**Working Bee**
A big thank you to our small in number but, determined working bees. Last Saturday a hardy band of teachers, parents and students literally move mountains of soil and particularly heavy rocks, in an effort to improve water flow and drainage. Apart from the hard work there was a wonderful energy from all involved as well as a great deal of enthusiasm, negotiation, discussion, creativity and engineering. All the things that provide great role models for our students. Ms Teitzel was one of our best hole diggers!

**Sydney North Dance Festival**
Since last Monday local Public Schools have been performing at the Glen Street Theatre. Congratulations to all our ensembles and the supporting teachers for a wonderful effort. We are all very proud of you!

**Boys’ Dance Group**
To top off a sensational week of dance performances our Boys’ Dance Group took it to another level by winning the Sydney Eissteddfod. The boys, guided by our brilliant choreographer, dance teacher and captain coach, Ms Meredith, energised the Opera House audience with their performance. We are incredibly lucky to have Ms Meredith’s skills and enthusiasm. A big thank to our supporting teachers, Mrs Garmston and the parents for your help and assistance. Well done, one and all!

**The Harbord Public School Almost Spring Fair**
Things are already on the move with the organising committee in full swing. As this is our major fund-raising activity for the year we look forward to everyone getting behind it. The funds raised will enable the school to make much needed improvements to the Garden of Tranquillity. Below is our concept design for the proposed garden’s remediation. The concept design will be on display in the office shortly.

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Semester Break
The staff wish all our students and their families a safe and restful semester break.

REMINDEERS

1. School Development Day: Monday 14th July is our School Development Day for all staff.
2. Students return to school for Term 3 on Tuesday 15th July.

From the Deputy Principal

Extension Studies
Well done to the following students on successfully completing their extension studies program during terms 1 and 2. The students were wonderful representatives of Harbord PS and received glowing reports from the program teachers.

Balgowlah Campus – Finn Harte, Nathan Gartner Simay Celik, Julia Jiang, Riley Schwarz and Oliver Morgan
Freshwater Campus – Darby Young, Grace Riddell, Joe O’Brien and Sean Ealey.
Cromer Campus – Alec McMicking, Tom Busselmann, Sally Oates and Gabrielle Smith.

The following year 6 students have been nominated to attend the semester 2 extension studies program.

Thursday program: Callum McKay and Jasper Saunders.
Freshwater Campus – Wednesday program: Patrick Capell, Rosie Edwards, Mitchell Steer and Sarah O’Kane.
Harbord is not participating in the semester 2 program at Cromer.

Boys Dance Group
The boys secured 1st place at the Sydney Eisteddfod. What a wonderful achievement. A big thank you to Miss Meredith and Mrs Garmston for their amazing work with the boys.
We wish all our dance groups well this week performing at the Glen Street Theatre.

Regional Cross Country
The following students represented Harbord at the recent Regional Cross Country Carnival at Gosford. Jess Colbran, Oliver St Pierre, Stefanie Fejes and Jack Coates. All our representatives performed well with Jack Coates placing 2nd in his division and qualifying for the State Championships to be held at Eastern Creek on July 18th. Well done Jack, Jess, Oliver and Stefanie.

Winter PSSA Sport
Winter PSSA sport is on this Friday 27th June. Winter PSSA sport recommences week 1 in term 3 on Friday 18th July.

Photographs
Thank you parents for having the students well prepared for recent photograph sessions. The standard of school uniform was very pleasing. Many of our cultural groups are in excess of 50 participants and the children cooperated well with the photographer to ensure he also enjoyed the day. Albums of Winter PSSA and Cultural Groups will be on display in the office early in term 3.

End of Term
Thank you to staff, students and parents on another successful term at Harbord PS. We wish all our staff and students a restful and enjoyable holiday period. All students are expected back at school on Tuesday 15th July.

Brian O’Rourke
**Band Benefit Concert**

Sunday 20\textsuperscript{th} July, 3:30pm in the school hall

Help raise money for 14 year old Tiffany who is about to undergo neurosurgery (daughter of our wonderful band teacher Mrs English).

