Shane’s Simplicities......

Spelling Bee Finals

Congratulations to all four students who participated in the Regional Spelling Bee finals at Wyrallah Road Public School last Monday. Our participants included Damien Rojcevic and Andrew Jordan who competed in the senior category, along with Jack Ramirez-Sheen and Troy Turner who competed in the junior section.

On this day Troy Turner showed his spelling prowess and placed as runner up in the junior division. This is a mighty fine effort from Troy.

Big Day In

Many thanks to the staff, students and community members who helped ensure another very successful Big Day In was held last week. The weather was perfect following recent rain and students were kept busily involved in the array of sports on offer.

I extend further thanks to Broadwater, Coraki and Evans River schools for participating and helping ensure the day was so positive for all involved.

Term 3 Merit Assembly

Parents and community members are reminded that our school will conclude Term 3 with our Merit Assembly which will commence at 2:15pm this coming Friday, 19 September. This assembly will help to recognise and celebrate the hard work and commitment of students across the term.

End of Term

This week brings to an end another busy term at Woodburn Public School. Staff and students have worked hard across the past ten weeks and have earned themselves a chance to refresh and revitalise before we commence term 4 and the

For Your Diary

Week 10 Term 3

Week 10 15 - 19 Sept
Fri Merit Assembly
2:15pm
Last day of Term 3

Week 1 Term 4 6 - 10 Oct
Mon Public Holiday
Tues All students return

Week 2 Term 4 13 - 17 Oct
K/1/2 Swimming
3/4/5/5 Swimming

Next P & C Meeting
Monday 20 Oct @ 6:30pm

“Be someone who makes someone else look forward to tomorrow”

email: woodburn-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au Web: www.woodburn-p.schools.nsw.edu.au
homeward stretch of the 2014 school year. All staff and students should return to school on Tuesday 7 October (Monday being a public holiday).

Until next week...

Choir Performance At Riverside Festival
The Woodburn Public School Choir will be singing at the Riverside Festival at Riverview Park, Woodburn Saturday 11 October 2014 (this includes all children in Kindergarten, Year 1 and Year 2). 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 newsletter for meeting and performance times.

Miss Suzanne Johnston
Choir Teacher

Kindy Orientation 2015
We will be commencing our Kindergarten Orientation Program early in Term 4. There will be a Parent Information Night, Tuesday 14 October 2014 and the children will commence their orientation to school the following morning Wednesday 15 October 2014.

At the Parent Information Night there will be a number of guest speakers who will give you information on various programs we have at school. Also information on travel to school, P&C, uniforms and school canteen. The aim of this night is to provide parents with information that will help their children make the best possible start to school.

Kindy Orientation for the children will be a series of 3 days, where they will spend the morning session with the current Kindergarten doing fun activities and also getting a feel for the classroom and “Big School”. The days will start at 9:30 and finish at 11:25am.

The dates for Kindy O are as follows:
Wednesday 15 October 2014
Wednesday 22 October 2014
Wednesday 29 October 2014

If your child is ready to start school in 2015 could you please contact the school and give your details, or if you know of a child that could be starting school next year could you please ask the parents to contact the school to ensure that all our potential enrolments receive all the information needed to make a great start to Woodburn Public School.

Suzanne Johnston
Kindergarten Teacher

Swimming for Term 4 2014
Primary Swimming for Years 3 to 6 will commence Friday October 17 and will continue every Friday till November 7. During the first session students will be assessed for the School Swimming Scheme.

Infants swimming for Kinder to Yr2 will commence Wednesday October 15 and will continue every Wednesday throughout the term.

School Swimming Scheme will be held from November 10 through to November 21. All students in year 2 will be eligible and students in years 3-6 who require further instruction and stroke correction will be eligible also.
Once again we will be looking for parent helpers for Swimming on Wednesday and Friday afternoons. This will involve parents working with a small group. If you are able to assist please send in the note at the end of the newsletter or ring the school to let us know.

Cost of admission to the pool - TBA.

Some reminders:
• All students are expected to wear a rash shirt as part of our Sun Safe Policy.
• Footwear needs to be worn to and from the pool. A suggestion is to pack some thongs with the swimmers and towel (thongs are not to be worn to school).
• Swimming is part of our school curriculum and therefore it is expected that all students will swim. If there is a valid reason why a student is not swimming a note of explanation is required from home. Regular classroom consequences will apply for students who choose not to participate.

Susan Johnston
SPORTS COORDINATOR

Sustainable House Competition

Congratulations to Amy Moylan, Amber Clarke and Kate Cormack for receiving third prize in the “Lismore and Byron Sustainable House Competition.”

