  Bring baked goods to school Hall
29/3  FETE Day! Come and have fun!!

Attention: Hamper Items

Last Call for Items
Thank you to all who donated.
We need more.
If you haven’t donated please do so by the end of this week 14 March!!!!
Thanks

Volunteers needed for Kids Shows

VOLUNTEER & SEE the show for FREE!!!
We need parents to check tickets and usher/supervise kids while they watch the performances. There are 4x 40 min shows. Volunteer via the online sign up link. Times are listed.

http://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0C4EA72EA13-wales

Coat Hangers & Clothes Racks NEEDED
If you can spare some or donate, please contact Susan Rennie 0425 706 978.
WE NEED YOU!
Remember to volunteer for a shift on your classroom’s allocated stall.
The sign up link is
http://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0C4A72EA13-wales

CHOCOLATE BLOCKS — We haven’t reached our Target of 400 blocks yet. No where near it.
Stop eating the blocks and bring them to school!!!!
The Lob-a-choc stall needs them!!!!
Please keep the other donations coming!!!!
Especially Lucky Dip Bags
AND BOOKS, TOYS, CLOTHES, SMALL BRIC-A-BRAC, HAMPER ITEMS, ETC.

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GOURMET BBQ STALL – Calling for Volunteers!!!
Hi everyone,
With less than 4 weeks to go I need MORE Volunteers to run the stall!
We have two food services: Lunch 12-3pm & Dinner 4-7pm

These are my gaps:
• 9-11am – NEED 2 MORE VOLUNTEERS (set up gazebo, BBQ, Tables, equipment, Food prep.)
• 11am-1pm – NEED 2 MORE VOLUNTEERS (fire up BBQ’s, set out food, start cooking )
• 1-2.30pm - NEED 4 MORE VOLUNTEERS (orders, cooking, serving)
• 2.30-4pm - NEED 2 MORE VOLUNTEERS (orders, cooking, serving)
• 4-5.30pm - NEED 2 MORE VOLUNTEERS (orders, cooking, serving)
• 5.30-7pm - NEED 6 VOLUNTEERS (currently none!) (orders, cooking, serving)
• 7-8pm – NEED 6 VOLUNTEERS (currently none!) (clean & pack up)

YOU CAN BOOK ONLINE – go to school website & volunteer online Or you can
Text me: Lucy Thornton 0425704165

Please Volunteer and help us to run a successful stall and make money for the school & our kids.
Cheers,
Lucy.

HELP FOR THE BAR
Plastic disposable cups
Do you have connections to a plastic disposable cup supplier? The fete bar would benefit from disposable cups as a donations or at a discounted price.
If you can assist please contact Tracey on 0419 44 33 83 or via email tracey@knitdimensions.com

WANTED: Coordinator for Souvlaki
Ring a committee member if you are interested. You will be well supported.
The inaugural Wales Street Primary School

Billycart Dash

The Billy Cart Dash will take place between 12-5pm at the Wales St Primary School Fete on Saturday 29 March.

Race Categories

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- Races will take place on the Speight Street Speedway
- Billy Carts will be provided (you can not bring your own billy cart)
- It’s a two person team with one riding and one pushing
- Registrations will be taken before and on the day and all racers must have parent or guardian permission (signed form) to register
- Registration forms, times and all entry conditions will be available two weeks before the fete on the Wales Street PS Website
- There are a limited number of heats per category, so register early
- Entry Fee: $4.00 per Team ($2 each) per race (pay on the day)

All Monies Raised go to Wales Street Primary School

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Fete Ride & Show Wrist Bands

Each year at the Wales Street Fete there are a range of exciting rides and kids shows for the kids to experience.
You can either buy individual ride & show tickets on the day ($5.00 per ride or $6.00 per show) or purchase a Ride & Show Wrist Band that gives kids unlimited rides from 12:00pm-6:00pm (except for Pony Rides which finish at 5:00pm) and free entry to up to 2 shows (1 Magician & 1 Carp Productions Show).

Pre-purchase Wrist Bands are $30.00 (5 rides & 1 show & you’ve got your money’s worth), Wrist Bands on the day are $35.00.

Wrist Bands get unlimited rides on 8 rides/activities and free entry to 2 shows:
- Chair o Plane (4-10 years)
- Bungy Tramp (5 years-Adult)
- Tiger Jumping Castle (All ages)
- Cup & Saucer (new) (All ages)
- Pony Rides (All ages)
- Giant Slide (All ages)
- Inflatable Rock Climbing Wall (6 years-Adult)
- Farmer Darryl’s Animal Farm (All Ages)

Theatre and Magic Shows:
Carp Productions Shows:
- Scared Silly"
- Captain Cheesy Grin and the Pirates and
- Alex the Magician- 2 shows

Proudly brought to you by the Fete Committee a subgroup of the Fundraising & Social Events Committee
Lucky Dip Stall – seeking donations

2014 will see the transformation of Lucky Jars into the traditional Lucky Dip!
Help kids practice their resilience – “you get what you get and don’t get upset”...

