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We acknowledge the Gumbayngirr Peoples as the traditional custodians of our School lands

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Greetings,

Term 4 is now in full swing and I can honestly say that at Tyalla Primary School, it has been one of the most positive starts that I have ever experienced. Things have progressed quite smoothly and the climate in the school is truly excellent. Our Stage 3 students have returned from a very successful camp at Lake Ainsworth and the reports of beautiful behaviour and co-operation have been very good to hear. Special thanks to the staff members that so willingly gave up their own time to make this happen. Well done everyone.

SHOW & SHINE

Thank you to everyone that assisted and volunteered last week when we ran the Coffs Harbour Shannon's Show & Shine at Geoff King Motors Oval. It was a very successful day and raised much needed funds to reduce the cost of the swimming programs we are now offering our children. Your assistance was very much appreciated.

LIGHTHOUSE COMMUNITY OF SCHOOLS CONCERT

You will see in this newsletter that it is almost time for our annual Lighthouse Community of Schools concert which is being held on Monday, 27th October at 7.00pm at C.ex. This is a very exciting event that showcases some of the incredible talents that we have in our Coffs Harbour Public Schools. Students from Tyalla, Coffs Harbour, Narranga and Kororo primary schools combine with those from Orara and Coffs Harbour High Schools to present a night of Creative and Practical Arts. It should be a really great night and well worth attending. Tickets are available from the C.ex Club in Coffs Harbour (Adults: \$10.50, Children: \$6.50).

SWIMMING

As you would be aware, we are about to embark upon our swimming program for our students. We have two different programs that we are offering. It is indeed important that they are not confused with one another. Firstly, we are offering intensive swimming lessons for those students from Year 2 to 6 who are not yet fully competent or confident with their swimming. This activity costs \$30 for 10 lessons and is extremely good value. Secondly, we are also offering swimming as part of sport for our Stage 2 students. The focus here is on improving the skills of the swimmers, whether they are strong swimmers or beginners. This program will be taking place over 9 weeks and is also very good value at just \$25.

ENROLMENTS FOR 2015

We are currently in the process of organising our 2015 school year at Tyalla Public School. This is always a huge consideration as we plan class groupings, teachers, rooms and all the necessary organisation that comes with a busy school.

If you have a child that will be starting Kindergarten next year, please come into the school and enrol them as soon as possible as it allows us to gain a better picture of 2015 and also enables you to take part in the range of Kindergarten transition activities that we have planned.

Have a great week,
Stewart Copeland
Principal

KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENT/ORIENTATION

HAVE YOU ENROLLED YOUR CHILD FOR KINDERGARTEN 2015?

KINDERGARTEN ORIENTATION SESSIONS COMMENCING SOON:

STORYTIME FUN: Thurs, 16th, 23rd, 30th Oct (2.00pm)
Join us in our library for an afternoon of stories and activities.

KINDERGARTEN EXPO: Fri, 7th Nov (9.30am - 11.00am)
Parent information session / students to classroom.

CLASS ORIENTATION: Fri, 14th Nov (9.30am - 11.00am).
Just for students!

TEDDY BEAR'S PICNIC: Fri, 21st Nov (10.00am - 11.10am).
Bring your favourite teddy to school to join the fun!

Come and join the fun!



IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

17th October FRIDAY	WHOLE SCHOOL ASSEMBLY (9.10AM) - all welcome
17th October FRIDAY	STAGE 2 SWIMMING FOR SPORT COMMENCES - (Fridays for 9 weeks) don't forget your gear!
27th October MONDAY	LIGHTHOUSE COMMUNITY OF SCHOOLS CONCERT - a flyer accompanies today's newsletter
27/10 - 7/11 MON-FRI	INTENSIVE SWIMMING - please return permission notes and \$30 ASAP
9th December TUESDAY	2014 TYALLA PRESENTATION DAY (10.00AM) - save the date!
17th December WEDNESDAY	FINAL DAY OF TERM 4 - all students

CANTEEN ROSTER

WEEK BEGINNING MONDAY, 20TH OCTOBER, 2014

Monday, 20th October	Alison Wilson, Jodie Morley
Tuesday, 21st October	Alison Wilson, Daphne Miller
Wednesday, 22nd October	Craig Woods
Thursday, 23rd October	Marie Keech, Sarah Balazs
Friday, 24th October	Marie Keech, Craig Woods

PRICE CHANGE

Please note - lemonade icy poles now \$1.60 each.



P&C NEWS

Hi all ... I hope you managed to make it out to the Show & Shine on the long weekend. It was a fantastic day, and much kudos must go to Mr Copeland and his band of helpers. This was another stunning example of our fabulous Tyalla community in action.

Many thanks to the staff, students, parents, community and P&C volunteers who helped out on the day. Also, a special thank you to Penny Heap who coordinated the canteen on the day, and to Kylie Ryan for her amazing assistance, despite soldiering on through injury! The canteen raised much needed funds which will go towards maintaining our healthy five day a week canteen for our Tyalla kids to enjoy. Well done everyone.

Emma Hazell **(P&C President)**

**NEXT P&C
MEETING 3/11**

INTENSIVE SWIMMING

Intensive Swimming notes have gone out. This is a 10 day program for students from Year 2 to Year 6. The cost is only \$30 due to the hard work of our P&C committee and Mr Copeland, who worked tirelessly to organise and run the recent Show & Shine. A total of \$3,000 was raised to subsidise the cost of this swimming program. Please see the note for additional details. Notes must be returned by Wednesday, 22nd October to secure a place.

