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'Communicating with our Caring Community'

Wednesday, 30th May 2018

DATES TO REMEMBER

DATE	EVENT
31 May	Year 6 Lisarow High School Visit
1 June	Silly Socks Fundraiser
4 June	CANTEEN CLOSED
5 June	Nitbusters Day – volunteers needed
6 June	Tickets for Laycock St Theatre Dance Festival Show C (Junior) go on sale.
6 June	P&C Pie Drive Pick-up Day
11 June	Public Holiday
13 June	P&C Meeting – 7 pm in staffroom All welcome
14 June	Tickets for Laycock St Theatre Dance Festival Show F (Senior) go on sale.
14 June	Stage 2 Taronga Zoo Excursion
14 June	Book Club Orders Due
18 June	CANTEEN CLOSED
20 June	P&C Disco – Crazy Hair
22 June	Sydney North Cross Country
27 June	Junior Dance Festival Performance (Show C)
3 July	Senior Dance Festival Performance (Show F)

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Community Members,

Last week I attended the Hunter/Central Coast Principals ConnectED conference. We heard from international education researchers, Prof. Dylan

Williams, Prof Viviane Robinson and Prof Stephen Heppel. Their themes were around individual assessment, engaging students and future learning spaces. The Dept Education Secretary and Deputy Secretary were also keynote speakers. Eddie Woo, a Dept Education maths teacher who captivated his students by providing YouTube lessons, was our MC for the conference and the motivational speaker to close the conference. Mrs Wakelin, Mrs Bowd and Mrs Kenny attended the Executive ConnectED at Terrigal and also heard Mr Simon Breakspear, a noted Australian educationalist.

This week, Mrs Vila and I have been upgrading our knowledge of the new systems through a series of 3 online meetings relating to finance and staffing. When schools crossed over to the new platform a couple of years ago, it was discovered that there were many issues with the software making it very user-unfriendly. The launch of Version 2, and our training in it, will hopefully mean a more streamlined working platform for Mrs Vila and the front office ladies in particular.

Tomorrow, Mrs Wakelin, Mrs Kenny and I are attending mandatory training in the literacy and numeracy learning progressions which are replacing the continuums that have been used for the last few years to track student progress.

Mrs Adams and Mrs McLean are attending a 2 day ICT conference in Newcastle this week with a view to deepening our technology understandings and how to best use it in the classroom to support learning.

Mrs Blomfield has been to a full day meeting around the Healthy Canteen Strategy and come back with new

ideas and new strategies to meet the prescribed food requirements.

Yesterday, I joined some Stage 3 students to walk the RAP trail with Mrs Golding and Mrs Mountfort during the recess break. It was fabulous, even with the senior boys telling me about the man-eating leeches that apparently frequent the area (funnily enough, we didn't see any!). Mrs Golding will offer all stages the opportunity to join her on the bushwalk and I thoroughly recommend it. It took about 20 minutes and Mrs Golding had lots of information about the plants and Aboriginal grinding marks, supplemented by the beautiful signs that were purchased and erected last year using the Environment Grant.

Have a great week everyone. Don't forget Silly Socks Day on Friday (gold coin donation).

