Dear Parents/Carers,

New Lower Pacific Playground Concept Plan & iPads for learning

One of the School and P&C initiatives this year has been to research and coordinate a playground design for the Lower Pacific Playground. The Lower Pacific Playground is the play area outside the library and at the very front of the school. The Working Party consulted with parents, students from Years 1 & 2 (who are the main users of this area) and with KU Dem Care (who use the area to look after 75 of our children after school). The ideas and requirements that were derived from this consultation group were then included in a design brief, which was forwarded to a landscape architect company. The resulting Concept Plan that we have received has been added to the website in the Latest News section: http://www.nthsyddem-p.schools.nsw.edu.au. While the design is currently out for tender we would like to invite our school community to review this plan. Feedback, suggestions and questions should be directed to myra.janes@det.nsw.edu.au.

Any necessary changes will be made upon the appointment of the builder and works are expected to commence in January 2014.

On behalf of the teachers at the DEM, I would like to thank all of the parents who have made the development of this exciting outdoor area possible through volunteering their time, supporting fund raising initiatives or paying their P&C Contribution for the year. A well designed play area can markedly support children in their social development and also greatly reduces the amount of valuable teaching time spent resolving lunch time issues.

I would also like to take the time to thank our parents for the recent purchase of 50 iPads that will be used in all classes from K-6. A further 50 are due to arrive in February 2014 with teachers currently receiving professional development on how to use these mobile devices to enable children to document and present their understanding of key concepts and to create multi modal texts and film. These 100 mobile devices have also been made possible through the generosity in time and money of our parent community. Thank you!

Health Care Notes

Earlier this term a form was sent home with every child regarding his/her health care needs. This form is mandatory and the school is obliged to have a form for every child enrolled at the school. Even if your child is incredibly healthy and does not suffer from any allergies or illnesses PLEASE return the form ASAP. If your child is leaving at the end of 2013 to attend a private or independent school please return the blank form with ‘leaving for private or independent’ written on it. Please also ensure that your child’s name is written on the form. If you have not returned the form because you are waiting on the Doctor to complete an action plan for your child, please return the otherwise completed form and write on the form that the action plan is still to come.

These forms help us keep the children safe both at school and on excursions. I have spoken to the students and explained that forms need to be in before the end of year excursion on Tuesday 17 December. The form has been sent home a number of times however we do understand that children’s bags can become a “black hole”. If you have not received
or have misplaced the Health care form please download it from the website www.nthsyddem-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/notes-and-forms “Medical information” note. Thank you for your support with this.

**Interested in your child learning Spanish after school?**

A number of parents in the last 18 months have made enquiries about the possibility of an after school Spanish class operating from the school grounds. I have recently been contacted by a Spanish teacher who is available and willing to provide this service. If this is something that you would be interested in for your child in 2014 please send me an email at myra.janes@det.nsw.edu.au . If there are sufficient numbers I am happy to hire a classroom to this after school language provider. Please note that while the school is happy to hire out rooms to approved after school care providers, supervision is not provided by the school and the duty of care remains with the care provider.

**Wanted – General Assistant for Term One**

Our current General Assistant, Bruce Harrison, will be taking leave in 2014. If you, or someone you know, is interested in filling this temporary position in Term One 2013, please contact me at myra.janes@det.nsw.edu.au . Interested applicants will receive a position statement and details of the conditions of employment and will be required to complete an Expression of Interest. The position will commence on Tuesday 28 January 2014.

**2014 Class placements**

The placing of children into their new classes each year is a complex process. Classes at the DEM are not graded academically and each year we strive to ensure that we have well balanced classes. The following factors are considered;

- Gender
- Academic ability
- Language needs
- Medical needs
- Behavioural needs

When this has occurred we then check to ensure that each child has at least one friend in their new class. Children have been asked in the last fortnight to nominate 5 children who they would like to be placed with. The school will then undertake to place each student with at least one of these children. This does not mean they will be placed with their best or closest friends or with their group of friends. In fact often this is not appropriate. Please do not send requests to class teachers or to myself asking for specific teachers for your child as it would not be appropriate or equitable for us to accommodate these requests.

