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Term 3 Week 1 - 25th July 2019

Welcome back to Term 3 and I hope all our students and families have had a very enjoyable and restful holiday. A warm welcome to a number of new families at our school. We are looking forward to another fantastic term at our wonderful school.

On Monday our whole school staff were involved in professional learning which included Writing, Mathematics and implementing Green Screen technology to assist our students in developing their skills with this area of technology.

On our last day of school last term our Kindergarten students, their families and our staff celebrated the wonderful achievement by these students of reaching their first 100 days of schooling. These students have displayed an excellent attitude to school life and they have progressed extremely well as a cohort. Thank you to our wonderful Kindergarten staff and our parents for their ongoing support of these students. Our students were involved in the cutting of a cake, making a video which was displayed on our Facebook page and our parents enjoyed a BBQ lunch with their children.

Our thanks to Mrs Oxenbridge for her excellent organisation of this activity.



On Tuesday our students had the opportunity to attend an Australian Opera performance titled 'By the Light of the Moon'. The feedback was very positive from our students and our thanks to Mr Jones for organising this performance.



Congratulations to the following students who are attending next week's Clarence District Athletics Carnival at Junction Hill on Friday 2nd August: Abigail Woods, Addison Brown, Aiden Menzies, Andrew Hughes, Archie McDonald, Braxson O'Davis, Bridgette Tough, Caitlin Amos, Charlie Rouse, Chelsea Berry, Chloe Taylor, Darby Rouse, Dean Brown, Emily Robertson, Emma Cameron, Esther Barker, Georgia Shorrock, Grace Shorrock, Gretchen Salmon, Hailey Fensom, Isaac Campbell, Joseph Menzies, Keira Lafferty, Kyrin Walker-Martin, Kiedis Laurie-Daley, Kirra Nicholson, Koen Croft, Lachlan Cameron, Lachlan Chard, Lilly Tough, Meg Amos, Mitchell Sharp-Evans, Mylie Wall, Nicola Longstaff, Nicholas Walker, Oliver Hamilton, Owen Marsh, Paton M, Ruby Hatch, Ryan Hobbes, Ryan Lawson, Saphira Sinclair, Saxon Smith-McMullan, Shilah O'Davis, Sophie Parente, Taighan Skennar, Tashiah Woodley, Teya-Rae Sweeting, Wayne Chase Whitney and Zoe Cameron. Mr Jones, Mr Newman and Mrs Warren will be accompanying our students at this carnival. Goodluck!

During the holidays we finalised our Primary canteen and Infants walkway upgrades.

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Yesterday our boy's basketball team played Frank Partridge PS in the 3rd round of the PSSA State Knockout at Nambucca Heads. The team played extremely well showing great sportsmanship and an excellent skill level winning the game 35-28. Well done.

Our thanks to Mrs Sullivan and Mrs Parente who accompanied me to Nambucca Heads and assisted with transport.



Today our girl's soccer team is playing Naranga PS in the 5th round of the PSSA state knockout competition at Coffs Harbour. Good luck to our team and our thanks to our parents and Mr Newman for their support and coaching of this team.

Next Tuesday our fabulous Kindergarten Orientation Program, Preschool Playgroup Plus (PPP) begins in our Infants campus at 9.15am-10.45am. This program runs every Tuesday morning until 26th November for our 2020 Kindergarten students. It provides our school with a great opportunity to get to know our kindergarten students for 2020 and gives all of these students an excellent experience prior to them attending school next year. This program also offers our parents an excellent opportunity to become familiar with our school and build relationships with our staff and other parents. Our thanks to our wonderful staff and Mrs Berry who coordinates this program. Please complete an enrolment form at either office to enrol your preschooler.

Have a great week
Mr Peter Hickey
Principal

Bookclub Issue 5

Book Club Issue 5 will be going home on Monday 29th July and online orders are due by 3.00pm Thursday 8th August, 2019. Just a reminder all orders are to be done online only.