Have a great week,

Glynis Lugnan
Principal

CLASSROOM EFFORT & BEHAVIOUR POINTSCORE

Week 3 – Winning House – Koalas

Koalas – 26 Kangaroos – 23.5

Emus – 21.5 Platypus - 19

Week 4 – Winning House – Kangaroos

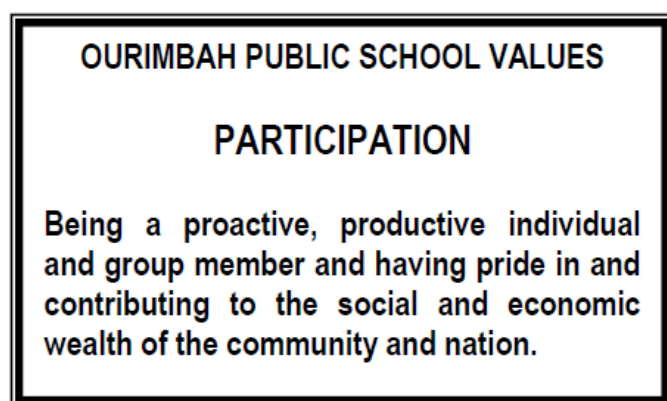
Kangaroos – 26 Emus – 25.5

Koalas – 25 Platypus – 23

CORE VALUES

Values

This fortnight we are focusing on the core value of 'Participation'.



CLASSROOM AWARDS K-2

Week 4 – Oakley C, Zahra T KA, KL, Paxton T, Imogen S K/1B, Madeline L, Anup P K/1S, Lachlan P, Sophie D 1/2A, James F, Jessica P 1/2AM, Jacinta C, Toby D 1/2GS, Sophia D, Flynn W 1/2N, Jackson T, Amelia L Library

Week 5 – Mila B, Kaleb W KA, Mia A, Blake S KL, Braxton K, Arlandria F K/1B, Cooper E, Stephanie H K/1S, Toby S, Violet B 1/2A, Amber J, Emily N 1/2AM, Antonio D, Milan H 1/2GS, Bella P, Damien L 1/2N,

Riley M, Charlie H 2M

CLASSROOM AWARDS 3-6

Week 4 – Emilie W, Bronson M 3/4A, Amir L, Fletcher M 3/4E, Hayden T, Tallon M 3/4M, Krystal K, Melody W 4/5B, Ruby D, Lucas C 5/6E, Felicity M, Connor K 5/6ES, Joseph T, Rhiannon F 5/6F, Lucas E, Lainey G 5/6K, Bailey C, Lara R Library

Week 5 – Holly W 3M, Gejora L, Oliver G 3/4A, Matthew P, Clara N 3/4E, Shayla R, Dylan P 3/4M, Oliver M, Neesa D 4/5B, Blake W, Annabelle W 5/6E, Max F, Allissa B 5/6ES, Caitlyn K, Logan D 5/6F, Jesse B, Shayla W 5/6K,

ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Student/Teacher Spotlight

Wow! What a busy start to the term. Congratulations to all Year 3 and Year 5 students. Over the last two weeks Mrs Erin Burgess and I have had the pleasure of working with these students as they completed their Online NAPLAN tests. The persistence and efforts of all students needs to be commended.

This was a new experience for all of us as a school, for both staff and students. The majority of students found the experience and new platform to be positive and I would like to thank the parents who have taken the time to provide feedback. Like anything new that is implemented, this will be evaluated and changes made if necessary, whether it is at a school or state level.

I would also like to thank the staff for being understanding during this period of time, with numerous timetable changes and students in and out of classrooms for the purpose of testing. Your patience during this time was appreciated.

Attendance

Thank you to all the parents who have supported our focus on attendance this term. As a team it is wonderful to see us all working in partnership to ensure that absences are explained. Please remember that all absences must be explained within 7 days from the first day of absence with an acceptable reason. If teachers are supplied with an unacceptable reason the absence will be recorded as unjustified.

Absences can be explained via:

- A note to the class teacher upon return to school
- The Skoolbag app
- A phone call to the office

Communication Generation Incursion

This week Stage 3 have participated in the Communication Generation incursion. Erica Davis, better known for her work on Channel 7's 'Sydney

Weekender', has been working with Year 5 and 6 and their teachers.

Students have been learning about:

Session 1. Communication with our Friends (Playground)

Including: Conflict resolution, respect, encouragement, assertiveness, active listening, dealing with criticism and giving compliments.

Session 2. Communication to an Audience (Public)

Including: Overcoming anxiety and fear of public speaking, how to present a message clearly and confidently to an audience.

