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**P&C SPOT**

- **Twilight Markets/Rush Hour**—We need volunteers, please, to help sell Raffle Tickets, and at the BBQ. Please contact Jo with your timeslot.
- **Bunnings BBQ**—Saturday 7th November. Please make a note of the date as we will need volunteers to timeslot in.
- **Next Meeting**—Monday 26th October at 9.00am
Sportspro...
- Starts this Monday—12th October.
- Every Monday until 9th November.
- Cost of $25 per student to be included in Term 4 Costs, to go home next week.
- Students to wear Sports Uniform on Mondays.
- K-2—11.30am-12.15pm.
- Yrs3-6—12.15-1.00pm.

K/1 Classroom Needs...
- Donations of good quality toys for K/1 Toy Corner.
- For example—Lego, My Little Pony, Barbie, Transformers, Board Games, Puzzles etc.
- Nothing precious, please, as they will not be returned.

Some shots from our excursion to Muogamarra last term.
More photos, plus other events, are in the Gallery on our website.

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