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### Small Schools’ Swimming Carnival- on Monday

We had a great day at the Small Schools’ Swimming Carnival on Monday at Beresfield Pool. We sincerely thank Mt Kanwary P.S. for organising the day and ensuring the rain hit us just after the presentation—great timing! As a result the following students will be representing our school at the Zone Swimming Carnival being held at Maitland Pool next Wednesday 27th February.

- Emma Summerville- 11 yrs freestyle; 11 yrs backstroke
- Amy Summerville- junior girls backstroke
- Lachlan Lidbury- 8 yrs freestyle
- Tom Irwin- 10 yrs freestyle
- Kimberley Clements- 9 yrs freestyle
- Liam Kell- 11 yrs breaststroke; 11 yrs freestyle
- Chelsie Lucas- 10 yrs freestyle

### Vision Screening - Reminder

Kindergarten students are being given the opportunity for a FREE vision screening. Permission notes were sent home last week. Please return them to school before Wednesday 27th February if you would like your child screened. Mrs Mahony has spares in the office if yours has gone missing.

### Class Meetings

This year each class will be organising class meetings to explain how “each class works” and to clarify some understanding about expectations from each teacher. It is also an opportunity for all families to ask questions so everyone better understands the education of their own child at our school. **Miss Bath will be holding her K/1 class meeting next Wednesday afternoon at 3.15 in her classroom.**

### Maitland Saints Australian Football Club

Registration Day
Sunday February 24, 2013 - 10am to 2pm
Max McMahon Oval, Weblands Street, Rutherford
For boys aged 4 to 17, girls aged 4 to 14 - Sunday games
Come and try a great new game in the Maitland area
All welcome
Enquiries to [www.maitlandsaints.org.au](http://www.maitlandsaints.org.au)
**Soccer Years 3-4—final reminder**
Years 3 and 4 have been invited to play in a soccer gala day on Friday 15th March at Gresford. The expression of interest needs to be returned **AS SOON AS POSSIBLE** to allow us to register.

**Cleanup Australia Day**
We will be participating in the national Schools Cleanup Day on Friday 1st March. We will be involved from 10.30 -11.30 that morning. We have the cleanup bags for the day, but all children will need to wear some gardening gloves - so please ensure your child brings a pair to school on the day. Parents are welcome to assist us. The K-2 students will be cleaning up around the school grounds, with the 3-6 children cleaning up along Paterson Road and around Woodville Hall. Please ensure all permission notes for those children cleaning along the road (3/4/5/6) are brought in on time, otherwise they will join in with the younger students.

**Star Struck Practices**
All Star Struck dancers are reminded that our practices are tomorrow at 8.00am, next Friday at 8.00 am and the following Tuesday at 8.00 am.

**School Council Meeting**
We will be holding our first School Council Meeting for 2013 next Wednesday 27th February at 2.00 Our Council members will the same as 2012—Sarah Bayley, Pat Lannen, Debbie Clements and myself.

**Mrs Crow’s Anniversary**
Last Tuesday 19th February was the anniversary of the passing of Mrs Crow, our former, much loved School Administration Manager. I’m sure some prayers and thoughts can be extended to her family during this week remembering her contributions to our school over many years.

**Newsletter**
There are still quite a few families that have not responded to our newsletter request. If you have not already done so can you please return the slip below.

**Policies & Emergency Contacts**
We are still waiting on quite a few signed policies and emergency contact details updates. If you haven’t already returned these please do so ASAP. If you require another copy see Mrs Mahony in the office.

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**Singleton Horse Sports Day**
will be held on Friday 17th May 2013

**Clean – Up Australia Day**
I give permission for my child /ren ………………………………to clean up along Paterson Rd and around Woodville Hall on Friday 1st March 2013.

Signed: ………………………………………………………………….. Date: ………………………………………………….
Newsletter

The ....................................................family would like to receive their newsletter by Email, our email address is:-________________ ____________________

☐ Paper Copy

☐ I will read direct from the website

Signed:_______________________  Date:_____________________

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Years 3 & 4 Soccer

My Child ................................................................. would like to play in the 5 aside gala day at Gresford on Friday 15th March.

Signed: __________________________________________