Adelong Public School Open Day
Thursday 1 August

Parents, family and friends are invited to Adelong Public School’s Open Day on Thursday 1 August commencing at 9:30 am.

❖ 9:30 am Classroom visits and Book Fair
❖ 10:15 am Celebration of the Positive Behaviour for Learning program, followed by morning tea and recess

BOOK FAIR: A collection of books will be displayed in the library, which will be available for purchase. (not during PBL Celebration)

It would be appreciated if all families could provide something to share for morning tea please. Thank you.

Everyone is most welcome!

FROM THE PRINCIPAL’S DESK

Today four of our Year 5 students, William Hassett, Jamie O’Brien, Marcus D’Alessandro and Damon O’Brien are at Charles Sturt University, presenting the environmental project that they developed for the school.

For the project the boys decided that the school needed more trees. They needed money to buy the trees so they ran a raffle and a sausage sizzle, which were both very successful. The trees were bought and parents were invited to the school to help plant them. There are now 64 new trees around the school.

This term all students from Kindergarten to Year 6 will have tennis lessons run by tennis coach Bernadette Ramsey. Students will also take part in cricket lessons run by Cricket Australia.

Last Friday, Year 5 student, Ethan Contessa ran in the State PSSA Cross Country carnival in Sydney. This is the third time Ethan has made it to the state carnival. This year he came 39th, which means he is the 39th fastest 11 year old in the state. Well done Ethan.

The Highlands PSSA athletics carnival will take place in Gundagai on Tuesday 30th August. We have a team of 21 students taking part and we hope they have a great day and do well.

Reminder: There is a P&C meeting tonight at school, commencing at 6:30pm.

Regards
Julie Webber
WEEKLY CLASS MERIT AWARDS
Term 3 Week 1, 2013

K/1
Grace Smith
Byrom Wilson
1/2
Annika Casey
Benjy Hannan
3/4
Harry Bambling
Nicholas McDonald
5/6
Jordan Crane
Corey Bennett

BEE AWARDS - Term 3, Week 1

32 BEES
Congratulations to Hannan Beale, Alana Dierkx, Kiandra Ward, Benjy Hannan, Teegan Lawrence, Bella Cornelson, Georgia Thompson and Mikayla Howell who were presented with their 32 Bee Award Certificate.

POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING (PBL)
SCHOOL VALUES

BE RESPECTFUL
BE RESPONSIBLE
BE SAFE
BE A LEARNER
Class K/1 News

Class K/1 students have started the new term off happily and are already busy getting on with new work and activities. One of the exciting things happening this term is a whole school performance called the ‘Adelong Public School Circus Show’! Each class is performing two items and K/1 is learning their elephant and lion dances. The costumes for the whole school are being made by some hard working parents and grandparents. A BIG thankyou to them for their assistance.

This Friday the children will start their tennis lessons with Birdie, and they are certainly looking forward to them. It is amazing just how quickly the children learn to hit the ball. At the end of the six lessons one child from the infants and one child from the primary sections are given a new tennis racquet for doing their best and trying hard.

Last Friday at assembly, the K/1 children showed their ‘shelf people’ to the school. They made these people from boxes and that is why they can sit on a shelf by themselves. The children sewed patterns onto hessian for the clothes, and on the arms and legs they sewed buttons for the hands and feet. The heads were made from polystyrofoam balls. Facial features and bright coloured hair were pasted on. They look terrific.

K/1 walk to down town Adelong!

Last term, K/1, Mrs McDonald and Mrs Beattie went on a walk to the main street in Adelong. Photographs were taken of each shop front and building so that a simple map can be constructed in the classroom. We visited some of the shops to take note of the variety of products sold, or the services provided. Thank you to those stores that made us welcome. The children were able to help console a sick puppy at the vet’s and have a brief visit to the museum.

Pictured are the children visiting Lorae at Elders, Megan and Tammie at the Doctors Surgery and Jamie Annetts from Snowy Works & Services.

PERFORMANCE COSTUME SEWING

Thank you to Lorraine McMahon, Bev Buckley and Fiona Annetts who helped today with cutting and sewing for our whole school performance.

The next sewing bee will be next Tuesday 30 July. Even if you are not a sewer there’s cutting out and pinning to be done.
PIE DRIVE REMINDER
If you have forgotten to get your pie orders in, it’s not too late to get your pie orders in. Final day for orders will be this Thursday 25 July.

TERM 3 CANTEEN ROSTER

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Thank you for your help. If there are any problems please contact Kerrie McDonald on 0407 068 603.

P&C GENERAL MEETING
Tonight, Tuesday 23 July at 6.30 pm. All Welcome