THURSDAY 16 JULY 2015

What's Coming Up!

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Producing Excellent Students

Distinction Student – Will Kneipp

Merit Students - Jack Atkins and Jesse Allen

Honour Student – Tim de Wit

Weekly Achievement Awards

| Ryde Takanami | KC | Noah Eugarde | KT |
| Chad Atkins   | KJ | Oskah Edwards | 1CD |
| Armani Moore  | 1W | Chloe Johnson | 2N |
| Kaiya Scrimshaw | 2M | Tess Wright | 3A |
| Kalani Sauge  | 3/4J | Ashton Brown | 4S |
| Charlotte Crocker Bell | 4/5L | Zac Gilmore | 5/6A |
| Banjo Keane   | Library | Dusty Gillott | 6R |
From the Principal’s Desk
Welcome back everyone! I hope you all had a fantastic break and you are all ready for a super term.

There is a lot happening this term, including Education Week, our book parade, school photos, a school disco, Life Education Van and of course our fantastic school concert! So it is going to be very busy, but I am sure a lot of fun will be had along the way. As each of these events get closer we will certainly be giving you extra information.

As some of you are already aware, due to increasing enrolments, we have now been able to form a new class. This new class will be a 2/3 class taught by Miss Monique Zerk. They began operating as a class yesterday and are currently utilising the library for their classroom space. A new building will arrive on site hopefully this week, which will become their new classroom. So it is very exciting that we are receiving so many new enrolments, it is wonderful to see families supporting their local public school. I am also receiving a lot of enrolments for Kinder in 2016, if anyone knows of any family or child that may be wanting to enrol for 2016, please encourage them to come into the office to collect an enrolment pack.

As we have had some very chilly weather of late, please ensure your child brings a school jumper to school every day. We have had some children coming without jumpers, which is not pleasant in this weather. Please ensure all school jumpers are labelled. We currently have an overflowing lost property box, so if your child is missing something, please come and have a look in the box. In the next couple of weeks, any items not claimed will be donated to charity.

Lastly if you do ever see anyone on school grounds after hours please call the Education security unit on 1300 880 021, this number is manned 24 hours a day. Some vigilant local citizens did call this number in the holidays, which alerted the authorities and they were able to remove children from the school grounds before any potential damage could be caused. By working together we can keep our fantastic school safe and secure.

Stay warm over the weekend

Kind Regards

Deb Langfield

Thought for the Week
“We all need people who will give us feedback. That’s how we improve.” Bill Gates

Update on Staffing
We welcome back Ms McLeod to 2M.
Mrs Ceely has returned to 1CD on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. Mrs Wagland will teach 1CD on Monday and Tuesdays. Miss Dyson is on maternity leave.

Mr O’Rafferty will be our technology teacher on Monday and Tuesday and Mrs Wagland will take these classes on Thursday and Friday.

Recognising Student Achievements

Gold Cards – Week
Shyla Lawless
Xavier Wood
Jamilah Bikoumou
Emma Flanagan
Ash Daniel-Williams

Lily Moore
Ava Walheim
Harry Cass
Shay Buffery
Georgia Kotsireas

Three Respects in Action – Dolphin Slips

Dolphin Slips are given to children for demonstrating the three Key Values of Respect, Responsibility and Integrity in the playground. Draws are made each week from the Dolphin Slip box. Each child receives a canteen voucher.

Ava Walheim
Mia Hoey
Tim de Wit
Coen Acret

Congratulations on being great role models

Teaching Respect and Responsibility

The Bear Award is given to the class that demonstrates the best listening and participation skills during the weekly assembly.

Week: 10 Class: 3/4J Well done

Music

Fees
Invoices for Semester 2, 2015 are being sent home. All fees are due by the end of Week 8 of this term, Friday Sept 4th.

Performances
Our first performance for this term will be at the Coastal Kids Concert in Week 5. Both Senior and Junior Bands will be performing at this event. Information about this Concert will be sent home closer the Performance date.

Band Shirts
As we have a performance in Week 5 now is the time for band members to check on shirt sizes, in case they need to change. New members will be given their shirt closer to the performance.

Lessons and Rehearsals
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As mentioned previously Miss Zerk will be teaching our new 2/3 class until the end of the year.

Mrs Nolland and Mrs Mullett will be returning to school as soon as they are able to get on a flight out of Bali.
Donations
Thank you to Jack and Max Bauer for donating books to the library.

Byron Bay Writers Festival
A reminder that fifty five students from years 3 – 6 will be attending Ballina RSL on Tuesday 4 August to see Andy Griffiths and Terry Denton.

Book Fair
Our annual Book Fair will commence on Thursday 30 July and will be open till Tuesday 4 August. More details to come.

Book Parade
Our Book Parade will be held on Wednesday 12 August commencing at 10am. Children come to school dressed as a character from a book.

Author Visit
Spend an afternoon with Jacqueline Harvey. She is the bestselling author of the Alice-Miranda and the Clementine Rose series. She will be at the Lone Goat Gallery at Byron Bay Library (cnr Lawson and Middleton Streets) on Friday 7 August 3.30pm -5pm. Cost is $5.00 per child. This ticket allows two carers to attend for free, per child.

Purchase tickets: www.byronbaywritersfestival.com.au
More information: Byron Bay Library 02 6685 8540
Books will be available for purchase at the venue.

Sport News
State Cross Country
Good luck to Nyxie Ryan at State Cross Country for tomorrow Friday 17 July.

NSW PSSA State Football
Syl de Wit in action at Bathurst last term for State Football.

Fundraising - Pie Drive
Pie Drive order forms went home this week. All orders need to be back at school next Tuesday 21 July. Pie orders will be delivered to school on the 30 July. This is hopefully to raise some money towards air conditioning the school hall. The pies will be made by Modanville Bakery and they are delicious!

Community Announcements
BYRON BAY JUNIOR BASKETBALL WINTER 2015
MINIBALL (8-12yr olds) Tuesdays 4-5pm @ BRSCC
starts Tuesday 21/7/15

AUSSIE HOOPS (4-8yr olds) Thursdays 3.30 - 4.15pm
@ Byron Bay Public School (Term 3) starts 23/7/15

For more information www.byronbasketball.com or ph: 66872246 a/hrs e-mail, info@byronbasketball.com
Our healthy canteen

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Thank you, Sue Tatum  Ph: 66877141

A big thank you to everyone who helped at the Athletics Carnival on the BBQ and tuckshop. Your efforts were greatly appreciated. Big thank you also to all the home bakers – once again an amazing and tasty assortment of cakes and slices.

I have changed the cheesy scrolls. They are now $1.00. Please adjust your menus. Remember our new winter warmers – Lasagne $4.00, Chicken & Corn Roll $2.00, Ricotta & Spinach Roll $3.50

Year 3 Tree Planting Excursion

Photos from the Year 4 Brisbane and Sunshine Coast excursion - more to follow next week