Dear Parents and Caregivers

Our teachers participated in visible learning/quality teaching rounds this week, continuing their commitment to our school management plan and their own professional development. Part of the session this week was the observation of teaching and then feedback was provided by colleagues. All staff are reporting that these sessions are a wonderful opportunity to tap into the expertise of their colleagues. The next visible learning/quality teaching rounds take place in week 9 of this term.

Boambee students continue to attend PSSA trials and we wish all of our students well when they are representing our school, zone and region. We are also fortunate to have willing and able staff to put the time and effort in to ensuring our students are provided with the opportunities to participate. Well done Boambee!

Our school photographs have been delayed however, we do anticipate them arriving in the next two weeks. As soon as they arrive, they will be distributed. Thank you for your patience.

We will soon be accepting enrolments for Kindergarten, 2016. We do have limited places available so if you have a child starting Kindergarten next year, please ensure your application is received this term. We will be accepting enrolments from Tuesday 9th June however you are able to pick up enrolment forms from the office at any time.

We value our positive relationships with our parents and school community and your child’s teacher will contact you from time to time to discuss the great things happening in class and at school. From time to time, we do speak to parents about issues with behaviour and we value working with families to resolve any problems. Maintaining positive relationships will ensure our children receive the support they need to be successful learners. We encourage children to accept responsibility for their behaviour, whether it is positive or negative. Boambee students consistently uphold the values of the Boambee BEST but need a reminder every now and then if their behaviour is not consistent with our school community’s expectations. We find contact home resolves most issues and even more so when the children see that school and home are working together. Let’s continue the positive partnerships Boambee! Have a great weekend.

Brad Lyne - Principal

Kinder 2016 Enrolments Commence 9th June

You may pick an enrolment form up from the school office next time you’re in. For an application to be considered, the following must be provided:

- Proof of student’s residential address (eg council rates notice, residential lease, electricity accounts, statutory declaration etc)
- Birth Certificate or identity documents (original must be sighted)
- Immunisation History Statement (copy from Medicare - blue book not accepted)

Bus Safety

To ensure the safety of all students while travelling on school buses, could you please discuss the following bus code of conduct with your children.

- respect the needs and comfort of other passengers (eg: no use of offensive or racist language, fighting, spitting, placing feet on seats, throwing things in or from the bus, eating or drinking - except water-unless the bus operator gives permission)
- Obey reasonable directions from the driver (eg: where to sit or to remain in the bus)
- Keep arms, legs and heads inside the bus
- Refrain from attracting the attention of the driver except in the case of emergency
Cross Country Winners

8/9 Boys 8/9 Girls
1st Zac Wilson Zoe Wilson
2nd Ned Jones Mia Barber
3rd Joe Grabovsky Codie Nicol

10 Yr Boys 10 Yr Girls
1st Kane Perrie Elke Bowles
2nd Noah Baldwin Bree-Anna Neal
3rd Jayden Purnell Imala Whitlock & Gabby Bowles

11 Yr Boys 11 Yr Girls
1st Kai Floyd Gabby Sullivan
2nd Jarrod Hughes Maya Savage
3rd Kyan Page Jessica Joice

12 Yr Boys 12 Yr Girls
1st Bradley Clancy Brooke Semenikow
2nd Riley Drabsch Macey Gray
3rd Will Joice Holly Pearson

Congratulations to all the winners and to all the students who participated.

MNC PSSA Touch Trials

Congratulations to Riley Drabsch and Phyllicia Stock who gained selection at the Mid North Coast PSSA Touch Trials held on Monday. Riley and Phyllicia will now go on to play at Grafton on the 11th June in the North Coast touch team.

ASSEMBLY Week 5 CLASS AWARDS

Congratulations to the following students for their fantastic week at school.

