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NEWSLETTER | TERM 3 WEEK 4

FORTNIGHTLY AWARDS Week 4 - Term 3, 2017

Student of the Fortnight **Milo Baff**
Sports / Value Person **Lucas O'Brien**
Mathlete of the Fortnight **Tyson Shipman**

Class Awards **Wren McKeivitt-Emmerson**
Brilliant effort in writing
Cooper McGuire
A great effort during language



Well Done!

Celebrating Education Week- Education on Show

Last week was Education Week. To celebrate the achievements and successes of public education our students performed their dazzling and unique boomwhacker routines at our Education on Show evening at Bellingen High School. To conclude the night all students joined together for the mass choir performing John Farnham's "You're the Voice". This evening was truly wonderful as it showcased the skills and talents of students from our learning community of schools. As the principal of our school, I received fantastic feedback from other principals and a director on the evening. I have also had great feedback from some of the parents who attended. Every one of our students should be very proud of their performances and behaviour on the evening. Well done everyone!



WHAT'S ON FOR TERM 3

WEEK 4

Friday, August 11 MNC Athletics Carnival – Coffs Harbour

WEEK 5 SCIENCE WEEK

Monday, August 14 Preschoolers Morning – 10am to 12noon
Thursday, August 17 Waterwise In Class Presentation – Mayor - 1pm

WEEK 6 BOOKWEEK – "ESCAPE TO EVERYWHERE"

Thursday, August 24 Bookweek Parade – 9.30am

WEEK 9

Monday, September 11 Preschoolers Morning – 10am to 12noon

WEEK 10

Monday, September 18 Yr 3-6 - T20 Cricket Gala Day - Bellingen
Friday, September 22 Term 3 Assembly



SAKG Gardening & Cooking

Term 3 - Week 2

In the garden this week students spent time weeding, sawing, sanding and planting. We harvested leeks, carrots, parsnip, lettuce, herbs, spinach, lemons and radishes. In the kitchen we cooked chicken noodle soup with lots of vegies from our garden, pumpkin and pea noodle bake, baked potato with broccoli salad and pesto dressing, bread rolls and caramel apple pudding. **Special thank you to Julie who spent an extra day at school cleaning the craft cupboards in the COLA and also thank you to Gail and Julie who volunteered in the garden and kitchen.**



Term 3 Week 3

In the garden students did some weeding, pruning, sawing, sanding and digging. We harvested carrots, spinach, silverbeet, lettuce, herbs and

lemons. In the kitchen we cooked pumpkin and tomato soup, curried sausages, mashed potato, vegetable fritters with lots of herbs from our garden and apple and cinnamon muffins. **Thank you to Edwina from CWA who donated 2 egg separators to our kitchen garden program, Lucy for donating two varieties of potatoes and to Caleb and Elsie for a variety of delicious citrus.**

Also thanks to Julie who volunteered in the garden and kitchen.



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District Athletics Carnival

Congratulations to De'Arna, Darcy, Ronny, Orli, Darna, John, Milo, Cooper and Jarvis who attended the District Athletics Carnival at Urunga. They all competed admirably and with great sportsmanship. Milo was the only one who qualified to compete at the Mid North Coast PPSA Athletics Carnival at Coffs Harbour C.EX International Sports Stadium this Friday 11 August, along with our relay team of Ronny, John, Milo and Tyrie. **Good luck boys!**

Clear Minded for Life

We will be continuing our "Clear Minded for Life" journey with Kath Betts this term.



Preschoolers Morning – Monday 14 August

Join us for our next preschool morning on **Monday 14 August from 10am to 12 noon**. There will be educational activities that help develop gross and fine motor skills as well as art and craft. All preschool children aged 1-5 are welcome.



Sustainability Awards – Grafton – Wednesday 16 August

Year 6 have been invited to attend the Sustainability Award ceremony being held in Grafton on Wednesday 16 August. Our school has been nominated with the possibility of receiving an award. Students will travel to Grafton and back to school with Mrs Sangster. We will need to be at Grafton by 10am, so will need to leave before school starts. Please return the attached consent note with information about travelling times as soon as possible.



Bookweek Parade "Escape to Everywhere" Thursday 24 August

PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE OF DAY

We will be celebrating Book Week on Thursday 24 August. Children can come dressed as any book character and will take part in a parade at school at 9.30am. Parents are welcome to attend.

Parent / Teacher Interviews

If parents or carers would like to discuss Semester One Reports, meet the teacher or ask any questions about their child's progress, please contact the school.

Kindy Orientation

We will be starting our Kindergarten orientation later this term. Any child who will be turning 5 years old is welcome to come along for the morning and participate. We look forward to meeting our new Kindergarten students. If you would like your child to attend please contact Katrina Sangster at School on 66578133 for more information.



Chess Tournament

We will be starting our 2017 School Chess Tournament in week 6. All students can participate. This is a Championship tournament with the overall champion awarded a trophy. The tournament runs from week 6 until the end of term. More details next newsletter.



