The Bulletin

Message from the Principal

Education Week provides families and friends with
the opportunity to visit Kew PS and to observe how
the school operates on a daily basis. It was pleasing to
see so many parents taking the time to visit the
school, not did current parents visit but a great
number of prospective families were given a tour of
the school. These tours were taken by our Grade Six
Ambassadors as part of their leadership role. It was
pleasing to observe how mature and confident they
were and the feedback from these families was
overwhelmingly positive. Congratulations Zoe, Clem,
Grace, Angelica, Josh, Jay, Matthew and Max for all
your great work.

This week a letter was sent home to all families in the
school via the oldest child explaining about keeping
our students safe especially those students who have
life threatening reactions to allergens such as nuts,
eggs, gluten, shellfish and some dairy products. By far
the food group that does cause these reactions in
most of our anaphylactic students is the nut family
and in particular peanuts. Can you please try NOT to
send food containing peanuts to school so these
students are kept safe. If you have not seen the letter
can you please check your child’s school bag.

A huge thank you you must go to Stewart Waters who has
volunteered to be the convenor of the Buildings and
Grounds Committee and has designed a schedule for
working bees so that the school grounds can be
attended to and spruced up making them more child
friendly. The first working bee will take place on
Sunday June 2nd from 9:00 until 12:00. If you are able
to attend for even one hour your efforts will be most
welcome.

Robin Grace

Acting Principal.

Diary Dates

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Kew Primary School Blog

This week the Kew Primary School blog welcomes a new
guest blogger, Sam Robertson. Sam has tackled an im-
portant subject that I know most parents have worried
about at some time or another...LINK

And just a reminder. I love getting comments on the
blog, but as a matter of policy anonymous comments
won’t be posted. Thanks.

Jacqui Tomlins

OSHClub

Please remember to book online for a place to help with
staffing ratios.

For cancellations please inform OSHClub directly on 0400
394 489.

Community Notice Board

Parents don’t forget to read the notices on the notice
board between the Library and the Canteen
Dear Parents

Each year, school council review the needs of the school for the forthcoming year.

Accordingly, the following sub-committees have been set up for 2013:

- Building & Grounds
- Education & Policy
- Grants, Communication & Marketing

The success of these sub-committees rely on parent participation and School Council welcomes your expression of interest to join any of these sub-committees. Please contact me via email on nikki@sraccountants.com.au should you be interested.

Thank you for the donations received so far—please keep them coming.

School Council

Entertainment Books are at the office waiting to be purchased. $13 from each book sold will be donated to the school.