**Exceptional circumstances**

Because of the complexity of this process, class decisions are final. Where there have been exceptional circumstances that have needed to be considered classroom teachers have completed a learning support referral form (*Exceptional circumstances impacting class placement*). Parents wishing to initiate this process were asked in the Week 6 Newsletter to request that their child’s teacher complete this form if they felt it was necessary. This request was due by Friday 22nd November, 2013. In addition to this referral form, parents may also email me the details of their child’s exceptional circumstances at myra.janes@det.nsw.edu.au . The Learning Support Team will then review these requests. For children to be deliberately separated or placed together there needs to be clear evidence supporting the impact of this decision on the child’s academic and emotional development.

**End of Year Festival**

One more sleep to go until our End of Year Festival. Please read the latest information in this newsletter.

See you there!!!

Myra Wearne Principal
Dem News and Notices

Congratulations 5SS!
5SS decided they would like to fund raise to buy a gift from OXfam unwrapped which supports people around the world who have significant needs. The class raised $142 which was enough to buy a goat family and a flock of chooks. They are very proud of their efforts.

From the Tuck Shop …last day for lunch orders: Monday 16 December
The last day to order lunches will be Monday 16 December 2013. The Tuck Shop will not be open on Tuesday 17 or Wednesday 18 December 2013 (Tuesday and Wednesday in the last week of school). Thanks to all the families who used the Tuck Shop throughout 2013.
Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays!!
Craig, Karen & Peta

Tree of Joy – please return gifts by Friday 13 December 2013
The Chatswood Rotary Club Tree of Joy gift tags will be placed onto the Christmas tree in the Office Foyer today, Thursday 28 November.
Please supervise children so that they only take a gift tag if you are actually able to provide the requested gift.
Please return gifts to the tree/School Office by Friday 13 December 2013.
Thank you in advance for supporting the Tree of Joy!

2014 NSW Transport Passes – please return forms by Tuesday 10 Dec 2013
Students who are eligible for a transport pass who have changed their address in 2013 and all students in Year 2 2013 who are eligible to receive a free transport pass must re-apply for a transport pass for 2014.

2014 Transport application forms have been sent home with those students who are eligible to receive a transport pass and who need to reapply.

Please note: Eligible students in Years 3-6 in 2014 must live more than 1.6km from the School to receive free bus/train passes in 2014.

Please return completed 2014 Transport application forms to the School Office before 10 December 2013 to ensure that your pass will arrive early in 2014.
FABStar! Features

FABStar! is an initiative to recognise positive behaviours in the playground.

Two FABStar! slips (one from K-2, one from 3-6) were drawn from all the students who received FABStar! slips in recognition of their positive behaviours on the playground last week.

The K-2 Fabstar recipients for this week are Kodhi & Rion from 2HF who showed wonderful, sensible behaviour to support their friend during a soccer game at lunch time. When they realised their friend was hurt, they signalled to stop the game and helped him from the field. Well done boys for being so responsible and caring.

(Photo to be published next week)

This week’s 3-6 Fabstar is Angus from Year 4 who supported and comforted a younger student who was distressed. Thank you Angus.
Premier's Reading Challenge Certificates are almost here! Congratulations to the 475 students who have successfully completed this year's Premier's Reading Challenge. The certificates in recognition for your outstanding achievement are ready to be dispatched to you by the end of next week. Keep your eyes open!

It's that time of the year again! Please return Library Books. Thank you for continually helping your child to return their books. Next week in week 10 we will be conducting our annual stocktake in the library. To ensure a successful stocktake we would greatly appreciate it if all books can be returned to the library by the end of week 9 (this week).