The girl’s model of a sustainable house saw them win $50 and the house will be on display along with other model houses at the Freen Building Centre, 1 Brigantine St Byron Bay, until 13 October. Well done to all who participated!

Zoe Warren
Classroom Teacher

Hot off the Press

Today Jack Ramirez-Sheen, Kyla Smith, Sam Ticknor and Chloe Trustum represented our school at the Mid Richmond Public Speaking Competition. Congratulations to all competitors. Sam took out the top prize for stage 3 and Jack placed 2nd in the stage 2 competition.

Sam will represent Mid Richmond at the next level in Lismore in Term 4

Zoe Warren

SRC News

The SRC is once again very happy to sponsor Chloe Trustum in her efforts to become a State Track and Field Champion. Good luck in your events Chloe.

Tracey Tebbutt
SRC Patron

Student Banking

School Banking is on each Friday morning. If you haven’t opened an account and would like to, please drop into the office.

Lyn Blake
COORDINATOR

Community Stuff

Playgroup at Woodburn PS

Every Thursday (during school terms) from 9:30 am to 11:30 am. Come along for a fun morning. We have a great facility with plenty of toys and games. It’s very informal - a chat and morning tea while the kids play. It’s open to Mums, Dads, Grandmas, Grandpas and Carers.

Richmond Valley Swimming Club

SIGN ON

Friday 10 October 2014 from 5.30 to 6.30pm before Club night races start.

CLUB NIGHT

Starts: Friday 10 October 2014 6pm Registration for 6.30pm start. At the Evans Head Aquatic Centre. For more information call in or phone: Evans Head Aquatic Centre on 66825885

Woodburn Riverside Festival 2014

Saturday, 11 October - Riverside Park, Woodburn - 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

A full day of activities and entertainment for all ages organised by the Woodburn Chamber of Commerce

Some things to do during the holidays -
Canteen Roster

Rostered Weeks | Monday 9 am - 2:30 pm | Friday 9 am - 2:30 pm
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Wks 1 & 6 | Jessica Hyde | Sam & Rachel Trustum
Wks 2 & 7 | Lisa Cottle  HELP | HELP
Wks 3 & 8 | Tammi Davis  HELP | Natalie Piggott  HELP
Wks 4 & 9 | Amanda Pearce  HELP | Jessica Hyde & Samantha Trustum
Wks 5 & 10 | Samantha Trustum & Jennifer Merton | Jennifer Merton & Jessica Hyde
Wk 11 | Jessica Hyde  HELP | Sam & Rachel Trustum

STOP PRESS: FULL MENU NOW AVAILABLE ON MONDAYS!

Sorry no more Yummy Drummies

New: Fruit Stack Iceblock 50c

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Casino RSM Club Fun Run
28 September 2014 - 10k, 5k and 2k courses. Register before the 5th September and receive a free shirt! Run by NSW Athletics for the benefit of Little Athletics in our area.
Register @ www.casinofunrun.com.au for a huge day of fun!

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5/6W Sustainable Homes
Swimming

Yes, I would love to help Junior/Senior swimming on Wednesday/Friday.

Name:______________________________

Phone:______________________________

School Holiday Activities

Surf Clinic (Level 1) (67693) (8-15 yrs) Lake Ainsworth Sport and Recreation Centre
Monday 22 and Tuesday 23 September 2014 9am - 4pm Cost $130

Sailing for Beginners (69263) (10-14 yrs) Lake Ainsworth Sport and Recreation Centre
Monday 29 September 2014 9am - 4pm Cost $55

Sailing Regatta Day (69264) (10-14 yrs)
Wednesday 1 October 2014 9am - 4pm Cost $55

Surf Clinic (Level 2) (67694) (8-15 yrs)
Lake Ainsworth Sport and Recreation Centre
Thurs 2 & Fri 3 Oct 9am - 4pm daily Cost $130

Lake Ainsworth Raft and Ropes Adventure (69265) (10-14 yrs). Lake Ainsworth Centre, Lennox Head
Thursday 2 October 2014 9am - 4pm Cost $55

How to enrol: Web: http://www.dsr.nsw.gov.au

By phone: Call 13 13 02 and have your credit card details ready (Visa, MasterCard).

By fax: Complete the enrolment form, include your Credit card details and fax to (02) 9006 3888

Casino District Junior Cricket Association

Casino cricket welcomes all participants from 5-17 years. Sign-on dates are as follows:
Saturday 20 September 9am - 1pm Casino RSM Club
Thursday 9 October 5 - 7pm Casino Cricket Nets
Kylie Carlton
Secretary

ThemeParks.com.au
Our School Ticket Sale

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