Session 3. Communication with Ourselves (Personal)

Including: Positive self-talk, tools to handle change - such as the transition to high school, encouraging one another, gratitude and goal setting.

Hopefully the students and teachers have all enjoyed this experience.

Have a great week!

Mrs Nicki Wakelin

PEER SUPPORT

Week 4

Last week, in Peer Support, children revised what they have learned about resilience and discussed the people who show them support. Through a story, the children identified where the character has used her personal qualities, strengths and skills to help her overcome challenges. They identified times when she needed support to continue. The children discussed a range of challenges and determined the best person to approach for support. The children consolidated the protective factors for resilience by revising their own strengths and skills and identifying 5 people they can go to for support. Remind your child of their qualities and skills and encourage them to ask for help in challenging situations.

Week 5

This week in Peer Support we will introduce a 3 step model to encourage resilient responses; Pause, Plan, Proceed. The children will take part in an activity to identify their feelings and the immediate effects on their bodies, ie butterflies in their stomachs. The normalcy of feelings will be acknowledged and the importance of being proactive will be stressed. The children will learn that pausing when they are emotional is helpful. They can do this by being still, taking a deep breath or counting to ten. Pausing gives children space to see a situation more accurately before planning a response.

Ask your child to describe the 3 steps of the model and what is involved in each one.

SPORTS NEWS

ZONE CROSS COUNTRY

Congratulations to the runners who represented our school at the Brisbane Water PSSA Cross Country Carnival on Friday, 25th May. The students ran very well and represented our school with pride. Congratulations to Matthew P, Miakoda C and Jesse B, who were successful in qualifying for the Sydney North Carnival. A big THANK YOU to Mrs Potter, who kindly transported our sun shelter and other equipment to the event. We appreciate your help. Thank you to all the parents who came along and cheered on our team. We are lucky to have such a supportive community.

RUGBY UNION

Congratulations to Tevita L, who has qualified for the Sydney North Rugby Union team. Well done, Tevita.

BASKETBALL

On Friday, 8th June, the Senior Girls' and Boys' PSSA Basketball teams will be competing in a Gala Day at the Central Coast Youth Club at Niagara Park.

We wish both teams the best of luck and hope they enjoy themselves on the day.

Susan English

PAYMENTS DUE NOW

- **Taronga Zoo Excursion**
Stage 2 students - \$35.00 per student
- **Year 4 Camp Deposit**
\$50.00 per Year 4 student (deposit only required at this stage)
- **Voluntary School Contributions**
All students in K-6 - \$48.00 per student
- **Senior Dance Group**
\$25 per student
- **Junior Dance Group**
\$6.00 per student

NITBUSTERS DAY – VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Our Term 2 Nitbusters Day will be held on Tuesday, 5th June. Students will have their hair checked for head lice and parents will be informed by mail if your child needs treatment at home.

We are once again calling on volunteers to help with this worthwhile program. If any parents are able to spare a few hours on Tuesday, 5th June from 9.00 am it would be very much appreciated. Morning tea will be supplied and what a great way for new parents to meet other members of our school community, whilst providing a great service for our students!! Experience is not necessary as our coordinators will teach you. We look forward to seeing some new faces, as well as our regular helpers. Please contact the office if you would like to help.

SILLY SOCKS FUNDRAISER – THIS FRIDAY

Don't forget to wear your silly socks this Friday, 1st June. Bring along a gold coin donation to help us raise more funds to complete our Sensory Garden.



Silly Socks Day

1st June 2018

A Sensory Garden Fundraiser



Cost: Gold Coin Donation

Dress: School uniform

The students are invited to wear silly socks on Friday, 1st June to raise money for the Sensory Garden.

Students are encouraged to wear bright and colourful socks, they may even like to decorate a pair of socks to wear on the day.

Silly Socks Fashion Parade

The class teacher's will select one person from each class who is wearing the silliest socks, to participate in a fashion parade during the day.



