



Nurturing Children in an Innovative and Creative Environment

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Term 3 Week 7

27th August, 2013

30 Aug	Book Club orders and money due
30 Aug	North Coast Athletics Trials
3 Sep	Orienteering Day, Upper Orara PS, 3-6K
7 Sep	Election Day Stall & BBQ
10 Sep	School Photos by Kelly Flemming
12 Sep	Science Discovery, K-6, \$2 per student
16 Sep	P&C Meeting, 3.15pm
18 Sep	End of Term Assembly, 2pm
19 Sep	KiK K-2M
19 Sep	Kinder 2014 Parent Session, 1pm-2.30pm
20 Sep	End of Term 3
22 Sep	Bunnings BBQ Fundraiser
7 Oct	Labour Day Holiday
15 Oct	Kinder 2014 Transition, 2pm-2.45pm
8 Oct	Students and staff return, Term 4
23 Oct	Kinder 2014 Transition, 10.20 to 11.20am
31 Oct	Kinder 2014 Transition, 12.30 to 1.30pm
4 Nov	Kinder 2014 Transition, 1.30pm to 3pm
11-22 Nov	Intensive Swimming Scheme. K-6
2-4 Dec	Lake Ainsworth Camp, 3-6K, now \$244 ea

Newsletter Quiz

Our winner of this week's newsletter quiz was the Star family. Thalia has kept our 100% correct record in place.

Election Stall and BBQ

Saturday 7th September at the school, the P&C will be holding a cake stall commencing at 9am. We are asking everyone to help out by making cakes or slices to sell. We need the name and the list of ingredients written on the goods. These can be dropped in on the day or can be left at the school before 3pm Friday.

A sausage sizzle will commence at 10am until 2pm as another way of raising money. Anyone who can help out for an hour or two on the day would be appreciated.

These funds we raise, will help to reduce the cost of the excursions held later in the year.

For further information, please contact Jo Hodgson on 0419 442 019.

Dear Parents and Community Members,

Kids in the Kitchen

A little bit of chopping, a little bit of beating, some cooking and a lot of fun went into the delicious pumpkin soup and muffins last Thursday. Thank you Miss Driscoll and K-2M.



Bunnings Notes to Return

We are still looking for some reserves who are available to help on Sunday, 22nd September, if needed, at the fundraising day at Bunnings.

North Coast PSSA Rugby

Our NC PSSA Rugby side continually improved to end up running 10th at the NSW State Carnival. We were the 2nd most successful regional side behind the South Coast defeating Western, Riverina & North West Districts.

North Coast Athletics Trials

On Friday Sirene, Savannah, Eachan and Mia will head to Lismore for the North Coast Athletics carnival. A very big thank you to Anthony Brandie who will pick them up from the Yellow Shed, Bellingen at 6am. Please don't be late. *All the best for the day.*

Scholastic Book Club

Book Club orders and money due this Friday.

"Raleigh Public School creative and performing arts programs allow all students to develop their individual talents."

iPad App of the Week

The Targeting Maths app is an amazing new way to learn mathematics. Within this app, students can access a huge range of activities that make learning maths facts fun, motivating and very rewarding!



Lake Ainsworth Camp 3-6K

Repton Public School is coordinating the Lake Ainsworth Camp and they need definite numbers by Thursday at the latest of those who will be attending. Please return your permission notes and deposit by then or phone the school if your child would like to go. Mrs Jones will be in the office this Thursday to take your call.

At the P&C meeting yesterday it was agreed to pay the bus component of the excursion which will reduce it to \$244 per student.

Next P&C Meeting 16th September, 2013.

Crunch & Sip Grant

We have applied for a grant of \$400 for our school garden as we are a registered as a Crunch & Sip School and meet the implementation guidelines. This will supplement the management costs for our highly accredited school garden.

Recess and lunch order Orienteering Day

Apologies for any confusion caused by handing out the Recess and Lunch order forms separately. There appears to be 2 separate menus. Well done to Lilee, Miles and Mia for returning theirs so promptly.

Medical Forms

Could we please return the medical forms even if your child does not have an allergy or medical condition. Thank you to families who have already done so.

Fathers' Day

A small gift will be given to your child for Fathers' Day this year (no charge). We hope all our dads have a **HAPPY FATHERS' DAY.**

August Birthdays

We would like to wish **Eachan, Musa and Janae** a very Happy Birthday. Have fun!

Science Discovery Day

On Thursday 12th September we will be visited by a touring science education van. Paul and Jo will do a one hour Electricity and Magnetism demonstration and a recess activity. We are asking students to bring in **\$2 to participate.**

Transition & Orientation Days

Attached to this newsletter is our Kinder 2014 Transition and Orientation days information. Please feel free to give it to anyone who may be thinking of sending their child to Raleigh Public School next year. Our Parent session is Thursday 19 September from 1pm to 2.30pm.

Banking Student of the Week

The Commonwealth Bank has introduced a new incentive to student who bank. Each week a student who has made a deposit will be chosen to receive the 'Student of the Week' prize. Congratulations to **Savanah** who is our first winner. Savanah chose the cylinder of coloured pencils.



Bellingen FC Presentation Day

The Bellingen FC **Presentation Day 2013** will be held on **Saturday 31st August from 3pm** at Connell Park. The location is at the netball shed which is located next to the pool toilet block and the playground near the pool parking. There will be a free sausage sizzle for everyone and a drink. Please all come along to cheer for all the teams and hand out of shields to all players.

Urunga Bellinger valley Little Athletics Club

Registration Days

Sunday 8th September @ 10am Bellingen – IGA

*you also can register online www.laansw.com.au