Last week our Drama Club students had the opportunity to interview a couple of the recent Alice in Wonderland cast members. A big thank you to Belle Howard (Mad Hatter) and Cecilia Lam (Queen of Hearts) for taking the time to come to the Drama Club to talk to our members. During the interview our members gained an insight into acting and some helpful tips to overcome stage fright, all of which will come in handy for their future reference.

Talent Fest 2013

Students will soon be provided with an opportunity to demonstrate their talents as Talent Fest is nearly upon us! This year we will be continuing with the same format as last year. Students register to perform in Talent Fest 2013 with their class teacher. Performers may register in 1 act only and performances are to be no longer than one and a half minutes. Grade heats will be held during class time towards the end of the term. SRC Representatives from a different grade will judge the performances. Parents are invited to attend. Heat and final dates will be communicated through the Dem Newsletter and on the school website. The final will take place in week 11. We look forward to watching the performances!

The schedule for performances is as follows:

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The End of Year Festival hosted by the P&C will be held on Friday 6 December with performances starting at 4pm.

A note has gone home with every child this week explaining what time and where they will need to meet their teachers on Friday afternoon. The meeting time and place information for each Year group will be confirmed on the school website on Friday 6 December in the Latest News section http://www.nthsyddem-p.schools.nsw.edu.au .

After their performance children will be escorted through the Pacific Building by their teacher. Please collect your children promptly from the area behind the Kindergarten demountable (KTH).

Parents are requested to ensure appropriate supervision arrangements are made for children between the end of school and the commencement of the concert i.e. from 2:55pm to 4:00pm.

Grandstand and Demcare will not be taking children to the performance. If your child attends Grandstand or Demcare you will need to pick them up to ensure they don’t miss out. If it is impossible to pick up your children personally, please speak to Demcare and organise for a friend to pick them up. It would be very sad for anyone to miss out on the performance.

We look forward to seeing everyone on Friday 6 December 2013 to celebrate another successful year at North Sydney Demonstration School.
**BAND NEWS**

**Date for Your Diary:**
- **Friday 6 December** End of Year BBQ – all bands performing, 4pm start

**Last Band Rehearsals for 2013:**
- Intermediate Band Wed 4 Dec
- Senior Band Thu 5 Dec
- Junior Band Fri 6 Dec

**End of Year BBQ**

*All three bands* will perform at the start of the end of year BBQ on **Friday, 6 December**. The first performance will commence at **4pm sharp**, however students are required to be at school by 3.45pm to ensure all bands are organised and ready to play by 4pm. An information note with further details will be provided to students prior to the event. Parent volunteers to assist with the set up will be greatly appreciated. Please email Melissa Lanigan if you are able to assist.

**Junior Band Recruitment**
The recruitment process for the 2014 Junior Band is now underway, with applications open to all students who will be in **Year 3 or above** next year. Submissions can be made online at [www.directionsinmusic.com.au](http://www.directionsinmusic.com.au), and are due by **this Friday**. If you have any questions regarding the band program, please contact Leah at Directions in Music on 9662 2211.

**Position vacant!**
At this point, the 2014 Senior Band does not have a keyboard player. The keyboard plays an important role in reinforcing the bass line in a piece of music, so we would ideally like to fill this "position vacant". If your child will be in Year 5 or 6 next year and plays the piano (passed at least AMEB Grade 1 or equivalent), we would like to hear from you. Playing in a band is an excellent way to consolidate musical skills, and to have a lot of fun. Please contact Melissa Lanigan to discuss this opportunity.

**Enquiries**
Band Committee Secretary, Melissa Lanigan **MELISSA.LANIGAN@det.nsw.edu.au**

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**TheDem Community News**

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- **Carols under the Bridge** - Sat 14 December 2013 from 5pm at Bradfield Park, Kirribilli. Activities for children, food stalls, a jazz band and then the main event a great night singing Christmas Carols at 7:30pm – all under the Harbour Bridge in Kirribilli. Church by the Bridge.

