



Nurturing Children in an Innovative and Creative Environment

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Term 1 Week 2

4th February 2014

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| 10 Feb | AASC commences |
| 12 Feb | Small Schools Swimming Carnival |
| 13 Feb | KiK, 3-6K, \$3 each or \$12 term |
| 21 Feb | District Swimming Carnival, Macksville |
| 27 Feb | KiK, K-2M, \$3 each |
| 3 Mar | MNC Swimming Carnival |
| 5 Mar | Mid Term Assembly, 2pm |
| 7 Mar | Scripture commences |
| 13 Mar | KiK, 3-6K |
| 27 Mar | KiK, K-2M, \$3 each |

Our new School Captain and School Leaders



Dear Parents and Community Members,

Welcome back to Raleigh Public School

Welcome back to all students, parents and staff to a busy and rewarding school year. Our school grounds and buildings have been maintained and enhanced over the holidays by our staff (thanks Amanda & Dawn) and it has been a pleasure to return to this magnificent environment.

"Raleigh Public School believes in Me"

New Students

We would like to welcome our new Kinder students Carmelena and Chauntel and Emily in Year 5. We hope you enjoy your time at Raleigh Public School. This has our class numbers at 15 in K-2M and 19 in 3-6K.

Raleigh Public School Leaders

Congratulations to school leaders Mia, Eachan, Brooke, Rebecca and Georgia who gave their captains speeches yesterday and were inducted as School Leaders. Brooke was successful in being voted as School Captain and will lead the team in their role as student leaders of Raleigh Public School.

As student leaders they have the opportunity to attend a Leadership Conference in Brisbane on Monday, 3rd March. A note has been given to these students and a permission note will follow closer to the event.

Office Unattended on Thursdays

Thursday of each week is the day that our office is unattended and we ask that you email on raleigh-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au or leave a message on our school phone 6655 4228 for non-urgent matters which can be dealt with the following day. For urgent matters Mr King can be contacted on 0407 542 044 or for messages to students please text before 2.45pm.

Wednesday is Library and Music Day

Mrs Champion and Mrs Thorn will be here on Wednesdays for Library and Creative & Practical Arts lessons. Please remember your equipment for these lessons on Wednesdays.

Putt Bennett Family Fishing Festival

I hope some of our families had fun at the Putt Bennett Family Fishing Festival which was held in January. As a sign of appreciation they have donated a number of \$10 vouchers for use at 'Surfside Pizza'. There are enough vouchers for one per family and they need to be used by 31/3/14.

Active After School Communities

Active After School Communities (AASC) will begin in week 3. On Monday, 2-3pm, K-2 Ball Games/Softball, 3-6K TBA and Friday, 2-3pm K-2 Yoga & 3-6 AFL.

"Raleigh Public School is a welcoming and friendly school with strong and valued community links."

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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Newsletter Quiz

Mr King will ring a family each Wednesday close to 6pm to ask a question from our weekly newsletter. The children from the selected family will receive a juice block upon answering the question correctly.

Kids in the Kitchen Lunches for Term 1, 2014

During the term there will be four KiK lunches. They will be held on Thursdays with the first being organised by 3-6K on Thursday 13th February. They will be held each fortnight from then on. The cost of the lunches are \$3 each. Lunches can be paid by Tuesday prior to the cooking or the preferred method is \$12 for the term.

Small Schools Swimming Carnival

3-6K will be attending the Small Schools Swimming Carnival on Wednesday 12th February at Bellinger Pool. The cost of entry is \$2 to be paid on entry. Notes have been handed out today.



Student Banking

Don't forget that Wednesday is Student Banking day and students should bring in their weekly deposit. For every deposit made at school, no matter how big or small, students will receive a cool Dollarmites token. Once students have individually collected 10 tokens they can redeem them for an exclusive School Banking reward item in recognition of their continued savings behaviour. The rewards for Term 1 and Term 2 are displayed in the front office. They look cool!

BELLINGEN FOOTBALL CLUB

SOCCER REGISTRATION FOR 2014

Pre-register on line at www.myfootballclub.com.au. You can choose to pay on line, or you can pay (cash or cheque)

at one of below registration days.

Saturday 08/02/2013 at Connell Park, Bellinger

Time: 10:00 am to 12:00 am

Saturday 15/02/2013 at Connell Park, Bellinger

Time: 10:00 am to 12:00 am

Wednesday 19/02/2013 at Bellinger Gelato Bar

Time: 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm

Urunga Physical Culture Club

Urunga Physical Culture Club has been providing fun and affordable exercise classes for the girls and ladies of the Bellinger Valley for many years. Physical Culture is a choreographed syllabus of Dance, exercises and fitness routines done to modern music. Physie helps to develop co-ordination, fitness, flexibility, balance and benefits academic skills of concentration, sequencing, fine and gross motor skills, listening skills, memory and teamwork all in a fun and friendly environment. Our website is www.epphysi.com.au

Classes are held each Monday for girls from preschoolers through to Ladies. Preschoolers 3.30pm, 5 – 8 yrs 4.00pm, 9 – 12 yrs 4.45 pm 13-16yrs 5.45 pm, Seniors 17 – 25 yrs 6.45pm; Ladies 7.30, commencing Monday 17th February, at the Senior Citizens Hall, behind the Seafood Takeaway in Urunga. If you would like to be part of this active friendly club for the beneficial enjoyment of exercise and dance please turn up at the class times or contact Sue 66500717 or 0421934525 for further information.

"Talk has no value if there is no-one to listen."

Graeme A. S. Browne

Kids in the Kitchen Lunches Term 1

I would like my child/ren _____ to have KiK lunches this term.

The dates are Thursdays 13th February, 27th February, 13th March and 27 March, 2014.

☐ I enclose \$12 for the term (per child).

☐ I would like my child to have KiK lunches and will pay \$3 per child by Tuesday each week it is held.

Signed: _____

Date: _____