Shane’s Simplicities......

Farewell and Thanks

For the past twelve months Mrs Sue Warnes has filled the role of Acting Assistant Principal - Learning and Support which services the schools of the Richmond Valley schools and is based in our school. Sue has been called by the bright lights of Sydney for a period of time and will conclude her role in our school this coming Friday. Sue has been a wonderful benefit to our staffing mix, offering her wise input and support to all aspects of our learning and support programs. On behalf of the school I wish Sue all the best during her city venture and trust that her future colleagues will enjoy the same benefits of her wisdom and experience as well have enjoyed over the past year.

APL&S Vacancy

Sue’s departure from our school coincides with the formal process of selecting a permanent replacement to fill this vacancy. The position has never had a permanent face since it was relocated to our school last year. The process of selecting a permanent officer for this position is currently underway with departmental merit selection procedures being used. More information will be shared once the selection process has been completed and an appointment made to the position.

Athletics Success

Last week Chloe Trustum competed at the Regional PSSA Athletics carnival in Lismore and managed to throw herself into selection for state honours, having won the discus event. Chloe will now compete in the State Finals in Sydney in the coming weeks. Chloe’s extra training sessions have obviously paid off and we wish her well at the next level of completion. Chloe is a Champion.

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P & C Meeting
Monday 21 October 6:30pm

“The more you are like yourself, the less you are like anyone else, which makes you unique”.

Walt Disney

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Canteen Update

Issues being experienced with the successful operation of our P&C Canteen were discussed at the P&C meeting last Monday. It is not possible for the meeting of 8 people to represent our 70+ families so it was decided to canvass thoughts, opinions and availability of others to help by means of the note sent home yesterday. Please take the time to respond as planning for next terms canteen operations needs to be finalised and put in place before the end of THIS term.

Students on display

Congratulations to our senior students who demonstrated their developing readiness for high school through their active and well mannered participation at least weeks' Evans River Challenge. It is always nice to receive positive and complimentary feedback about our students when off representing our school.

Community of Schools Public Speaking

Next week our school will play host to the finals of a locally arranged public speaking competition between Evans River, Broadwater and Woodburn Public Schools. This is the inaugural hosting of this event which we hope to see recurring over the years ahead and with the inclusion of Coraki PS as well. Coraki had other commitments this year which prevented their participation. This is another opportunity for local students to showcase their skills in the area of public speaking.

SRC Fundraiser

This Friday 6 September, students and staff are encouraged to wear the colours of their favourite footy team and bring along a gold coin donation. Funds raised on Footy Colours Day go to supporting kids with cancer and their families.

The SRC are also having a good old fashioned cake day and guessing competition to support Chloe Trustum in her discus representation at State Athletics Championships. All members of the SRC and reserves, if they choose, are asked to bring in a batch of cupcakes to be sold on Thursday 12 September. These will be sold for a gold coin donation. Your chance to win in the guessing competition will be fifty cents, guesses will be on sale until the end of term.

Tracey Tebbutt
SRC Patron

2/3T Art Works

Last Friday the eight students from Year 2/3 who entered their whale artwork in a competition in conjunction with the University Centre for Rural Health at Lismore, received the prize from Wendy Byron. This was an Ipad, which will be available for the class to use. Congratulations go to Maddison Gordon, Zac Gillett, Daniel Williams, Oliver Webb, Kyla Smith, Leni Caine-Roberts, Bayley Williams and Drew Humphris. Look out for the articles in upcoming editions of the Northern Star and Rivertown Times.

Tracey Tebbutt
Class Teacher

Premier’s Spelling Bee

Bailey Trustum, Ben Fletcher and Troy Turner will attend the Regional Final of the Premier’s Spelling Bee at Alstonville Public School on Thursday 12 September 2013. We all wish them the best of luck. Keep practising those words boys.

Tracey Tebbutt
PSB Co-ordinator

Choir Performance At Riverside Festival

The Woodburn Public School Choir will be singing at the Riverside Festival at Riverview Park, Woodburn Saturday 12 October 2013 (this includes all children in Kindergarten, Year 1 and 2/3T). Our choir has been performing at this event for several years now and we have been working hard toward this performance all term. In order for us to perform and to be a success we will need as many of the children in the School Choir to attend. The children are to come dressed in school uniform. Keep watching the School Newsletter for meeting and performance times.

Miss Suzanne Johnston
Choir TEACHER
Year 1 Performance French Assembly

Year 1 will be performing a Rap for the French Assembly next Friday. For our performance we will be wearing caps and bling with uniform. If you child has any long, gold, bling, rapper chains could you please send them to school. All Year 1 students will also need to bring a cap to school to wear for the assembly.

Suzanne Johnston
Year 1 Teacher.