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Aug 5th - 9th
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In Week 3 all NSW Public Schools will be celebrating Education Week with this year's theme 'Every student, every voice'. Our school will be involved in several activities during this week to celebrate our wonderful Public School. On Monday 5th August we will be holding our Stage 2 and Stage 3 Spelling Bees in our Primary Hall, Stage 2 will begin at 9.30am and Stage 3 at 11.30am. Students will be chosen to represent their class over the next 2 weeks. On Wednesday there will be opportunities to attend classrooms plus we will be holding two concerts to celebrate our amazing performing arts initiatives and the talents of our students and staff. Students will receive a note today indicating what performances are being held.

All concerts will be held in the Primary Hall on Wednesday 7th August followed by our open classrooms.

9.30-11.00am - infants and parents day time concert
11.00-11.30am - morning tea can be purchased from the canteen
11.30-12.10am - Open Classrooms Primary campus
12.20-1.00pm - Open Classrooms Infants campus
1.00pm Parents are invited to bring a picnic lunch and share with their children at the Infants campus.

Library News - Visiting Author

Stephen Herrick, a fantastic, dynamic and entertaining Australian author who writes poetry and verse-novels for children and adults will be visiting the Primary Campus next Thursday 1st August in the morning session.



2 sessions will be running in the hall in the morning session.

9.15am-10.00am Years 3 & 5.
10.15am-11.00am Years 4 & 6.

Stephen will be a very entertaining performer. This great opportunity is provided by the school at no cost to our students. Stephen will also bring some of his books that will be available for sale after his show for \$14 each. If any students wish to purchase his books they will need to bring the correct money please.

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Students of the Week Award

KAO	Acacia Carney	3KG	Analoh Edwards-Colley
KRB	Thomas White		
KET	Jorja Eyles	3SB	Flynn Street
KDR	Brycne Esterhuizen	4JR	Finn Hegedus
KTB	Titan Menzies	4ES	Eloise Hayward
1AV	Deklan Collins	4DH	Lily O'Hara
1CK	Miley Abraham	5KR	Taylah Berry
1/2KW	Tyson Cameron	5TC	Camron Grimes
1KD	Samantha King	5/6ER	Isaiah Wright
2JT	Emmie Lolic	6TM	Ryan Hobbes
2MA	Channing Katon	6LG	William Cameron
2LS	Layla B	6DZ	Ruby Bowling
3JD	Liam Drewett		

Principal Awards

Kaiden Wells, Maddison Jones, Quinn Tattis, Olyvia O'Neill, Zoe Cameron, Ava Thurgood-Randall, Allyrah Hunt

Blue Ribbons

Ashley Higgins, Kazrianna Duroux, Shania McCarthy, Chloe Hutchins, Myla Richards, Cooper Close, Sky Boney, Jessie Rohleder, Layla B, Jasmine R, Jaiden Skinner, Zander Lothian, Abbigale Schrader, Ivy McConnell, Drain Skinner, Lachlan Stephens, Maddison Jones, Kaysahn Polley, Sonny McLennan, Banda Elliott, Annabelle Brooks, Seth Sandoz, Titan Menzies, Alex Rouse, Harvey Brown, Darcey-Lee Hamilton, Lucas Falappi, Thomas Patterson, Charlie McLennan, Kade Worthington, Acacia Carney, Sky Boney, Cooper Close, Rhianna Blair, Piper Really, Jena-Leigh Lang, Sophie Wynn, Hunter Kroehnert, Dexter McMahon, Braxon O'Davis, Ayden Smith, Analoh Edwards-Colley, Kalora Hippi, Sasha Lawrence, Ezra Morrison, Isla Vercoe, Isabella Bailey, Deacon Johnson, Solomon B, Violet Nicholson, Violet Cox, Dean Brown, Owen Marsh, Acacia Lever, Mia West, Preston Smith, Clover Staader, Tomi Bahat, Ayden Nacinovic, Abbey Kellaway-Small, Izaac C, Archie McDonald, Camron Grimes, Jayden Fielden, Emilie Patterson, Maeve Giggins, Daniel Ballis, Zara McKenzie, Leara Roberts

