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

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Greetings,

VISITING THE SCHOOL

Thank you to everyone who signs in at the front office when visiting to help out in classrooms or drop things in for their children. Please report to the office first so that we know who is on our site should there be an emergency or problem requiring a quick action or response.

STUDENT REPORTS

Next week you will be receiving your child's report for semester one. The report will contain information about how your child has progressed and achieved across the curriculum for terms one and two. The report is all about what your child can do and what they need to work on this semester. Some skills will be carried into semester two such as oral reading, talking and listening or using number facts while other skills will be entirely new due to new work being done and different areas of the curriculum being covered. Hence, their assessments for semester two, though under the same curriculum name, may be quite different in ability level.

CENTRAL NETWORK DANCE FESTIVAL

Congratulations to our Junior and Senior dance groups who will be performing at the North Coast Region Central Dance Festival tomorrow night at the Cex Coffs (Vernon St, Coffs Harbour). The Festival will begin at 7:00pm. Students involved will need to arrive at 5.15pm.

Tickets are \$16 for Adults and \$9 for Students/Concession. Performers do not require tickets. Tickets can be purchased from the club by calling 66523888 or by booking online at www.cex.com.au. Tickets for this Festival are always very popular so please ensure that you get in early to avoid disappointment.

This is a fantastic opportunity for our students and should be a great night of dance!

HAVE A REALLY GREAT HOLIDAY

This is our final newsletter for the term as we all prepare for the July school holidays. Please make sure that you have a very happy and safe holiday period and I look forward to catching up with everyone next term.

Last day of school for this term is next Friday, 27th of June. The first day back next term for students is Tuesday, 15th July.

Have a really great week,

Stewart Copeland
Principal

*Happy
Holidays*

IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

19th June THURSDAY	North Coast Region 'Central Dance Festival' - Cex Club (commencing at 7.00pm)
20th June FRIDAY	Winter Carnival (Years 3 to 6) - permission notes and payment due
20th June FRIDAY	Year 1 & 2 Excursion - Arrawarra Fish Traps - permission notes and \$4 payment due
23rd June MONDAY	P&C Meeting (7.00pm - Staffroom) - all welcome
23rd June MONDAY	Stage 2 Reward Day (Fun Factory) - please return permission note & \$5 ASAP
24th June TUESDAY	Stage 3 Reward Day (Jetty Foreshores) - please return permission note and \$4 ASAP
25th June WEDNESDAY	Stage 1 Reward Day (Fun Factory) - please return permission note & \$5 ASAP
27th June FRIDAY	Final Day of Term 2 - happy holidays!
14th July MONDAY	Staff Development Day - pupil free day
15th July TUESDAY	First Day of Term 3 - all students return
17th July THURSDAY	School Athletics Carnival - further details to follow

**THURSDAY
26TH JUNE**
Sausage Sizzle
Meal Deal

CANTEEN ROSTER

WEEK BEGINNING MONDAY, 23RD JUNE, 2014

Monday, 23rd June	Jodi Morley, Alison Wilson
Tuesday, 24th June	Daphne Miller, Alison Wilson
Wednesday, 25th June	Penny Heap, Craig Woods
Thursday, 26th June	Kylie Sellings, Marie Keech, Alison Wilson
Friday, 27th June	Kylie Sellings, Marie Keech

CANTEEN NEWS

The canteen will be closed **THIS FRIDAY, 20TH JUNE.**
(Winter Carnival/Year 1 and 2 Excursion) ... Kylie ☺

Thursday, 26th June - Sausage Sizzle Meal Deal - notes will be sent home tomorrow and must be returned by Wednesday, 25th June at the latest.



P&C NEWS

The next P&C meeting is on Monday, 23rd June at 7.00pm in the staffroom. Please come along and support your school. P&C meetings are a great way to find out what is happening at Tyalla and gives you a chance to share your ideas.

Hope to see you there.

