**P&C NEWS**

**Ride2School**
It was wonderful to watch the display of blinged bikes, scooters, shoes and hats rolling into the top playground on Wednesday morning. We witnessed some amazing and creative, though not necessarily functional, designs.

These events only happen with an enormous amount of behind the scenes effort and there are a few people who need to be recognised for making this event happen. A huge thank you to Iain “granny” Martin and Sandra Kemp - the key organisers who made it happen.

- Richard Byrne and Sandra Kemp for mixing the pancake batter.
- David McAuley for getting the gear organised for us and packing up.
- Daria Harnett and Sandra Kemp who washed up as well.
- Our awesome pancake flippers and servers
- Ms O’Neill and her team who were there very early setting up and then wrangled the students into class on time at 9am!

As always it is a pleasure working with all of you and well worth the effort it to see so many children involved in the experience, filling up on pancakes and fruit and showing us their best manners.

**Election Day BBQ**
With only days to go before the NSW State Election on 26th March, we are still in need of volunteers for the BBQ and cake stall. We need people to:

- collect supplies the day before
- set-up from 7am on Saturday morning
- Cook sausages, bacon, eggs, veggie patties, and onions
- Slice and wrap rolls
- Set-up and sell cakes

There is a job for everyone! If you are able to help for a little time or a lot of time please do! Volunteer lists are in the foyer at school please add your name and we will contact you by Thursday to confirm times or contact Haryana 0421 867 180 / haryana@dhillon-pack.net

**Do you have a tray?** If you have a tray with handles you can bring along for the day that would be fantastic. There are always voter queues at Erko and with trays we can sell food along the queue (a captive market so to speak).

**Australia’s most Creative Cake Stall**
Once again we are calling on all of our creative bakers and decorators to bring some cakes, biscuits and other goodies along for us to sell on Saturday. Cakes can be dropped off to the school on Friday or delivered throughout the day on Saturday. IF you are bringing something along, please remember to bring a list of ingredients as well. Can’t wait to see what new and exciting creations there will be!
**Erkowiz – a party for parents**

Are you a repository for rock music trivia? Fancy yourself as the next Julia Zemiro? Or do you just like a chance to have a bit of a wiggle on the dance floor? If you answered yes to any of these questions, then **ERKOWIZ** is the event for you!

**ERKOWIZ** is at heart a party for parents fusing RocKwiz (the SBS rock trivia program), clash of the rock music titans, trivia night and a good old “disco”. It will take place in term 2 and we need to get our skates on to organise it. If you would like to help please contact Jill on 0414926928 or Jill.Dures@shineaustralia.com, there are a few people who are already volunteering to help but the more the merrier!

**Garden news**

WOW – what a boost the garden received last week with the City of Sydney Council donating more than 100 plants from the Living City displays around the Queen Victoria Building to our school. Kate organised a Gardening Bee for last Friday afternoon to get the plants into the ground.

**Garden Committee**

We are in the process of setting up a garden committee to share the responsibility of managing the P&C input into the garden. If you are interested in being involved please contact Haryana Dhillon on either 0421 867 180 or Haryana@dhillon-pack.net or Kate Low on 0419 295 601 or lowbyrne@bigpond.net.au. We will collate and get interested people together for a meeting before the end of term. Enthusiasm but not experience required!

**P&C meeting**

Just incase you missed the contact details of the P&C Executive for 2011, they are listed below:

- **President**      Haryana Dhillon 0421 867 180 haryana@dhillon-pack.net
- **Vice-Presidents** Sarah Alden 0410867682 sarahalden@hotmail.com  Catherine Chesterman 0431 663359 chesterman.c@gmail.com
- **Secretary**       Sandra Kemp 0410331685 skemp3@optusnet.com.au
- **Treasurers**      Jill Dures 0414926928 Jill.Dures@shineaustralia.com  Sophie Gaudry 0402 206 048 Sophie.gaudry@anz.com

The next P&C meeting will be at 6.30pm Tuesday 29th March in the Tom Bass Learning Centre. Hope to see you there.