KL Isiah Jedyn & Jazmin George
KD Chloe Smith & Maddison Welsh
KTD Oliver Sorensen & Zac Paine
K/1F Lily Bourne & Tim Chibeba
1A Tuoll Mapuor & Mia Hibbert
1G Jax Mackay & Samuel Ablett
1/2S Piper Howe & Theo Horton
2H Archie Pearson & Keiran Porter
3/4D Zoe Wilson & Kiara Thomson
3/4G Polly Elliott & Gabby Bowles
3/4M Tane Skinner & Skye Vaughan
3/4R Oscar Croak & Georgia Totzl
5/6G Annalise Jones & Kai Floyd
5/6SG Clair Crampton & Riley Drabsch
5/6TH Azura Thompson Hope & Jackson Thomas

3/4G won the Gus Award last week.

Science Project

Year 5 and 6 have been presenting science projects over the last couple of weeks. These projects were about an imaginary animal adapting to an environment.

The Plat Doll Fish

Hi, My name is Luke. I did my science project about the Plat Doll Fish. Plat Doll Fish eat seaweed, fish and dead coral and also dig burrows in the sand for shelter. They also hide in rock cracks for safety from predators. I did this project at home and it took me a couple of weeks. I had lots of fun doing this project.
Welcome to Wyatt and Isaac Wood-Scurr
This week we welcome two new students to the school. Wyatt has joined 1A and Isaac has joined 3/4G. The boys have come all the way from Kalgoorlie Western Australia.

3/4M Pikelet Making
Students from 3/4M showed off our ‘Masterchef’ skills on Wednesday as part of a culminating lesson to finalise our work on procedure writing.

We also used the tasty treats in our maths lesson on fractions. I’m sure parents are looking forward to being spoilt with pikelets for breakfast over the weekend. Maybe double check the smoke alarms first!

NAIDOC Week Meeting
There will be a NAIDOC meeting held on Tuesday 2nd June at 2.00pm in the meeting room. This meeting will be with Mrs Ferguson to help organise NAIDOC Week activities.

Thank you Boambee! The $270 raised from our Harmony Day celebrations have been donated to the charity, Kids of Kathmandu. This charity believes that healthy, educated children are the key to a healthy, educated world. They support projects focused on education, nutrition, medicine, clean water, and clean energy. They are also assisting in the rebuilding of schools that were destroyed in the recent earthquake.

Lost Property
This is a picture of the latest pile of lost property. We have returned quite a lot of jumpers and containers with names but all of the items shown have no names on them. Could you please label your child’s belonging to enable us to return any lost items. Thank you.

Uniform Shop
The Uniform Shop is open Mondays from 9.00am until 10.30am. Mrs Gallagher will be away the last three weeks of this term. Please make all orders prior to that. Pictured is Grace and Cooper dressed in their school uniform from their school hat down to their black shoes.

Bingo Roster
Tuesday evening at 7.00pm eyes down at the Coffs Ex Services Club. Come along and support your school.
Tuesday 2nd June - Team 2
Tania Myers, Lorie Watson & Deborah Crowfoot

Canteen News
Meal Deal Special
Premium 170g beef pie and any drink or warm milo for only $5.00. Milo’s need to be collected at lunchtime. Please bring your lunch order bag to the canteen as proof of purchase to receive your milo.

If you do not want a drink you can buy the new Timbertown meat pie for $4.00 each. They are delicious, low in fat and salt. Pies are an Amber Food but can be greened up by adding milk, salad or fruit.

Canteen Roster
Wed 3 June      Leanne Krainik (Help Needed)
Thurs 4 June    Allison Main Bec Ellem, Jo Dunstan & Sarah Floyd 9-12
Fri 5 June      Susan Dean Hickey, Anna Sothman & Nicole Bourne

Important Dates - Term 2
01.06.15     P&C Meeting @ 7.00pm in Meeting Room
01.06.15     AFL Gala Day
03.06.15     NAIDOC Meeting 2.00pm in Meeting Room
03.06.15     ICAS Science
04.06.15     NC PSSA Touch Footy
05.06.15     Assembly at 1.00pm (Early Stage 1)
05.06.15     PSSA Netball Gala Day
05.06.15     NC PSSA Cross Country
08.06.15     Queen’s Birthday
09.06.15     Kinder 2016 Enrolments commence
“Playground Activities”