School Photos

Those wishing to order Whole School (Maxi) $20, SRC, School Leaders or Sports Captain $14 ea, 2 for $26, 3 for $35, 4 for $44 or 5 for $50 can now do so at the office. (Please note that the whole school photo is not included in the above deal). The photos are on display in the office and must be ordered by 16 September - late orders will incur a $5 fee.

Kindergarten 2014 – Important Dates

Parent Information Night Monday 28 October @ 6 pm
Student Orientation Days
- Wednesday 30 Oct 9:25 - 11:25 am
- Wednesday 6 Nov 9:25 - 11:25 am
- Wednesday 13 Nov 9:25 - 11:25 am
Register your interest now!

Canteen Roster

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Uniforms

NEW Hooded Jumpers now in stock - $25 ea, sizes 6 - 16 available. Sloppy joes will be discontinued - $15 till sold out!

Kim Skaines
UNIFORM COORDINATOR

Student Banking

Remember to bring in your banking each Friday. If you would like to open an account with the Commonwealth Bank please come to the office for an application form.
Lyn Blake
SCHOOL BANKING COORDINATOR

Community Stuff

Evans Head & Woodburn Pre Schools

We’re Forty and Fabulous!!!!
Evans Head Pre-School Association is celebrating 40 years of service to the community.
Are you, or were your children, past enrolments? We are having a big celebration on Sunday 27 October, 4-5pm open pre-school. 5pm onwards – Dinner and celebrating at Evans Head Bowlo
Tickets will be available soon.
Do you know of anyone we can invite to our celebration? Please call 66825235 or email us evansheadpreschool@bigpond.com.

REMINDER - BROWN PAPER BAGS ARE 10C EACH IF NOT BROUGHT FROM HOME!
Please have your money securely placed in your lunch bag! Parent Helpers for the next week are in bold. Thanks for your ongoing help - we really appreciate you! If you cannot make it on your rostered day it is up to you to find a replacement. Any ideas for canteen PLEASE come along to the next P & C Meeting!
Commemorative Cookbook
We are currently compiling a cookbook jam packed with favourite recipes, photos, drawings, quotes and memories. If you have an association with the pre-school, please send us your favourite recipe and any pre-school snaps, memories or quotes ASAP.

40 years is a big achievement. Help us celebrate.

Woodburn Riverside Festival 2013
Riverside Park, Woodburn Saturday, 12 October - this is the first weekend after the school holidays. Start designing and building your raft for the Great Raft Race! Rafts can be made of anything that will float as long as it is not a boat or a rubber raft, and must not be motor-powered. Start training for the Biathlon! Swim across the river and run back across the bridge.
Two age groups - 16 and under, and over 16. Plus much more entertainment and activities during the day from 10am to 9pm. For more information contact the Woodburn Visitor Information Centre on 6682 2032.

Woodburn Wolves Presentation Day
Saturday 14 Sept 2013 From 11am. Lots of things to do, BBQ lunch, trophy presentations. Come along and celebrate another great season. Woodburn Wolves Football Club Annual General Meeting to be held 15.10.13 @ Woodburn Pub, commencing at 7 pm. All Welcome!

Evans River Fundraiser
The Evans River K-12 School P & C is holding a fundraising event on the day of the Federal Election, (7 September) from 8am - 3pm. The event will be held at the school in the Primary area. All funds raised by the P&C will go to assist in extending the Primary play equipment. There will be a Sausage Sizzle cooking from 8am, as well as coffee, tea and cake available and a GIANT Garage Sale. There will also be Rabbit Hopping Events and bunny displays put on by the Northern NSW Rabbit Hopping and Companion Club (as seen at Crankfest). Phone or email Lyn Thomson with any enquiries. lynette.thomson8@det.nsw.edu.au ph: 66826666.

CASINO TAFE is offering a Certificate IV in Frontline Management, 1 evening per week commencing in Term 4. If interested please contact the Campus on 6661 2000.

Evans Head–Casino Surf Lifesaving
Club SIGN ON Sunday 8 September 9am to 11am & Sunday 15 September 9am to 10am At the club house & Charity Golf Day 15 September 9am Start 4 Person Ambrose $ 25 per Player includes lunch. To book your spot call Woodburn- Evans Head golf Club 6682 2385

Evans Head Cricket
Evans Head Cricket club is hoping to put together some junior cricket teams for the upcoming season. If you would be interested in joining one of these teams please contact Paddy Wilde on 66828144 to register your interest.

Memorial Quiz Night
Noel Pursey & Daisy Battese Saturday 14 Sept - 7 pm start at Coraki Bowling Club. Restaurant will be open. Theme: Favourite Footy Team Teams of 6 - For bookings phone Luisa on 66 832 322 or just turn up on the night. Light supper provided. Fundraising for Mid Richmond Historical Society.

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