P&C Welcome and Afternoon Tea
Thank you to all the familiar and new faces that were able to attend afternoon tea last Friday. It was a great opportunity for new and existing families to meet and mingle with one another. We hope that your relationship with the school continues to strengthen and we look forward to your support and involvement in the future.

University of NSW Competitions
Each year students from Canobolas PS (Yrs 3/6) have the opportunity participate in these academic competitions. They are difficult! But there are usually quite a few Canobolas students who achieve very well. A page with the list of tests and entry fees is attached. The tests are later in the year, but there is an early entry closing date.

OSSA Swimming Carnival
Many Canobolas Students participated in a practice session yesterday in lead up to the Orange Small Schools Association (OSSA) Swimming Carnival next Tuesday 19th February. Thank you to all students and parents who attended. Permission notes and further information are attached to this newsletter for those who have been selected.

NRL Tackles Bullying Player Visit
NRL Development in conjunction with the NRL One Community spoke to all our children last Friday afternoon to promote Rugby League and various key messages with a focus on bullying. It was great to see NRL Panthers stars Lewis Brown, Nigel Plum and Mose Masoe. Our students were all very engaged and we felt the session was very worthwhile

First Assembly
We are looking forward to our first assembly of the year next Wednesday afternoon lead by 5/6 at 2.45. Everyone is welcome.

P&C Annual General Meeting
The P&C Annual General Meeting will be held next Wednesday 20th February at 7.30 in the Old School Building. Everyone is welcome.

Band
For those students that are doing band, we have attached your 2013 statement. These may be paid in full or paid by the term.
CAKE DAY ROSTER

♥THIS WEEK THURS 14TH♥
ANDERSON  BOPPING  DOUGLASS  COLLA

NEXT WEEK THURS 21ST
ASHCROFT  CAMPBELL  GOULD  HALL

Rostered persons need to provide 24 pieces so there is sufficient for all students who wish to make a 50c donation to our World Vision child. Please label your cakes/biscuits/slices with all ingredients due to possible allergies of students. If you are not able to provide baked goodies for your allocated day please remember to swap with someone else or advise Melissa Caulfield on 6360 0141 no later than the Wednesday prior to your day.

IMPORTANT NOTE DUE TO ALLERGIES - The School is NUT FREE and Meringues cannot be accepted THANK YOU!

P&C MEETING

ALL school families are invited to attend the first P&C meeting of 2013 to be held at 7.30pm on the 20th February in the old school building. We encourage all families in the school to attend including existing and new. Your contribution and fresh ideas to future discussions about school fundraising activities or community events will be most valued!

WELCOME AFTERNOON TEA

Thank you to Lyn Stannus for arranging the afternoon tea last week Friday and all the families who attended and kindly brought a long a plate to share.

New students next door checking out our students!! What a great place.
Please come and support your P&C for the students of Canobolas Public School

CANOBOLAS PUBLIC SCHOOL P&C

have pleasure inviting

The School Community

to the first
P&C Meeting for 2013.
This meeting is to held in the
‘Old School Building’
Wednesday 20th February
at 7.30pm.

Please bring a plate so supper can be enjoyed by all.
OSSA SWIMMING CARNIVAL – Tuesday 19th FEBRUARY 2013

Date: Tuesday 19th February 2013 Venue: Orange Aquatic Centre
Time: 8.30 - 8.45am with carnival starting a 9am
Finish: 2.30pm conclusion (estimate)
Admission: Accompanying parents – FREE (no swimming)
Students - $3 (or family season pass)
Officials: Teachers and some parents/community members

PARENTS MUST PROVIDE TRANSPORT TO AND FROM THE CARNIVAL
STUDENTS MUST TAKE THEIR OWN LUNCH AND DRINK
ALSO SUITABLE SUN PROTECTION

Important Information
• The only poor weather event that will cause a re-schedule will be lightning. In the event of poor weather, please listen to 2GZ from 7 am (2GZ 63622144).

• Parents are asked to transport their students to the Orange Pool in the morning. Approximate time for conclusion of Carnival is 2.30 pm. Please make necessary arrangements for your child to go home.

• 2 Teachers from Canobolas Public School will attend as officials – Parents are asked to supervise students in the grandstand

• Shaun and Meg will manage the team. They have the list of events and entries.

• Entry Fees: Students $3 (to be taken to the pool) Accompanying parents – (no swimming Free)

I give permission for my child/children ___________________________ to attend and participate in the Orange Small Schools Swimming Carnival on Tuesday 19th February 2013

Signed: ___________________________________ Date ____________
(Parent/Guardian)

Please return this note by Friday 15th February 2013
UNSW Competitions 2013

Please indicate if you wish your child / children (Years 3 – 6 only) to participate in the UNSW International Competitions.

Payment for your selected competitions **MUST** be returned with this completed form and payment no later than 1st March 2013.

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