All 5 Harbord School bands to perform as well as ‘The Chalkies’ staff band and St Mary’s ‘A’ Grade Brass Band.

Raffle with loads of prizes, silent auctions, food and drink stalls.

Entry is by donation.

Come and support this worthy cause or donate online at mycause.com.au, Band Together for Tiffany.
Spring Fair 2014
Sunday 31st August

Big thanks to all the families that have brought in chocolate.
After the school holidays we will be requesting Tombola Jars. So get busy during the holidays, if every family can bring in 1-2 filled jars.

How to Make a Tombola Jar

Find some clean jars to fill with:

- Toys (boys or girls)
- Stationery (pens, rubbers, pencils)
- Hair ribbons, scrunchies, clips etc
  - Lego/ toys
- Beads/ string to make a necklace
  - Lollies
  - Little games
  - Chocolates
- Use your imagination to think of other ideas

Then decorate it!!!!!!

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We will be asking for the following items in the new term, so it’s a good excuse for a clean out:

- Good, used books (all types)
- Clean and washed stuffed animals/ bears etc
- Bottles of soft drink and wine/ alcohol

Thanks for your support to make this Spring Fair... Huuuuuge!
**P AND C MEETING TONIGHT**
**WEDNESDAY JUNE 25TH 2014. 7.30PM**
**IN THE STAFFROOM.**
Minutes from last P & C Meeting of May 28th 2014
Available from front office.

**MOVED OR CHANGED DETAILS ???????????**

PLEASE MAKE ANY NECESSARY CHANGES AND LEAVE AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE FOR OUR RECORDS

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TERM DATES

TERM 3  Tuesday, July 15th to Friday, September 19th
TERM 4  Tuesday, October 7th to Wednesday, December 17th

Manly Warringah Basketball Assoc School Holiday Camps plus new After School Comps. Please contact Brad Dalton on 0405 158 598 or bdaltbasketball@optusnet.com.au for further details.

STAR SPORTS CAMPS
Sports Winter Vacation Holiday Program
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WHAT'S ON IN TERM 3 - COURSES/WORKSHOPS FOR PARENTS/CARERS

Tuning in to Kids Course (3-10yrs)
Help your child develop emotional intelligence, manage emotions & deal with conflict.
Chatswood 5wks/2.5hrs (13/8 - 10/9, 7.00-9.30pm)

Triple P (Positive Parenting Program) Course (3-8yrs)
Strategies to encourage desirable behaviour and manage persistent misbehaviour.
Chatswood 7wks - 5 group & 2 telephone (28/7 - 8/9, 7.00 - 9.30pm)

NEW Communicating with Kids Workshop (based on PET) (4-12 yrs)
Communication skills for building effective long term relationships with your children & family.
Chatswood (4/9, 7.00-9.30pm)

Tuning in to Teens Course
Emotional intelligence & communication skills to understand your adolescents' needs & behaviour.
Chatswood 5 wks (12/8 - 9/9, 7.00-9.30pm)

Toddlers Workshops (1-3yrs)
Series of 3 workshops on Discipline, Tucker & Toilet Training, Speech & Sleep
Chatswood 7/8, 14/8 & 21/8 (3 wks/2.5hrs each, 7.00-9.30pm)

Resilient Kids Workshop
Strategies to accept & express feelings, develop optimistic thinking & coping skills
Chatswood (17/9, 7.00-9.30pm)

Dealing with Teen's Backchat Workshop
Learn how to restore a respectful & positive relationship between you & your teenager
Chatswood (5/8, 7.00-9.30pm)

WORKSHOPS ON REQUEST - PHONE 9887 5830 (2-2.5 hours)
★ Understanding Your Toddler/Discipline & Tantrums ★ Transition to School
★ Tucker without Tantrums/Toilet Training ★ Transition to High School
★ Speech & Language Development/Toilet ★ Triple P Seminar Series 1-12 yrs teens
★ Older Sibling - New Baby ★ Communicating with Kids
★ Bully Busting ★ Dealing with Teen's Back Chat
★ Resilient Kids ★ Grand Parenting - Chatswood (15/9)

Enquiries: Child & Adolescent Parenting 9887 5830