2017 Premier's Reading Challenge

The 2017 Premier's Reading Challenge closes on the 24 August (only 2 and a half weeks away). All students 3-6 are encouraged to continue reading to reach their target of twenty books.

School Uniform

Please ensure your child/ren come to school dressed in school uniform. We often use photos for promotional purposes including our school newsletter and website. These photos must contain students in school uniform. Our uniform is a jade school shirt, navy shorts/skirt/long pants and a navy sweater.

Hats

Recently our school renewed our SunSmart status. With this in mind, we request all families to ensure their child/ren has a **broad brimmed or flap hat at school everyday**. Hats must be worn by all students for all outdoor activities including playtime and sport.

Reminder - Changes to Payment Methods

As part of the transition to our new administration system we will no longer be accepting payments by direct deposit into our current bank account. This current bank account will be closed. Cash, cheque and online payments will be the preferred options. Between 29 August and 6 September no payments will be accepted whilst we changeover to the new system.

SAKG – Term 3 Weekly Contribution of \$1 per student

The kitchen garden program has ongoing costs each week, such as cooking ingredients, seeds and seedlings. We are asking that parents help contribute towards these costs by sending in \$1 each Friday per child. The cost for Term 3 is \$10 per student. **Thank you those families that have already paid.**

Reminder – Trash Free Tuesdays

On Tuesday every week, our school has a low waste lunch box day where we try to have no rubbish in our lunch boxes. Food packaging can be left at home or taken home for reuse or recycling. Class bins will remain available for non-food/packaging waste and we can feed our food scraps to the chooks.

Woolworths Earn & Learn Program 2017



We are taking part in the 2017 Woolworths Earn & Learn program. **It runs from Wednesday 26 July to Tuesday 19 September.** For every \$10 you spend at Woolworths you will receive a sticker. These stickers can then be dropped at the school. The more points we earn, the more we can redeem from a choice of over 7,000 educational resources. **We are grateful for your support and look forward to a successful program.**



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The Mystery of the Gumboots

A pair of new gumboots mysteriously appeared at school. If you own or know anything about these brand new gumboots, please let us know or come and collect them.

P&C Wood Raffle Tickets

First Prize: Trailer of split Firewood (Delivered locally)

Drawn: Thursday 24 August

Tickets: \$1.00 each

Please have all tickets sold/unsold and money Monday 21 August



Winter Social Tennis at Dundurrabin Community Centre

Please come and join us on 27 August at 12 noon. Everyone is welcome. Bring your racquet, snacks, water and friends. For further information phone Becky on 66578280.

2017 Clarence Valley Camp Oven Festival

18th, 19th and 20th August



A celebration of the wonderful Aussie outdoor lifestyle, a love of and care for the natural environment, and good old fashioned family fun. The 2017 Camp Oven Festival will be held in

the grounds of Nymboida Camping and Canoeing on the banks of the beautiful Goolang Creek on the 18-20 August. Come along and enjoy great music, camp oven demonstrations and competitions, bush poetry, the Saturday Night Bush Dance, markets, music, performers, poets, kids activities, street theatre, dog trials, vintage farm machinery, black smith, great food and more. Camping and cabin accommodation available, open campfires permitted. Can't make it out for the whole weekend? Why not come out for the day, or for an evening's entertainment?

For more information or to make a booking please phone Nymboida Camping and Canoeing on: 02 6649 4155 or www.clarencevalleycampovenfestival.com

Healthy Bones Action Week



The first week of August marks Healthy Bones Action Week across the country. Healthy Harold and the Life Education programs partner with schools to enhance and develop messages about healthy eating and maintaining good health and wellbeing. Through the programs, children not only identify good foods, but learn about the physical impacts and importance of nourishing their body. As almost 60 percent of 2-16 year olds miss out on their daily recommended dairy intake, now is a good time to add an extra portion in their lunchboxes! www.lifeeducation.org.au/dairy-nutrition-and-education

P&C News & Community Notices



Dundurrabin P & C Fundraiser Pie Drive

As part of our fundraising efforts for 2017 we will be holding a Pie Drive, all orders and money to be received by 23rd August with a delivery date of 31st August. Collection will be at the school with a time to be confirmed. We will contact you in regard to times and alternate collection points. Additional order forms available for nearby family and friends. Please drop forms in to school or Tyringham Store

If you have any questions please speak to Hayley McLennan on 66578277 or alternatively at the shop at anytime.



Please spare a few hours over the next few weeks to help our P&C

Sunday 13 August - Dundurrabin Markets

Home cooking is needed for this Sunday 13 August for the markets held at the Dundurrabin Community Centre.

If you are able to cook or lend a hand please phone Leonie Wright on 66578258.

Sunday 20 August - Working Bee -School Farm - 10am

Mrs Sangster would like some new garden beds dug and other jobs done while the students are not there. Please come and help out for a couple of hours.

