

# Fete Newsletter no. 2

Fete 14 June 2014

## ST RITA'S SCHOOL SOUTH JOHNSTONE



### Four weeks left!!

A big thank you to our families who have volunteered their time to help organize the fete.

Lots more volunteers are needed to help with the stalls, set up and pull down. The updated stall workers list is again attached.

Remember, even if you can give an hour of your time on fete night, this frees up another volunteer to have a break and look at the attractions.

Don't forget, many volunteers are needed for set up and clean up as well. Any time you may be able to spare would be very much appreciated.

Also a big thank you goes to the families out there who have been giving a lot of their time and efforts over the past several weeks to pot plants and make craft items. Your efforts are much appreciated.

Looking at old fete documents, these two stalls, along with the Trash & Treasure, are often the stalls that make the school a good portion of the profits.

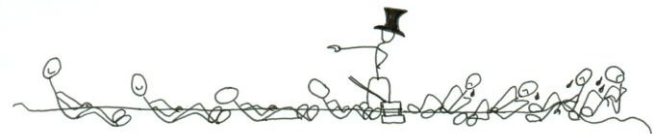
### Tug-of-War:

First Place \$1000 !!!!

\$1000 will be put up for First Prize, however to finalise the prize money we need a couple more sponsors for this event!!! Thanks to LMB Farming for sponsoring this event again this year.

Why not enter a team -

Teams will consist of a maximum of five persons with a maximum total weight of 500kg. Teams can be made up of male and female members. If we get enough interest, we could run a women's division – please speak up. Entry fee is \$100 per team. We had eight teams enter in 2012 – so there are very good odds for taking the winnings away with you.



### Trash & Treasure:

Don't forget to gather any items from home for our Trash and Treasure Stall. Ideas include household items, kitchen items, toys, clothes, books. These items should be in good condition. But no electrical items. Please gather the items at home and bring them in during the week of the fete. Your unwanted items are someone else's treasure and added together, it means more great resources for our kids. Following the fete any unsold items will be donated to Vinnies.

### **Amusement Tickets:**

Pre-purchased tickets are now available from the office. \$30 Unlimited Ride Deal. This deal will cost \$35 on the night.

Please come with the correct money. A receipt will be given which you then give to the ride organizer at the fete who will put an wristband on your child. **DON'T LOOSE YOUR RECEIPT !!** Rides will include –

- Willy the Worm
- Ripper Dipper Giant Slide
- Large Jumping Castle
- Gladiator Dual

### **Monster Goose:**

Hopefully tickets for the Monster Goose will be sent out next week. Each family will be given a book of tickets. It would be fantastic if a big effort could be made to sell as many tickets as you can to friends and family. There are lots of great prizes, so chances to win are good. More books are available from the office. We do realize though everyone's capacity to sell tickets is different.

We are still wanting some volunteers to sell tickets at Kmart on **Saturday 7 June**. If you wish to help out but cannot make it on that day, there is possibility we can sell tickets there through the week. If you can help out for an hour or so, please contact the office. Or if you have another idea of where to sell tickets please let us know.

Of course we are still seeking donations for our Monster Goose. Prizes for the goose are usually valued at anything over \$50 and are sometimes bundled together with other prizes.

### **Sponsors:**

Collins Catering and Chemical Supplies have come on board as a sponsor, donating the use of a bemerie. Thank you.

And Plumb Building will be our sponsor for our Dunk-a-Celebrity. Thank you! Don't forget to suggest names of victims to the office so that we can put together a Victim's Roster.

If anyone is interested or knows of a business who might be interested, we are looking for a sponsor for our Ham/Electrical Wheel (they could donate money to cover the raffled items or donate the items – which don't have to be ham/electrical). We usually raffle four items off through the night.

### **Cakes:**

Has your Mum got the best fruit cake recipe? Or chocolate cake recipe?

Suggestions for cake/sweet items –

- Rum balls
- Coconut ice
- Giant freckles
- Chocolate crackles
- Fudge
- Fruit cake

School will provide ingredients if needed.

Grandma might love to cook some items for us?

### **Greasy Pig:**

We have changed the name of this stall to the Bucking Bronco. It is a fun game to challenge yourself. Pull yourself from one side to the other balancing on a barrel. It is not a game of chasing a poor greasy pig.

**A Reminder to:**

- Look out for bargains/donations for Cent Sale items
- Plant plants
- Make some craft items (you could get your children involved – kids craft items sell well)
- Gather trash & treasure
- Bring in fluro lighting if you have any (marking with your name)
- Prepare for baking
- put your vote in for the Dunk a Celebrity. Students can vote.

**Turn over for the Food and Stall  
Volunteers List.**

**Please add your name if you can  
and return the form to the  
school.**

**Dunk a Celebrity**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_