



# Coolwynpin State School's Koala Fair

## Welcome to our first edition of the Koala Fair Newsletter.

This is the first in a series of newsletters that will come home between now and 11 October. Read them for updates and news about requests for help. Also, you can keep up to date via our Facebook page.

Although the big day of 11 October is still months away, preparations are already moving along in the background. It's going to be a fun day and a special time where our whole community can come together to support our school. Each class will be assigned a stall to run and class fair representatives are being arranged.

Remember, the fair is the school P&C's biggest fundraising event of the year. Our goal for this year's fair is to raise enough funds to purchase one or possibly two great big industrial fans to install in the hall.

## We need your help

### Bring in Day – March is Craft Time

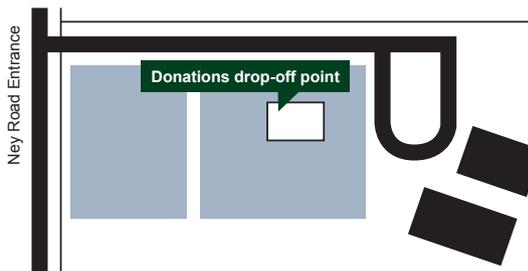
To reduce our costs, we are putting the call out for any donations of items that could be used at our Craft and Sewing Stall.

When: From Wednesday 25 March 2015

What: Fabric, wool, felt, ribbon, cotton, buttons, zips, cardboard, paper, glitter, glue, sticky tape... anything that can be turned into a craft masterpiece!

Where: Please drop at boxes outside the old hub (signs as marked) off Ney Road Car Park (just up from the tennis court). Refer to map below.

Don't worry if you can't make it to the "bring in day" – we are happy to accept your donations any time. Please leave items at the P&C drop-off point or contact Sonya Farrington at [koalafair@gmail.com](mailto:koalafair@gmail.com) to arrange collection or drop off of your items.



Are you crafty or know someone that is? Can you help turn our donations into masterpieces? Can you create your own masterpieces to donate? Please register your interest to assist with Sonya Farrington at [koalafair@gmail.com](mailto:koalafair@gmail.com).

### Upcoming 'Bring in days':

- April Lucky Jars (empty clean jars of any size, trinkets and items to fill jars or pre-filled jars)
- May Books
- June Trash & Treasure (no clothing or electrical items) Start searching for your items now and getting them ready to drop into the school in June.
- July Drinks (soft drinks, poppers, water)



## Donations received

We have been lucky to have received donations from the following companies:

Golden Circle, Aussie World and Bounce Inc.

## Entertainment

The Koala Fair will be filled with lots of activities for families to keep us entertained for hours.

You will see Skippers, play sports games, belly dancing, contemporary and Irish dancing, the list goes on...

## Prizes and raffles

Watch this space. There will be lots up for grabs. Details to come...

## More to come

Upcoming newsletters will include details about the amazing rides on offer, the entertainment, the auction and raffles. The fair is a fixture on the local calendar and one the kids look forward to. So when your son or daughter pleads for one more stick of fairy floss, think of it as a contribution to their lifelong education. Stay tuned ... the fun has just begun!

## Contacts

Have you joined our Facebook Page? Search for the Coolwynpin SS Koala Fair and request to join. It's another great way to keep updated about our Fair.

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