No glass this year please.

Each Lucky Dip costs $2. It’s usually a very popular stall and sells out by 2pm.

Good condition second hand / recycled items are welcome. Involve your kids in a toy sort and donate stuff they’re no longer interested in. It’s a fun way to get the kids involved in fete preparation, and also get excited to have a lucky dip themselves.

Lucky Dip suggestions include:
- Marbles
- Flower bulbs / seeds
- Mini art & craft projects (knitting, embroidery, painting, dyeing)
- Stickers
- Textas, pens, pencils, rubbers...
- Keyrings
- Modelling clay – make your own
- Lollies
- Fancy stationary
- Match box cars
- Lego
- Hair stuff, clips, etc.
- Beads / make your own jewellery
- Cards (playing / swap / make your own gift cards)
- Stamps & ink pads
- Small toys & trinkets

Individually wrap or put item(s) into a small bag, then drop it off to Fete collection boxes outside classrooms.

Questions and suggestions to Penelope Anderson
T: 0466 205 983
E: penelope@urban.net.au

Letter Box Drop - HELP NEEDED

5000 Fete flyers will be delivered to the school for distribution in local letterboxes on Monday 17 March. We need your help to let the community know about our fete, please collect flyers from the office and mark off on the map which streets you will cover. If everyone does one or two streets each, word will spread.
We Can Pickle That!

Jams are delicious but my favourite preserves are pickles! As well as being a frugal way to make use of excess produce, pickles are easier than jams as they don’t need to set. The fun doesn’t stop at pickles - other savoury preserves such as chutneys, curry pastes, relishes and sauces are always popular.

The pickled onions of my childhood were green and red and stuck on toothpicks next to cubes of cheese but it doesn’t have to be that way. This recipe for pickled onions is adapted from "Cured" by Lindy Wildsmith.

**Pickled Onions**

- 50g salt
- 1kg small pickling onions, peeled
- 1 litre white vinegar
- 100g soft brown sugar
- 1 cinnamon stick
- 8 whole cloves,
- 1 teaspoon ground allspice
- 2 teaspoons white peppercorns
- 4 tablespoons coriander seeds
- A pinch of cayenne pepper

Combine the water and salt and bring to the boil. Leave to cool.

Add the peeled onions to the salt water, cover with a teatowel and leave overnight. Drain and rinse in cold water.

Combine the vinegar, sugar and spices in a large saucepan and bring to the boil. Remove from heat and leave to stand for 2 hours.

Put your jars in a 110 degree oven for 15 minutes. Pack the onions into the jars and cover with the spiced vinegar. Seal and label.

See you at the fete!
Kimberley

Handcraft stall - 1/2B Rosemary Hughes

Stall co-ordinator - Narelle Stone
n_stone23@hotmail.com or 0411 202 992

We are seeking donations of: fabric, ribbon, felt, buttons, soap, candles, beads, etc. With the right materials, we aim to be able to sell a variety of handmade goods, such as aprons, brooches, wheat bags, door stops, book marks, makeup bags, head bands, greeting cards and much, much more but we need your help.

That leads me to the many Crafty parents at Wales Street - please help by donating your beautiful goods to our stall. Alternatively, prepared packs will be available with instructions and materials if you’d like to help but not sure what to do. Contact Narelle on 0411 202 992 for details.

*** Calling all crafty kids***

We are looking for donations of Friendships Bands and the currently very popular Rainbow Bands to be sold at our Handcraft Stall. Instead of swapping them for rocks in the playground, let’s sell them for our school. A box is outside Rosemary Hughes’ classroom - Wales Room 11 for you to put your bands in. Thank you.

WANTED: GREEN THUMBS

We are wanting gardeners to donate goods for the Plant Stall. If you have plants you don’t need/ dividing plants/ extra veggie seedlings/ excess fruit and vegetable crops, we would love to sell them on our stall.

A fruit tree grafting demonstration will also take place at the plant stall on Fete day (more details soon).

Please contact Anne if you can donate.
roberts.anne@optusnet.com.au

Raffle Tickets: WOW! Check out the prizes!

Please return money and ticket stubbs to your classroom by Wednesday, 26 March.

Tickets are $2 each.

1st prize: Speed Queen Washing Machine - AWNA62 Top Load 7.5kg washer made in America and donated by Alliance Laundry Systems valued at ...... $2299.

2nd prize: Zak Surfboards Family Surf Package - featuring a 7’6” GBoard, legrope, board cover and soft roof racks, plus a Zak Surfboards apparel pack valued at ...... $750.

3rd prize: Terra Madre - Health & Well-being Pack including body massage valued at ...... $350.

4th prize: Gourmet Food & Wine Basket valued at ...... $175.

Raffle drawn at the Wales Street Primary School Fete on 29th March 2014 at 6.00pm.

Winners will be notified by telephone and in the school newsletter.
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