

# AMAROO UPDATE

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## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- March 6<sup>th</sup> School Banking  
March 11<sup>th</sup> School Council  
March 12<sup>th</sup> Assembly  
March 16<sup>th</sup> P&C AGM 7pm  
General Meeting 7:30pm  
March 17<sup>th</sup> Junior Water Fun Day  
Years 1-3, 10am to 2pm

## DEPUTY NEWS

### HEADLICE

Amaroo is involved in the Nitzblitz program to try and reduce the cases of headlice amongst our students. Thank you to the Nitzblitz volunteers for the great job that they do. Head lice (Nits) like to live in clean hair. Over the past two weeks, a number of children have been sent home with live head lice. If live lice are found, parents are contacted and children are sent home to be treated, to return the following day.

When your children return to school, please ensure you have completed the bottom of the notification letter stating the treatment that was used.

When a student is sent home with head lice, the classroom teacher will give every student in the class a Head Lice Notification letter. These measures are in place to try and eradicate, as best we can, head lice in our school. We would really appreciate it if you could regularly check your child/ren's hair and if necessary administer the appropriate treatment.

I hope you have a lovely week.

Sarah Dunbar-Stuart

## Pastoral Care

### SCHOOL COUNCIL

#### NOMINATIONS

This year we are looking for parents who are interested in being on the School Council. This is an important part of our school as it is the council which looks at all policy decisions and consults on issues such as school plans and budgets. If you are interested in being on the School Council please nominate by filling in the form supplied. We are going to need five parent representatives.

#### NOMINATION FOR PARENT REPRESENTATIVES ON THE SCHOOL COUNCIL FOR 2009

I \_\_\_\_\_  
nominate for a position on the School  
Council.

Signed : \_\_\_\_\_

Date : \_\_\_\_\_

### ACTIVE AFTER-SCHOOL COMMUNITIES PROGRAM

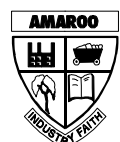
Active After School Sports still has places available for students interested in participating. Forms can be collected at the front office. There will be one small change starting next week, the year 5 and 6 students will participate on Wednesday afternoon instead of the usual Thursday. All times will stay the same.

Darianne Chisholm  
Coordinator



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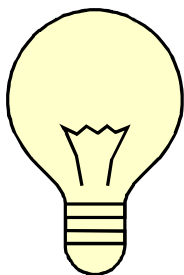


## COUNCILLORS NEWS FUNDRAISER

We are fortunate to have the opportunity to sell environmentally friendly light globes for the benefit of our community, kindly donated by Worsley Alumina.

### FOR SALE

Energy Efficient light globes (bayonet style) 11W (equivalent to 60W globe). Maximum of 4 per family at \$3.00 each while stocks last. We do have a limited number for sale.



Please complete your order form from the Newsletter and return them to the office.

### ASSEMBLY

Our next Assembly for this year will be held on Thursday, 12<sup>th</sup> March commencing at 9:00am. Our Student Councillors will be hosting this event.

Parents and friends are most welcome to come along. *Please remember to turn off your mobile phones and listen carefully at all times.*

### VICTORIAN BUSH FIRE APPEAL

Thank you to all the parents and staff who supported the appeal for toiletries. Two very large boxes have now been forwarded to Victoria.

**Lilian and Colleen  
Amaroo Kindergarten**

### SUNNIES FOR SIGHT

Last Friday, 27<sup>th</sup> February, Amaroo Primary School raised funds for 'International Centre for Eyecare Education' through a 'Sunnies For Sight Day'. Many thanks to all the students who participated, we raised \$215.00.

**Janet Gemignani**

### Coordinator

## SCHOOL BANKING

Our next school banking day will be Friday, 6<sup>th</sup> March 2009. Students need to bring their bank books and money to the office by 11:30am.

## UNIFORM SHOP

Our Uniform Shop operates on Thursday and Friday mornings from 8:45am to 9:30am.

## CANTEEN NEWS

### Term One

Canteen phone number is 9734 5677.

Thursday	5 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Sonia Marshall
Friday	6 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Lorraine Dowey
Monday	9 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Leonie Turley
Tuesday	10 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Caroline Fitzgerald
Wednesday	11 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Kathy Aram
Thursday	12 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Sonia Marshall
Friday	13 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Fiona Stone
Monday	16 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Sarah Rowlands
Tuesday	17 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Jenny McCafferty
Wednesday	18 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Sue Barrett
Thursday	19 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Sonia Marshall
Friday	20 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Sonia Stone

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### MUSIC WORK SHOP

Collie Country Music Club will be bringing Vicki Lee 2008 female vocalist and Billy Higginson 2008 male vocalist to Collie on Saturdays once a month to hold workshops for all ages. For more information and bookings phone Wally on 9734 5363.



### COLLIE CRAFT CENTRE

Classes are now available for Sculpey Clay on Friday from 3:45pm to 5:15pm. Enquiries can be made by phoning 9734 5020. We need 4 or more people to participate for classes to go ahead.



## COLLIE JUNIOR SOCCER

Collie Junior Soccer Registration Day for the following age groups 5 – 16 years for teams and 11-16 years for travelling teams, will be held on March 6<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> at Roche Park club rooms from 3:15pm – 4:30pm. All players need to attend or obtain a registration form from the school office and return to the office or Nicole Broomhead. Season starts 2<sup>nd</sup> May and fees need to be paid by this date.

## ENERGY EFFICIENT LIGHT BULB ORDER FORM



### Amaroo Primary School Energy Efficient Light Bulb Order Form

**Family Name:** .....

**Room No:** .....

(light bulbs will be send home with the eldest in the family)

**Quantity: (Max 4 per Family) .....**  
**at \$3.00/bulb**

**Amount enclosed \$.....**

**Please return orders to the Office.**

## AMAROO PLAYGROUP

**Have you got a child or children under five years old?**

Amaroo Primary School will be holding a playgroup for interested parents and children aged from 0-4 years, commencing in Term 2. Playgroup offers babies, toddlers and young children a stimulating environment to play and learn. It's a great place for your child to make sense of their world, form new friendships and develop social skills. Playgroup also gives mums, dads, grandparents and caregivers a chance to meet to share ideas and experiences.

Playgroup will be held every Friday morning from 9am to 11am at Koolbardi Kindy. If you are interested in attending the Amaroo Playgroup please fill out the form below and leave these details at the Amaroo school office. For more information please contact Taryn Battista on Friday's ph: 9734 1777.

All are welcome.

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### Amaroo Playgroup

Child's Name	Age

**Parent's Name**

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**Contact number/s:**

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