- **Carols on the Hill** - Sat 14 December 2013 at St Thomas' Anglican Church, Cnr Church & McLaren Streets, North Sydney. This is a relaxed family event with face painting and a sausage sizzle in the church grounds from 5pm and carols beginning at 6pm. Hope you can make it! Contact the church office on 8908 4800 if you have any queries.

- **China Night Concert** – Tues Feb 11 2014 8pm in the Concert Hall of the Sydney Opera House. [http://www.cn- au.org/](http://www.cn-au.org/)
Your family is invited to The Dem P&C’s famous

End of Year Festival

Friday 6 December 2013 – now 4.00pm to 9pm

Remember to bring enough cash – as there are no ATM or credit card facilities at the festival

Amazing performances! Please note that the festival is now commencing at 4pm with wonderful musical performances. From 4.30pm each year group will perform a spectacular dance routine. All of this fantastic entertainment will happen in the Pacific playground.

Awesome rides! Sales of pre-paid all night rides passes have now closed and collection of these passes has commenced. On the afternoon of the festival you can purchase all night rides passes for $25, single rides tickets for $5 and the special Pre-schoolers Haven Rides Only All Night Passes for $5. Please see All Night Rides Passes page for more information.

Cool disco! It’s free, all-ages, in the Pacific playground and there’ll even be a bubble machine!

Delicious food! We’ve added a Fantastic Fish stall and a Yummy Nachos stall – yay! If you love a classic sausage sizzle you’ll be happy indeed as there are two barbecues offering sausages on rolls and greek salad. The Tuck Shop is doing their delicious filled baked potatoes too! Perhaps the authentic Indian cuisine will be your choice? One thing is for sure – a visit to our sweet treat stall is definitely a must!
As it’s a ‘children’s event’ there will be no alcohol served, as directed by the DEC.

Fund-raising raffle! A book of 10 x $2 raffle tickets was sent home to each family. Remember you need to return the stubs with the money to your child’s teacher by this Thursday. You can purchase more tickets at the festival – look out for the Raffle Tickets stall! Please see the Fundraising Raffle page for news on the wonderful prizes and donors.

Please help!

Volunteer to be a festival helper It’s not too late to join the fun and volunteer to do a shift. Please read the Become a Festival Volunteer page to see how easy it is to sign up.

Bake! (or buy!) At each festival we ask families to consider having some fun together in the kitchen baking (or fun at the store buying!) delicious slices, muffins, cookies and of course everyone’s favourites - cupcakes! Single serve goodies are the best for us to sell. On Monday we handed out eight cake boxes to each class, so not every student got one. The reason we handed out a limited number is if we gave one to every family we’d end up with way too many goodies! Extra boxes were available at the Stay and Play table that afternoon for anyone who missed out but really wanted one. Never mind if you didn’t get one but still want to donate some goodies! You’re very welcome to bring in sweet treats using any disposable plates or containers. On Friday we’ll have special tables set up in the McHatton Building so all the wonderful sweet treats can be dropped there before school. Please ensure every item you donate is PEANUT-FREE and TREENUT-FREE. Thanks!
The Dem P&C’s famous End of Year Festival

All Night Rides Passes

The exciting big rides will be located as usual in the Upper McHatton playground. On the soccer pitch in front of the Haven Building where the Year 1 classrooms are located, there will be the Haven Rides - more gentle rides especially for the younger children.

We’re very happy to announce special ‘Haven Rides Only – All Night Passes’ exclusively for pre-schoolers.

Sales of pre-paid all night rides passes have now closed. Please note there is a new method for getting your pre-paid All Night Rides Passes as they will no longer be delivered to students in their classrooms.

You can collect pre-paid passes at the following times from a special table outside the McHatton Building

Wednesday 4 December:
8.20am to 9.10am. Then again from 2.30pm to 3.15pm

Thursday 5 December:
8.20am to 9.10am. Then again from 2.30pm to 3.15pm.

