



SAWTELL PUBLIC SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

"A member of the Bongil Bongil Learning Community"

5 NOVEMBER 2014 - TERM 4 WEEK 5

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

The school welcomed grandparents today and held a special assembly as a thank you for the support grandparents give our families within our school community. Grandparents bring a soft calm wisdom to families.

There are many shiny cars around this week thanks to the Year 6 car wash. Year 6 raised around three hundred dollars to support the Year 6 excursion to Sydney. Thank you to everyone who offered their car.

Next week Year 6 head to Sydney for their annual excursion, the students get to be city kids for the week, using public transport and living in the middle of the city at Darling Harbour. They also get to visit museums and other educational attractions that Sydney has to offer.

Last Friday the band string ensemble, dance groups and choir performed in the main street and on the Sawtell Surf Club lawns. The audiences were entertained by enthusiastic singers, dancers and players whilst enjoying our beautiful local community. If you missed the performances there will be other opportunities over the coming weeks. One hundred students playing an instrument simultaneously - there is something special about our school.

Congratulations to the twenty five students who delivered the Captain and Prefect speeches today. We are truly blessed to have such high quality student leaders at our school. The 2015 Captains and Prefects will be announced at this Friday's assembly.

This Saturday night is the P&C trivia night and the staff team is quietly confident... in their costuming for the evening. This is your last chance to get your tickets!

BIG BIKE RIDE

Tomorrow students in Years 4-5-6 will take on the arduous task of riding the twenty two kilometres

to the Jetty foreshores and back, they will be accompanied by some very brave parents and teachers.

For those students taking part in the big bike ride, please ensure your bike is mechanically safe and you have the appropriate clothing and covered foot wear. Parents wishing to join us for the barbeque, we will arrive at approximately 11:00am. There are thunderstorms forecast so a final call on the weather will be made at 9:00am.

SPORT REPORT

Yesterday at the Girls' Mod Rugby League Tackle Gala Day at Bellingen, Sawtell played Dorrig. The girls won the 5-6 competition and were runners-up in the 4-5 competition.

UPDATE OF CONTACT DETAILS

Accompanying today's newsletter is a note requesting all contact details, (address, phone, emergency contact details.) The note is self-explanatory. Please complete this form, even if no details have changed and return to school as soon as possible.

SCULPTURE PROJECT

The sculpture project is almost completed with Mr Malcolm and parents completing two sculptures last Sunday. This Friday Mr McIntosh and the aboriginal students will complete the final post sculpture. There will be an official opening in the near future.

In the meantime please take the opportunity to walk the sculpture trail from the school gardens to the new hall.

P&C REPORT

P&C Trivia Night is on 8 November. Please **purchase your Trivia tickets before Saturday.** Tickets are on sale at the school office at a cost of \$10 per ticket, or a table of eight for \$80. Contact Nat La Macchia on 0419 419 435 for more details.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Thurs 6 November	Big Bike Ride
Sat 8 November	P&C Trivia Night
Thurs 13 November	Visiting Performer
10-14 November	Yr 6 Sydney Excursion
17-28 November	Yr 1-6 Intensive Swimming
24-28 November	Kindergarten Swimming
Mon 8 December	Presentation Night
Wed 10 December	Concert Night
Thurs 11 December	Sawtell Street Party
Fri 12 December	Level O'Day /Reports Out
Mon 15 December	Year 6 Farewell
Tues 16 December	School Picnic Day
Wed 17 December	Talent Quest/ Last Day
Wed 28 January	First day for students 2015

COMMUNITY NEWSTOORMINA HIGH SCHOOL- YEAR 7 2015

The following dates will be of interest to Year 6 students and parents:

- November 27 - Year 6 into 7 2015 Parent Information Evening.
- December 3 - Year 6 into 7 2015 Orientation Day.
- December 10- 2015 7 Blue Orientation Day.

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UNIFORM SHOP

The Uniform Shop is open on Monday mornings 8.45 to 9.15am. Should you be unable to attend the Uniform Shop during these hours, order forms are available at the school office.

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