Pride Award

Zavier Lloyd, Serenity McDonald, Jack Morrow, Akaisha Pascoe-McIntyre, Declan Hynard, Amayah Christopher, Kaysahn Polley, Ezra Backwell, Seth Sandoz, Kade Worthington, Deannah Dwyer, Charlie McLennan, Phoenix De Bono, Jak Gudz, Sophia Jackson, Dustin White, Lucas Falappi, Thomas Patterson, Jarlee Hippi, Hunter Frost, Kaelan Collett, Nikola Byrnes, Sami Zacek, Cooper Watson, Isabella Taylor, Lacey Carlino, Braithen De Bono, George Roberts, Charlotte Hughes, Amelia Goodwin, Ryan Moran, Taj Giggins, Chloe Hutchins, Cienna Barker, Channing Katon, Anna Clancy, Brianna Knight, Zyrh Pinote, Stevie Ray Simiana, Emmie Lolic, Dylan Edwards, Angel Eyles, Jessie Rohleder, Brodie Rolls, Layla B, Allyrah Hunt, Ava Thurgood-Randall, Sophie Wynn, Jessica Zomer, Isla Vercoe, Brilynn Jones, Lachlan MacLean, Jessica Kelly, Violet Nicholson, Teenikah Hippi, Harmony Fielden, Hannah Johnson, Kalora Hippi, AJ Cox, Nate Tattis,

William Berk, Emma Cameron, Riley Lolic, Emily Robertson, Laurie Ayres, Jacob Maher, Jasmine Eveleigh, Addison Brown, James Drewett, Saphira Sinclair, Jack Brown, Isaiah Rowe, Maddison Burgess, Ella McNee, Taj Lentini, Abby Kellaway-Small, Tallyn Burrows, Esther Barker, Sophie Johnson, Lilly Tough, Rhys Torrens, Zoe Rayward, Charni Adamson, Tamika Gaddes, Teya-Rae Sweeting, Kaleb B, Emily Barrett, Phoenix Higgins, Andrew Hughes, Brayden Grant, Ella Sinclair, Maeve Giggins, Jailon Donohoe

Upcoming Events

Tuesday 30th July	PPP begins
Wednesday 31st July	OC Placement Test for Year 4 applicants
Thursday 1st August	Fresh Dental Visit
Friday 2nd August	Visiting Author Primary
Monday 5th-9th August	Clarence Zone Athletics
Wednesday 7th August	Education Week
Thursday 8th August	Open Day and Performing Arts Concerts
Friday 23rd August	Chess Tournament Yamba
Friday 6th September	Mid North Coast Athletics
Wednesday 28th August	SGHS Scholarship due
Thursday 29th August	Father's Day Stall-Primary
Thursday 12th September	Fathers's Day Stall-Infants
Friday 13th September	Market Day
Wed 18th - Fri 20th Sept	North Coast Athletics
Thursday 19th September	Year 4 Lake Ainsworth
	Infants Athletics Carnival

Canteen

PRIMARY

Monday	Chris Cummins, HELP NEEDED
Tuesday	Riley Burton, HELP NEEDED
Wednesday	Julianne Parente, HELP NEEDED
Thursday	Belinda Wormald, HELP NEEDED
Friday	Sam Pol, Leanne Daveson

INFANTS

Monday	Rebecca Wren, Ashley Ellis
Tuesday	Rhonda King, Barbara Tibbett
Wednesday	Sam Pol, Tiffany Trudgett,
Thursday	Kerri Martin, Rebecca Wren, Jasmine Wise, Ashley Ellis
Friday	Kerri Martin, Sarah McClymont



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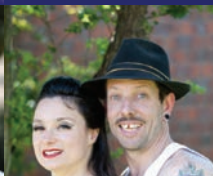
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