Friday 6 December:
8.20am to 9.10am only

Or you can collect pre-paid passes on the afternoon of the festival from the Rides Stall - open from 2.30pm

Please line-up in the Collect Pre-Paid Rides Passes queue

You can also purchase passes on the afternoon of the festival from the Rides Stall – open from 2.30pm

Please line-up in the Purchase Rides Passes Here queue

Payment is by cash only

All Night Rides passes $25
Single ride tickets $5
Haven Rides Only – All Night Passes for pre-schoolers $5
C’mon! There’s still time to put your name down to ...

become a festival volunteer

All volunteers will enjoy reserved front row seats to watch their children’s performances

To show her appreciation for their strong school spirit, Ms Wearne has organised this fantastic seating for all festival volunteers!

This event can only keep running each year if lots of parents and carers volunteer a little of their time. We still need volunteers – particularly with set-up and pack-down.

There are still various volunteer shifts you can choose from within the following timeframes:

1.45pm to 3pm Set-up for the event – so doing things like putting up the tents, assembling the tables, bringing out the chairs, firing up the BBQs.

3.30pm to 9pm Working on the stalls - helping to prepare or cook food, serve customers re-stock merchandise, raffle ticket sales, ride pass sales and collection.

From 9pm Pack-down of the event – tidying up, getting everything back in it’s place.

We’re continuing to use an online tool to organise the roster, VolunteerSpot.com. It allows everyone to view the shifts available and sign up for what they want to do. It’s really easy - you don’t need to open an account or join anything. Importantly, your contact details aren’t shared with anyone except the festival organisers. Here’s how it works:

Step # 1. Type http://vols.pt/xCLJgf into your browser to go to VolunteerSpot.com
Enter your email address, repeat it, press submit.

Step # 2. Click the orange ‘Sign Up!’ button on the shift you want.

Step # 3. Type in your name and mobile phone number and then press save. That’s it!

The P&C email address is: thedempc@gmail.com

Please contact us with any questions or if you experience problems.
If want to volunteer but don’t want to use the online tool please send your name, email address, mobile number and the shift you want and we’ll book your shift for you.
The Dem P&C Fund-raising Raffle!

A book of raffle tickets was sent home to all families with the festival info pack last month. Please try to sell all the tickets to family and friends or just buy the lot yourselves - you’ve got to be in it to win it! Remember - the ticket stubs must be returned to your child’s teacher along with the money by this Thursday. If you want to purchase more tickets, they will be for sale at the festival until 6.45pm - just look out for the Raffle Ticket stall. The draw will take place in the school hall at 7.00pm, all are welcome to witness. The winners will be announced at 7.30pm. Here’s the list of wonderful prizes!

Beautiful patchwork quilt made by and kindly donated by Dem parent Martine Bruce – priceless!

Sweetheart Cottage dollhouse by Le Toy Van gift from Dem parent Marianne Schmidt - $199 value

Marvellous Mini ipads from McGrath Neutral Bay - $600 value each – two to be won!

Christmas tree from 1st North Sydney Scouts - $90 value

Golf umbrellas and golf bag from McCarroll’s Automotive Group & Lexus of Chatswood - $200 value

Three one-day unlimited rides passes from Luna Park - $135 value

One term of children’s drama classes from Freestyle Drama North Sydney - $170 value

Four adult tickets to visit Taronga Zoo from Presence of IT North Sydney - $176 value

Five $10 vouchers for yummy frozen yoghurt or coffee from Yogurccino Crows Nest - $50 value

A meal voucher from Greenwood Chinese Restaurant North Sydney - $50 value

One term of children’s yoga classes from Kidd’s Yoga Crows Nest - $130 value

Two night’s accommodation including breakfast at the McLaren Hotel North Sydney - $420 value

One month membership from Fitness First North Sydney - $100+ - two to be won!

