Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Stage 3 students are raising money to purchase 'Buddy Benches' to put in the playground. The benches will be brightly coloured and will be for students who may be looking for someone to play with or if people are looking to make new friends. To help purchase them, each stage is conducting a disco next week. A gold coin donation would be much appreciated and all proceeds will go towards the purchase of the buddy benches. Great work Stage 3!

Reports are due to go home at the end of next week. I have really enjoyed reading about our students achievements. Reports take an enormous amount of time to prepare, edit, proofread and print. Thank you to all of the teachers for their efforts.

We continue our teaching rounds next week as part of our strategic directions. Our staff is certainly enjoying the opportunity to collaborate on a regular basis. The professional development is inspiring.

Have a great weekend.
Brad Lyne - Principal

NAIDOC Week
Week 10 of this term is NAIDOC week. We will be displaying Aboriginal Art in the foyer and you are very welcome to come in and have a look at our display. Each class will be doing aboriginal activities in their classrooms over NAIDOC week.

Monday
Student Leaders and invited Year 5 and 6 students will be attending Bongil Bongil Community of Schools NAIDOC Day Excursion.

Tuesday
10.30am Whole school assembly - all invited followed by a picnic lunch (bring your own lunch and have lunch with your child).

Wednesday
Kinder to Year 1 Indigenous games on the oval. Parents are invited to join us.

Kinder 2016 Enrolments
Please 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)

We would like all enrolment forms back by the end of this term. Thank you.

2015 Kindergarten Orientation Program
Important Dates:
08.09.15 - Kinder Expo - information morning for parents
21.10.15 - Transition morning for 2016 students
04.11.15 - Transition morning for 2016 students
18.11.15 - Kinder Go day! For 2016 students
Netball Gala Day

Congratulations to our 2 netball teams who played in the Gala Day last Friday. Great skills, determination and sportsmanship allowed both teams to have a successful day. Team 1 - Tarran, Lilly, Clare, Nicola, Lilyarna, Lucy, Myah, Bree-Lilly and Maya won all of their games on the day and now proceed to the next round of the knockout competition. Team 2 - Bella, Amelia, Tori, Jade, Yasmin, Jasmine, Bree-Anna, Mia and Willow won 2 out of 3 games, only losing to the other Boambee team. Unfortunately the weather closed in and the fourth game of the day had to be cancelled for safety reasons.

Thankyou to Mrs Fenton for supervising Team 2, to the parents and grandparents who transported and cheered for both teams on the day and to our two umpires, Bec and Erica. We couldn’t have done it without you. Well done girls, your efforts paid off. Mrs Glover

Cross Country

Congratulation to Elke Bowles who placed 1st, Zoe Wilson who placed 4th and Brad Clancy and Zac Wilson who placed 11th in the North Coast Cross Country last Friday. Zoe and Elke have qualified for the State Cross Country held at Eastern Creek on Friday, 17th July 2015. Good Luck Girls!

ASSEMBLY Week 7 CLASS AWARDS

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

KL  Shaye McCormack & Charli-Bella Matthiesen
KD  Valerie-Pearl Dootson & Samantha Hayer
KTD Stephanie Perry & Chloe Bates
K/1F  Perri Nash & Abbi Phemister
1A  Violet Thomson & Gus Tiedeman
1G  Tate Harrison & Lockie Schweitzer
1/2S  Sophie Taylor & Micah Hopwood
2H  Cooper Hawke & Ella Stock
3/4D  Akshith Punia & Lilly Devine
3/4G  Liam Larnach & Mitchell Fahay
3/4M  Oli Caesar & Noah Baldwin
3/4R  Gieva Shanahan & Braydon East
5/6G  Ashton Reid & Seth Ryan
5/6SG  Rogan Rixon & Will Joice
5/6TH  Zac Watson & Ali Morris

K/1F won the Gus Award last week.

Chitty Chitty Bang Bang

This week Jessica Joice, Abi Black and Jarad Beaven auditioned for the next performance at the Coffs Jetty Little Theatre. It is wonderful to see all of you having a go at something new. Congratulations to Jarad who has been given the role as a member of the kids ensemble. The performance will be held in November.

Disco

Disco notes have been sent home today. Cost is a gold coin donation (money goes towards Stage 3 fundraising). Dress in Mufti (enclosed shoes - no thongs or sandals, no singlet tops). School hats still apply at break times.
The Environment

In 2H we have been studying biomes. A biome is a geographic area on the earth’s surface that has a unique set of characteristics. Each biome has a certain type of climate, plants, animals and soil. There are lots of different biomes in Australia. I studied the rainforest. In the rainforest there are lots of very tall trees and vines. It is very humid. The southern cassowary is a bird that lives in our rainforests. I enjoyed learning about the rainforest. By Roxy Thomas in 2H
Cody made a Wetland, Jackson made a Desert and Roxy made a Rainforest.

The School Garden

Thursday, Mr Pountney brought in some shooting garlic from his garden to plant in the school garden. Cassie had a wonderful time helping plant the garlic and Armandeep did a great job watering the plants. Our garden is looking great thanks to the support of Mr Pountney and the dedication of our students.

School Photos

School photos were handed out on Wednesday. For any enquiries please phone The School Photographer on 9674 9824. We have group photos displayed in the school office. Group photos available are School Captains, House Captains, Year 6 and Year 6 Fun. Cost is $16.00 each, 2 for $30.00, 3 for $42.00, 4 for $52.00 or 5 for $60.00. Payment options are by cash or Online with your credit card. If you would like to purchase these, please call by the school office and pick up a photo ordering envelope. Any orders are to be returned to the school by Friday 26th June.

Uniform Shop

The uniform shop will be closed until Term 3 Week 2, Monday 20th July. If you require any uniforms please leave your order at the front office and Mrs Mel McInally will process your order when she is next in the school.

Bingo Roster

Tuesday evening at 7.00pm eyes down at the Coffs Ex Services Club. Come along and support your school.
Tuesday 16th June - Team 4
Vicki Totzl, Kristy Watson, Nicole Bourne & Peta Robinson

Canteen News

Meal Deal Special
Jacket Potato topped with baked beans and cheese and a Free ice cup for only $4.00.

Canteen Helpers Night Out
Tonight, Friday, 12th June at 6.30pm Sawtell Hotel dinner or not, drinks and a chat. Hope to see you there Terri 0411 843 600.

Canteen Roster

Wed 17 June     Leanne Krainik & Jo Elliot
Thurs 18 June   Allison Main, Lisa Page, Jo Dunstan & Jodi Hudson 11-12
Fri 19 June     Susan Dean-Hickey, Kristy Watson, Kirsten Howton & Marie Cane

Important Dates - Term 2
15.06.15 ICAS Writing
15.06.15 Early Stage 1 Disco 12.40-1.40pm
16.06.15 ICAS Spelling
16.06.15 Stage 1 Disco 12.40-1.40pm
17.06.15 Stage 2 Disco 12.40-1.40pm
18.06.15 Stage 3 Disco 1.40-2.40pm
19.05.15 Assembly at 1.00pm (Choir)
19.06.15 Reports Home
22.06.15 - 26.06.15 NAIDOC Week
24.06.15 Athletics Carnival
26.06.15 Last Day of Term 2
13.07.15 Staff Development Day
14.07.15 Students Return for Term 3
“Boambee getting ready for the Athletics Carnival”