There is light at the end of the tunnel with the building works – the temporary buildings have gone and the work is almost complete. There are however a few processes to go through before we lose the fences. The works have to be inspected and handed over to various people before we can get in to them. Hopefully this will be in time for the Trivia Night (Friday 30th July).

There are many opportunities for you to help in your school community at present. Can you please consider how you can help with:-

- The Athletics Carnival
- Canteen on a Friday
- Family Fair – organising / help run a stall, sew, cook, sponsor a stall, donate resources etc
- Photos – dig out your old WPPS school photos, spread the word.

**P&C Meeting**

The next P&C meeting is on Monday 7th June at 7.30pm in the staffroom. Please come and join the discussions about activities and events at school. This is also your forum to discuss issues or concerns you may have, rather than the playground. If you have anything you wish added to the agenda, please email me.

**Athletics Carnival**

Parents are required to help with the whole school carnival on Thursday 24th June. Would you like to help with timing, ribbons, house supervision, novelty races or recording? If you can help, please email Jenny Ekanayake on eka@bigpond.net.au It is another great chance to see what your children are up to and they love to see you there at the finish line timing or supervising high jump or the novelty races for the younger children.

**Canteen** – we need someone to manage the canteen at the carnival and people to roster. Please email me if you would like to do this.

**Program Design Competition** – please encourage your budding artists to enter the competition to design the cover of this year’s program. The details are in the main section of the newsletter.

**Interrelate**

There are two sessions on Friday 28th June
6pm – Session 1 – Where did I come from? Years 3-6
7.15pm – Session 2 – Preparing for Puberty. Years 5 and 6

Please return notes to the blue office box in a labelled envelope. The cost is $15 for one session and $20 for both sessions per family. Please make cheques out to the P&C. If you don’t have the form, just label the envelope clearly.

**School Canteen**

Can you help on a Friday? We need some more people to be on the canteen roster – especially for the end of this term.

We also need people for the emergency roster so the canteen can have all the lunches ready by lunch time – this requires three people on Fridays and one on Tuesdays helping in the canteen. The emergency roster is just that, people who can be called if someone can’t come at the last minute.

If you can help, please email Alison (canteen manager) on alison@asterisk.com.au

**Photos**

Have you looked for old school photos yet? Have you told your friends who went to WPPS that we are looking for photos? We would love to get them in as soon as possible so we can start the collection.

Email or send photos with details, to the Ku-ring-gai Historical Society Inc PO Box 109 Gordon NSW 2072 telephone 9499 4568 or khs@khs.org.au any questions, please contact the Ku-ring-gai Historical Society at khs@khs.org.au or telephone Ann Barry 9499 4568

**MS Read-a-thon**

Put your reading to good use and raise money for people living with MS. Children and adults can participate.

You can read for any 30 days in June, July or August. The online system makes it easy for you to record your books read and collect sponsorship. The books read can be included for both Premier’s Reading Challenge and Readathon.

Visit [www.msreadathon.org.au](http://www.msreadathon.org.au) or call 1300 677 323 for more details. There are flyers available from the library.

**Family Fair**

We are looking for Community Partners to help with the cost of staging the Family Fair. Do you know anyone who could help? There are various levels of packages available, depending on the value of the partnership, to give the Community Partner exposure in the school community through the newsletter and to the wider community at the Fair.

Are you an electrician and can you help out at / with the Fair? If you can, please contact me.

**Parent Business Directory**

The Directory is finally up on the P&C website, so this is the place to look for services you might need. [www.wppspnc.com.au](http://www.wppspnc.com.au)

Would you like to have a listing? If you have a business and you have children at the school, you can put a listing in the directory for just $20.

If you are interested, please send me your details – your name, business name, contact phone and email. Please also include in no more than 25 words describing your business.

**Diary Dates**

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P&C membership - 50c per person per annum
* gives you voting rights at meetings, * covers you under the P&C volunteers insurance policy.
Pay via the canteen or P&C box or direct deposit to P&C account. Why wouldn’t you join?