Cool, ergonomically-designed ByK Bike from Bike Bug North Sydney – up to $500 value

Three hour chocolate-making class for two from Sydney Chocolate School - $300 value

Super fun Art Splatter Party for group of 10 from 4Cats Art Studio North Sydney - $225 value

Maths lessons from Abacus Mathematics Centre Chatswood - $200 value

Really cool MGP Scooter from Rebel Sport Westfield Chatswood - $170 value

Group of 10 people to slide for two hours of fun from Manly Waterworks - $170 value

Dinner for two from Uncorked Restaurant, The Union Hotel, North Sydney - $100 value

Delicious hamper of chocolates from Ferrero - $80 value

Wonderful hamper from Faber-Castell - $150+ value

Lunch voucher for yummy meal from Pekish, North Sydney - $40 value

Awesome Giant Slinky from Professor Plums, Crows Nest - $35 value

Beautiful summer dress and scented candle from a very kind anonymous donor

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St Thomas’ Preschool is a Christian Preschool which caters for 27 children a day.

We have four qualified staff which means we are above the ratio required and therefore provide a higher quality of care.

We prepare the children for school.

We have limited vacancies in our two day programme (Thursday and Friday) for 2014.

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Awaken the dancer within your child from Yrs K-6!

Enrol your children for 2014 dance classes run by CentreStage Academy in the Dem school hall.

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Tennis Hot Shots, Multi Sports & Activity Camp

For kids aged 5–12 years

SPECIAL OFFER JOIN FOR ANY 5 DAYS AT CAMP & RECEIVE THE PUPIL FREE DAY FREE!

NEW Multi Sports Highlights

Tuesday 21 January: Full day conducted at Willoughby Leisure Centre for swimming (inflatables), plus multi-sport outdoor activities.
Friday 24 January: Full day conducted at Tunks Park for multi-sport outdoor activities, bushwalking, ultimate frisbee, Teddy Bear’s Picnic, plus optional 45 minute Kayak Intro with qualified instructor Laura Stone for 8+ year olds. Contact Laura or Tina regarding details on Kayak option.

Tennis Hot Shot & Multi Sports Program

Smaller courts, lighter racquets and low compression balls that make learning tennis fun, easy and perfect for primary school-aged children. Learn ball skills and ball sense in a range of additional multi sports and activities. Loads of games based challenges. A great way to keep kids fit & healthy these holidays!

CAMP LOCATIONS

RTC: Ridge St. Tennis Centre (above car park)
Level 2, 37 Ridge Street, North Sydney
AC: Anzac Club Tennis Courts
Anzac Avenue, Cammeray
WLC: Willoughby Leisure Centre
Small Street, Willoughby
TP: Tunks Park, Brothers Ave., Cammeray

WHAT TO BRING

DAILY*
- Sunscreen
- Hat
- Morning Tea
- Lunch
- Afternoon Tea
- Drink Bottle
- Racquet if you have one.

TUES 21 JAN, 2014
- Daily*, except racquet, plus swimmers and towel. Drop off & pick up from Willoughby Leisure Centre.

FRI 24 JAN, 2014
- Daily*, except racquet, plus Teddy Bear & Picnic Plate to share. Drop off & pick up from Tunks Park.

REGISTRATION & PAYMENTS

Please return this form & payment to Have 4 Sports, 34 Harden Avenue, Northbridge 2063, or via email to tina.s.gibson@gmail.com. Internet Banking Details: BSB 082 401, Account No. 82 225 2717, Account Name Have 4 Sports, Reference Child’s Name (Camp).

Please indicate your choices by ticking the box ✔

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Child’s Name: _______________________________________ Age: _____ DOB: ___________
Address: ____________________________________________ Post Code: _________
Parent’s Name: ______________________________________ Email: ___________________
Contact Phone: ___________________________ Payment Method: Cash ☐ Cheque ☐ Direct Deposit ☐

Allergies/Special Notes:

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