Sunday 27 August - Bunnings BBQ Coffs Harbour

We are fundraising for the P&C at Bunnings in Coffs Harbour on Sunday 27 August from about 8am to 5pm. It would be great to get some parents and carers to help out for a few hours. If you are able to give your time please phone Becky on 66578280.

— Your Health Link —

National Photographic Competition

PANORAMA: HEALTHY LIFE HEALTHY YOU

Competition launches
19 August 2017

SAVE THE DATE

The Mid North Coast Local Health District is launching the Your Health Link National Photographic Competition on World Photo Day.

Primary and high school students are encouraged to get ready to grab their mobile phones, tablet or trusty camera and capture images that promote 'Healthy Life | Healthy You' for their chance to win a range of great prizes.

Schools are also the big winners with prizes supporting healthy school canteen programs.

For further information contact:
Carolyn Guichard
National Exhibition Organiser
CarolynM.Guichard@ncahs.health.nsw.gov.au

www.yourhealthlinkphotocomp.com.au

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Human Rights Photo Competition - students enter now

The 2017 Human Rights Photography competition is now open to children and adults around the country, with a \$600 camera prize up for grabs for the most outstanding image! Our focus for this year's competition will be the experiences of people at home. The theme for the 2017 competition is *Home*, inspired by Eleanor Roosevelt's famous quote "Where, after all, do universal human rights begin? In small places, close to home..." The shortlisted and winning photos to be displayed at the 2017 Human Rights Awards on 8 December in Sydney.

Enter at <https://photocompetition.humanrights.gov.au/>

There will be two categories for entries: Under 18 and 18 & over. Overall winners will receive their prizes at the 2017 Human Rights Awards on December 8 in Sydney. A selection of photos from the Competition will also be on display. Main prizes worth \$600.

The competition will close on 30 September 2017.

Second Hand Saturday: Biggest Garage Sale Day of the Year

The north coast's biggest coordinated garage sale day of the year is on once again on **Saturday 23 September**. With over 1000 garage sales as part of last year's event, Second Hand Saturday is set to be bigger and better than ever with hundreds of second hand shoppers looking for a bargain across Ballina, Byron, Clarence Valley, Kyogle, Lismore, Richmond Valley and Tweed council areas.

It's free to register to hold a garage sale. Register now at www.secondhandsaturday.com.au or by phoning your local Council and your garage sale will be advertised and promoted for free. An optional 'leftovers' day will also be held on Saturday 30 September so you have double the chance to sell your stuff.

With millions of tonnes of waste being sent to landfill by Australian households each year, holding a garage sale is about much more than just clearing the clutter and earning extra cash or fundraising for your club. It's a great way to join the war on waste and help reduce landfill by giving people the chance to reuse and recycle your pre-loved goods.

Keep up to date by following Second Hand Saturday on Facebook. Choose to reuse – it's how we roll on the north coast!

SAVE THE DATE!
Saturday 23 Sept 2017

THE BIGGEST GARAGE SALE DAY

ON THE NORTH COAST

Download our app, know when registrations open:
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Yoga in Dorriggo

Fusion yoga is a blend of flowing yoga poses, meditation and relaxation to help you build strength, develop more flexibility, release stress and restore balance.

When: Thursdays

Time: 9.30am – 10.45am

Where: Allison's Studio – 6 Tamarind Ave, Dorriggo

Price: \$15* per class

Mention this notice & come to your first class for \$10

Please arrive about 10 minutes early for class – bring a water bottle and your own mat (some mats available).

See you there!

For more information

Contact Bec: 02 6657 1129 or 0432 112 749

connectbodytosoul@gmail.com

www.facebook.com/connectbodytosoul

www.bodytosoul.com.au/yoga

Home Energy Action Replacement Program (HEA) Continuing!

Replacing high power consuming Refrigerators and Televisions is a great way to reduce your Energy Bills.

HEA is a replacement program offering subsidies to low income households to replace their refrigerator or television.

How to access the program

Register and apply on the link below if you can finance the difference after the subsidy yourself

www.environment.nsw.gov.au/applianceoffer

OR

apply for a No Interest Loan (NILS) to finance the difference

For more information please contact

Northern Rivers Community Gateway

02 66217397

76 Carrington Street, Lismore NSW 2480

Monday to Friday 9am to 4pm.



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STARTS
29TH
JULY 2017



4TH SATURDAY OF THE MONTH

WHERE: DUNDURRABIN PUBLIC SCHOOL
70 MOUNT STREET | DUNDURRABIN

TIME: 2^{PM} UNTIL 3:30^{PM} | FEATURING: GAMES, FOOD, CRAFT, STORY, LOADS OF FUN!! | 29TH JULY 26TH AUG 30TH SEPT 28TH OCT

FOR MORE INFO LEONIE 6657 8258 / 0408 694 148 OR JACOB 0459 999 209

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*Eligibility criteria applies

I want to keep
my yucky germs
to myself

For some people getting the flu means time off school or work, but for others it can lead to hospitalisation and even death. You can help stop the spread of flu by keeping them home if they're sick, and teaching these three steps.

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