



# White Cliffs Public School

## Newsletter

### Monday 5th September 2011

#### The White Cliffs Flash!

Well done to Melinda Ryan who came 2nd in the 8 year old girls 100m at the Barrier Athletics Carnival on Friday 2nd September. Melinda's time was faster than at the Broken Hill Carnival - and she was only just beaten by the girl she beat last time. Hopefully Melinda will be heading to the State Athletics Carnival next term.

CONGRATULATIONS!!!



#### Professional Development

Miss Belinda attended MultiLit training last Friday and Mrs Lawrence attended a workshop entitled "Practical and Effective Literacy and Numeracy Strategies K-2" on Tuesday. Both ladies are eager to implement the new strategies they learnt.

#### Daffodil Day

Last Friday was Daffodil Day and staff and students dressed in yellow and raised money for cancer research.



#### Music - Count Us In

White Cliffs Public School students were part of a crowd of 540,000 across Australia who sang "We've Got The Music" at 11:30am on 1st September. We watched the live webcast from the steps of the Town Hall in Sydney where 600 students were gathered and at 11:30am we were counted in by John Foreman and started singing. Peter Garrett, Federal School Education Minister, really got into the swing of things! We all wished we could have been in Sydney too.



#### SASS Conference

Miss Belinda will be attending a SASS Conference in Broken Hill on 5th/6th September. This will give her the opportunity to network with SASS staff from other schools.

#### School Visit

Broken Hill North School students in Years 3 and 4 will be joining us for a BBQ lunch on Tuesday 6th September. This is an annual event and gives our students a chance to interact with students from another school.

## **Questacon Video Conference**

Questacon will be presenting Enviro-Quest via video conference on Wednesday from 1:30 -2:30pm.

## **Transport**

The boys are enjoying using some new resources which were purchased as part of the transport theme for this term.



## **Father's Day**

Hope all the Dad's enjoyed their special day yesterday and the gifts made by their children.



## **Trek4Kidz Rally**

\$1187.00 was raised last Wednesday from our lunchtime catering and souvenir selling for the Trek4Kidz Rally. The students enjoyed meeting some real 'characters' and checking out the rally cars.



## **Broken Hill Show**

The Broken Hill Show is on from 15th to 17th September. If anyone is interested in entering any of the show categories there is a show book and entry forms at the school.

## **Wanted...Small Jam Jars**

Donna-Lee is wanting small jam jars. If you have any for her, they can be left at the school.

## **Earn & Learn**

Don't forget to collect your Woolies docketts and hand them into the school so we can redeem our points!

## **QUOTE**

*"A father carries pictures where his money used to be!"*

**Have a great week**

**Julie**