BOOK CLUB DUE DATE

Issue 4 of Book Club is due back at by Thursday, 14th June.

SCHOLASTIC Book Club

CHECK OUT THESE VERY BIG ISSUE 4 READS!

ORDERS DUE IN BY 14th June

BOOKS INCLUDED:

- THE FOOTBALL ENCYCLOPEDIA
- THE TRIALS OF APOLLO
- THE VERY CRANKY BEAR
- JURASSIC WORLD
- THE HOT DOG!
- WHERE'S TIMMY?
- JOJO'S GUIDE TO THE SWEET LIFE
- NOBODY HAS TO MISS OUT ON BOOK CLUB!

SCHOLASTIC

SPECIAL PHOTOS – ORDER NOW

We have copies of the **School Officials, House Captains and SRC photos**, as well as **Year 6 group photos** on display in the school foyer for viewing and ordering and are priced at **\$16.00** per photo. Discounts are available if purchasing more than one photo. Cash envelopes and online payment details are available from the office and orders need to be placed by Monday, 4th June.

These photos can also be viewed and ordered online at www.theschoolphotographer.com.au using the **School Online Code: 18S259VT36R**.

See information below. For all enquiries regarding photos, please phone the School Photographer on 02 9674 9824.



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3rd May 2018

Ourimbah Public School

The School Photographer Re-Order Photos

Please find below, a list of all the sports/special photographs. These can be viewed both online at www.theschoolphotographer.com.au and at the school.

Online Order Code: **18S259VT36R**

If you wish to order please either:
- collect an order envelope, fill out/enclose payment and return to school.
- visit our website and order/pay online.

The photo prices are:
\$16.00 each, 2 for \$30.00, 3 for \$42.00, 4 for \$52.00 or 5 for \$60.00.
Any additional photographs are \$10.00 each. This discount is only available per family order.

Payment options – Cash or Money Order payments enclosed in the order envelope.
ONLINE Payment by credit card – Envelope NOT required
The photos will be available to view and purchase online

All Orders to be made by 4th June 2018

Please note if payments are not received before photos are sent to the school, a late fee of \$5 will be incurred

Name of Group	Name of Group
SRC	School Officials
School Officials with Principal (on Stands)	School Officials With Principal (Names)
Year 6	Year 6 FUN
House Captains	



KINDERGARTEN 2019

Enrolment forms for children expected to start school in 2019 have been sent home via older siblings. Please complete and return the forms to the office as soon as possible with copies of relevant paperwork. If you are NOT sending your child to school in 2019, please return the form and advise the office staff.

Your child is eligible for Kindergarten 2019 if he or she turns 5 before 31st July, 2019 (ie. born between 1/8/13 and 31/7/14).

Please advise the office of your child's name and date of birth and we will send enrolment forms home if you do not receive them.

If you have any friends or neighbours who may have a child ready to start school next year, please let them know it is time to contact the school for information.

The Kindergarten 2019 transition program will be held later in the year and will include a parent information session early in September and several classroom visits in November.

P&C NEWS

UNIFORM SHOP

Operating Hours – Mondays & Thursdays


The opening hours for the uniform shop are as follows:

Mondays 8.30 am - 9.15 am

Thursdays 2.30 pm - 3.15 pm

Online ordering via flexischools.com.au and eftpos are available in the Uniform Shop. Order forms are also available from the office with an option to make arrangements for collecting/paying at the canteen or from the uniform shop.

COMMUNITY NEWS AND ADVERTISEMENTS



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TENNIS COACHING

Monday to Saturday lessons available.
All ages and standards welcome.
Junior competitions.
Holiday Coaching Clinics.

For more information call
Angela Nagle on 0402021159

CARNEVALE 2018

The Tuggerah Lakes Art Society is holding Carnevale 2018 during August. Students are invited to take part in the Mask Project. See details below.