Emma Hazell (P&C President)

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK - TERM 2, WEEK 7



Congratulations to our Students of the Week ...
Mia Trebilcock, Lauren Broad, Harmonie Shaw, Chloe Jones, Zara Turner, Al Roberts-Jarrett, Joleen Bertram, Harry Hazell-Pickering, Antwone Robertson, Noah Burns, Brendon Godfrey, Kiara-Lee Miles, Brooke Potter, Julia Shaw, J'Nahli McPherson and Kaleb Bourke. Keep up the fantastic work.

CLASS OF THE WEEK

Term 2, Week 7
6JM ... congratulations!



ASSEMBLY AWARDS - TERM 2, WEEK 7



SILVER: Noah Burns, Imogen Oakes, Isabella Burns, Kaden Holt, Ava Hughes, Nyahlani Bancroft-Duroux, Ava-Lee Werner-Jooss (inset)



GOLD: Tahlea Moate, Alanna Harrison, Imogen Oakes

TERM DATES

Final Day of Term 2 (all students)
Friday, 27th June

First Day of Term 3 (all students)
Tuesday, 15th July

THANK YOU TO BRUMBY'S BAKERY

A huge thank you to Brumby's Bakery *Thank You* who have supported Tyalla's Breakfast Club for the past 8 years. Each week Brumbies have supplied loaves of bread for toast, helping students to fill their tummies and get their brains ready to learn. Please help to support the businesses who support us.



THANK YOU OFFICEWORKS

In Week 6 Tyalla hosted a visit from award winning author Lian Tanner. Stage 3 students listened to Lian talk about her writing experiences in the morning and then selected students joined Lian for a creative writing workshop. The day's activities were made possible by Matt Spooner from Coffs Harbour Officeworks. As the sponsor Matt not only funded the day but supplied sample bags for all the students and donated 4 large ottomans for our library. Tyalla staff and students would like to take this opportunity to thank Matt and Officeworks for their generosity.



**CANTEEN CLOSED THIS
FRIDAY - 20TH JUNE**

DOES SPEAKING ANOTHER LANGUAGE AT HOME CONFUSE CHILDREN?

Are your children fortunate enough to be growing up in a home where two or more languages are spoken? Many parents worry that bilingualism can cause confusion and even delays in learning for their children, but according to the Raising Children Network, that's not the case at all. A good knowledge of your native language can actually help your child with learning English. Bilingual children who are read books and spoken to in their native language find it easier to learn to read and write in English when they get to school. For further information visit: www.bit.ly/1m0agnk



Next Assembly

Friday, 20th June - 9.10am - Whole School Assembly

HEALTHY FOOD TO BEAT THE WINTER CHILL!

Chicken & Vegetable Soup with Cheese Sticks

Ingredients

2 skinless chicken breast fillets
1 litre reduced salt chicken stock
1 tablespoon canola oil
2 leeks, washed and thinly sliced
2 carrots, diced
2 sticks celery, diced
3 cloves garlic, crushed
6 cups young green leaves (watercress, rocket, sorrel, baby spinach), washed
3 tablespoons pesto
Cracked pepper to taste



Cheese Sticks

1 sheet canola puff pastry, thawed
3 tablespoons finely grated reduced fat cheese

Method

Put the chicken in a pot, add just enough chicken stock to cover and poach gently for about 10 minutes or until just cooked. Set aside to cool.

Heat the oil in a large pot, add the leeks and cook gently for about 2 minutes until soft. Add the carrot, celery and garlic, strain the chicken poaching stock through a fine sieve and add to the vegetables with the rest of the stock. Simmer for 10 minutes. Chop the greens finely, add to the soup and cook for a further 10 minutes.

Tear the chicken breasts into fine shreds and add them to the soup. Stir in the pesto and season with plenty of cracked black pepper.

To make cheese sticks preheat oven to 220°C. Cut the puff pastry into 2cm thick strips and place on a paper lined baking tray. Sprinkle with the cheese and bake for 20 minutes or until crisp and golden. Serve the soup in wide bowls with cheese sticks.

source: www.healthykids.gov.nsw.au/recipes