National Walk Safely to School Day
Last Friday, twenty-four students met Mrs Green at the end of Dora Street to walk to school and promote this annual event which encourages physical activity and walking safely in our community. Almost one quarter of the school participated and walked to school on a crisp, but sunny Friday morning. This is the second year Dora Creek have participated in this national school program which is promoted extensively in the national media. Thank you Mrs Green for organising this occasion. Next year let’s make it even bigger when we walk further through the streets of Dora Creek, picking up school students along the way.

Kindergarten-Year 6 Buddy Reading
A fantastic program is currently in full swing where our senior students in 5/6B spend time with younger students, mentoring vital skills to enhance reading, comprehension and early literacy. This program promotes real connections between our senior and junior students, making a positive contribution to the well-being of all of our students. Please have a look at photos over the page.

Welcome Back
Last week we welcomed our painted rhino back from Taronga Zoo. Currently he is standing guard in the foyer. Over the next few weeks he will travel around the classrooms spending time in each room. He will be utilised as a writing stimulus and students will have the opportunity to offer a name that would fit his character. He is photographed here with all his “mates” in front of Taronga Zoo. Can you find him? Don’t they all look wonderful together.

Mrs M Warham
Principal
School Disco
A school disco will be held at for all students Kinder - Year 6 at the Dora Creek Workers Club on Tuesday June 3 from 5.30pm - 7.00pm. Entry is $5.00 per child (includes a packet of chips and a drink). Funds raised will be used to support school projects.

School Contributions
Government funds provide the basic framework for our resources. However, we rely on parent contributions to provide additional items. School contributions at our school are $10.00 per child per term. Payment of school contributions is greatly appreciated.

Expression of Interest Norta Norta Program Tutor Morisset Community of Public Schools
Expressions of interest are being sought from individuals interested in tutoring Aboriginal students for the Norta Norta Program. The successful applicants will be placed on an eligibility list for future possible employment at local Morisset Community of Public Schools. The Norta Norta Program provides targeted support for Aboriginal students to accelerate progress in student achievement. Applications close 3.30pm on Wednesday 25th June, 2014. All enquiries to Mark Kyrwood 49731435

COMMUNITY NEWS
Low income families, pensioners and Centrelink recipients are invited to get bargains on food and frozen foods every Thursday 9am - 11.30am at Southlake Marketplace, 41 Yambo Street, Morisset. Free bread, fruit and vegetables are also available.

A morning looking at the ecology and Indigenous history of the Burwood Beach, Glenrock Conservation Area will be conducted by the Trees in Newcastle group on May 31st. The walkers will meet at 9am in the Merewether Baths Carpark. To register contact 49691 500 (Trees in Newcastle).

ANAPHYLAXIS PRECAUTIONS - REMINDER
Please DO NOT send peanut butter or nut products to

P&C / CANTEEN NEWS
Wednesday June 4 - Meal Deal 1 - $5.50 (funds raised from this meal deal supporting Stewart House accommodation)

Canteen Roster
Friday May 30 - Cheryl/Kristy P
Wednesday June 4 - Meal Deal - Mr Snedden