Tuggerah Lakes Art Society Inc.
ABN 61 282 737 158
PO Box 4288 BAY VILLAGE NSW 2261
www.carnevale.org.au

PRESENTS

CARNEVALE 2018

Join the fun and take part in

THE MASK PROJECT


FOR INFANTS & PRIMARY SCHOOL STUDENTS

Entries are free!

Dates: 3rd to 31st August 2018
Location: The Art House, Margaret St., Wyong 2259
Open daily from 10.00am to 5.00pm
Launch & Announcement of Prize winners:
During the **ARTISANS MARKET** Saturday 4th August 2018 11.00am

WHAT TO DO:

- Buy or make a mask.
- Choose any medium.
- Create a colourful, amazing mask.
- For exhibition purposes, mount on a canvas or have the mask strung.
- Cash Prizes, vouchers and trophies will be awarded to the winners.



DATES TO REMEMBER:

Entry Forms Due: 28th June 2018
Mail to: The Carnevale Coordinator, PO Box 4288, Bay Village, 2261
Receiving Day: 1st August 2018
Deliver to: The loading dock behind The Art House, Margaret St., Wyong 2259
between 9am & 12pm
Collection Day: Friday 31st August 2018
Collect from: The front door Box Office, The Art House, Wyong
Time: Between 10 to 5pm

For further information contact:

Troy Flight, Carnevale Coordinator
Email: info@carnevale.org.au
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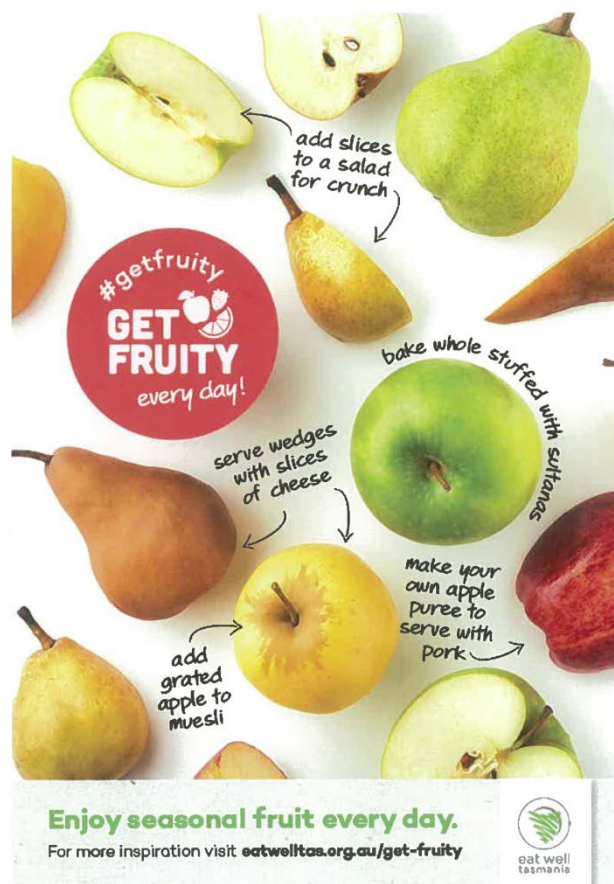
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FAIRHAVEN presents

2018 **Autumn Fayre**

NEW DATE! Saturday 9 June

9AM-2PM

A FUNDRAISER IN SUPPORT OF PEOPLE LIVING WITH DISABILITY

Discover the traditional, homemade, the unusual and regular favourites at our annual autumn fundraising event!

featuring **POOCH PARADE**

Prizes and parade from 11am
Registrations on-site from 10am

40+ STALLS	ANTIQUES AND COLLECTABLES	KIDS ZONE
RAFFLES, PRIZES	NEW AND EXCITING FOOD	BOOK SPILL
MUSIC AND ENTERTAINMENT	UPCYCLED TREASURES	

Gold Coin Donation Entry

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