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK, TERM 4 WEEK 1



Students of the Week

Congratulations to our Students of the Week ... Angus Brown, Shakira Sultana, Sean Milaudi, Kodi Steel-Harrison, Ruby Kirkland, Jarryd Burns, J'Nahli McPherson, Matthew Greyling, Samantha Mills, Amber McMahon-Nicol, Jagvir Singh, Ashlea Daley and Calem Chivers.

CLASS OF THE WEEK

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ASSEMBLY AWARDS - TERM 4, WEEK 1



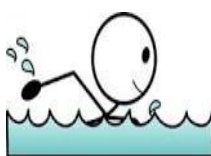
SILVER: Angus Brown, Danielle Bruce, Arabella Koufis, Ava Hughes, Sharntaye Brittliff, Amber McMahon-Nicol, Yar Makuer, Charlie Jones, Julia Shaw, Harmonie Shaw



GOLD: Ada Hyde, Julia Shaw, Harmonie Shaw

STAGE 2 SWIMMING FOR SPORT

All stage 2 students will be slip, slop, slapping at the pool this Friday for their very first lesson. Every week, students will get a structured swimming lesson to improve their knowledge of water safety while working on improving swimming ability and fitness levels. These lessons are part of our Physical Education and Sport Program and it is expected that all students will attend. All notes must be returned tomorrow. If parents/carers need to pay off the \$25 fee, rather than a lump sum payment, that's fine. Please ensure your child's note is handed in so they can attend on Friday.



Next Assembly

Friday, 17th October - 9.10am - Whole School Assembly

NEWCOMBE BALL NEWS

Round 4 Winners: Beasts, Indestructibles, Allstars, Big M's

Overall Rankings: 5th - Pink Panthers

4th - AAP

3rd - Element

2nd - Indestructibles, Big M's, Beasts

1st - Allstars



There are three more rounds left! There will be a round of finals for the top four teams, followed by a grand final for the top two teams.

Medallions will be presented for second place and trophies for the champion team.

It has been a really exciting competition and all students involved have shown great effort and sportsmanship. Well done and thank you to all of those students for making this competition so enjoyable.

A big thank you to Ms Tina Owen (our Community Liaison Officer) for taking photos and posting them on our web page: www.tyalla-p.schools.nsw.edu.au

Mr Ferguson (Newcombe Ball Organiser)

thank you

A big thank you to Mrs Morrow for making 28 crocheted finger puppets for the library. What a fantastic resource!



AUTISM WORKSHOP

Accompanying today's newsletter is a flyer from Positive Partnerships inviting parents/carers of school aged children on the autism spectrum to a free two-day workshop in Coffs Harbour on 12th & 13th November. Preferred method of registration is online (as outlined on the flyer). If you do not have access to a computer please visit the school office to collect a paper application.



HEALTHY LUNCHBOX WINNER

Congratulations to Jesse Spencer



COFFS HARBOUR TOUCH FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION JUNIOR SUMMER COMPETITION



Touch football is a terrific non-contact sport that both boys and girls can participate in together. Teams consist of 7 players, plus reserves (10 to 12 team members is ideal) and the competition is divided into three age divisions: 7-9, 9-11 and 11-13 years. Teams are supplied with playing uniforms, the cost of which is included in the registration fee of \$60 per player. This also covers a Christmas and Grand Final BBQ. Each team plays in a grand final and every child receives a trophy.

Our Junior Competition is due to start on Monday, 13th October with a registration afternoon from 4.30pm and trial matches starting the week after.

Competition outline and team nomination forms are available from the school office or contact CHTA.

Secretary

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President

Barry Gardiner (6652 6934)

Visit our Website: <http://www.chtfa.org.au>

CONGRATULATIONS

NSW Premier's
Sporting Challenge
2014

AWARD RECIPIENTS



Assembly Awards - Term 3 (Weeks 9 & 10)

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK - WEEK 9

Paul Jones, Bethany Burns, Storm Stollery, Kade McLaughlin, James Buist, Yar Makuer, Bella Morley, Ausrae Harrison, Imogen Richards, Chelsea Turner, Madison Russell, Latrelle Duncan, Brendon Godfrey, Shayla Keogh, Tamika McKay, Nathan Pensch and Ada Hyde.

CLASS OF THE WEEK: 3 - 4 DK

ASSEMBLY AWARDS - WEEK 9



SILVER: Mikaela Johnston, Maree Morcom-Taylor, Jahrlo McPherson, Cody Paroz, Jake Lucas-Strauss, Jacinta Moores, Samantha Mills, Jarrah Kelly, Paige Ribbe Rogers, Hugh Koufis



GOLD: Jahrlo McPherson, Jake Lucas-Strauss, Hugh Koufis



RUBY & EMERALD: Laura Spooner

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK - WEEK 10

Britney Robertson, Harlee Delaney, Jorja Davis, Stirling McDonald, Roanan Seiver, Rhianna Edwards, Layla Pinazza, Billiejean Gordon-Smith, Patrick Buist, Hannah Burns, Judd Watters-Campbell, Maaja Roberts-Jarrett

CLASS OF THE WEEK: 1MO

ASSEMBLY AWARDS - WEEK 10



SILVER: Mikayla Walker, Jade Davies, Mikayla Johnston, Laura Foster, Bailey Owens, Bailey Burling, Mia Trebilcock, Ada Hyde, Harry Logan, BB Barker



GOLD:
Luhtrel Bridges

**CONGRATULATIONS
TO ALL OF OUR
AWARD
RECIPIENTS**



UNIVERSITY OF NSW ACADEMIC COMPETITIONS

Congratulations to Chloe Addison, Mali Morrison & Laura Spooner