Principal’s News

Tuesday, 29 October 2013

It’s that time of the year again when we start our planning for 2014. This will involve both looking at the number of classes, including composite classes, as well as the student combinations within each class. We will continue our practice (based on current research) of having parallel classes with each class having a combination of both children who are high achievers, as well as children who might require some additional support. One of our priorities will also be to ensure that each child is placed in a class with at least some of their friends. Being with a friendship group is very important and we will try and accommodate this as much as possible. If you would like to discuss any concerns about placement in 2014, please do not hesitate to contact me or come in for a brief chat.

To make our work as easy as possible, if you know of any families who are thinking of applying for enrolment could you please ask them to talk to us as soon as possible. Alternatively, if you also know of any families who are thinking of moving we also need that information. Some of our classes are already full so it’s important that our information is as accurate as possible. Many thanks for your help with this.

Please join us on our school Walkathon this Friday. It’s a great way to enjoy good company and wonderful beach scenery. A special invitation is extended to our grandparents who can either join us on our walk or just join us for lunch at the surf club. We will be leaving the school at 10.15 am and plan to have lunch at approximately 11.15 am at the surf club before our walk back to school.

This Thursday’s assembly at 1.45 pm will be led by students from 6R. All families are welcome to attend.

Thought for the Week

Never, ever give up on a learners right to learn, their right to be engaged and their right to achieve.

Adam Smith
P&C News

**Walkathon – Grandparents Day – Friday 1 November**

To celebrate Grandparents Day we invite our school community to join us for our Walkathon and a picnic lunch this Friday 1 November. We will be leaving school at 10.15 am. Kinders to Year 2 will walk along North Broulee Beach (Train St entrance), around Shark Bay and around the headland to Broulee Surf Club. Years 3–6 will include a walk around Broulee Island before arriving at the Surf Club. We invite you to join us for the walk or bring a picnic lunch to the Surf Club and join us for lunch. South Brou Cafe will be open at Broulee Surf Club if you wish to purchase food or drinks. Students’ packed lunches will be transported to the Surf Club for when they arrive.

We will be singing “Keep On”, a song specially written for schools, before we walk back to school along the beach.

The Canteen will be running an “Ice Cream Parlour” afternoon for when the students return to school. A one scoop/single cone icecream with choice of toppings (sprinkles/wafers) will be available for $2. Notes to go home tomorrow.

A reminder that Walkathon monies can be returned to school at any time.

**Garden Committee Meeting**

The next meeting of the Garden Committee will be Thursday 31 October at 3 pm.

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**Stage 2 Wollongong Excursion**

On our excursion we had a great time and went to lots of places. The first place we went to was the Fleet Museum and we saw some really cool aircrafts. Next we went to the Illawarra Hawks to watch the boys train and we got them to sign some posters. That afternoon we went to the Nan Tien Temple and the Seacliff Bridge. The next day we went to the Science Centre. It was very interesting and the Planetarium was liked by everyone. Later we went to Future World. On our way home from Future World we could see the bushfires beyond the escarpment. On the last day we went to Bluescope Steel and Jamberoo. At Bluescope Steel we went on a bus tour that showed us all how to make steel. After Bluescope Steel we went to Jamberoo. What a fun place!

Jordan Brown went on the Funnel Web 28 times.

By Seth, Meg & Sarah
Wollongong Excursion

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Gold Awards

Congratulations to our first Gold Award recipients in 2013
Heidi Woolridge, Brodie White & Lucy Phillips

Silver Awards

Meg Phillips, Maya Patrizi, Julian Crosby, Wade McDonald, Lauren Hamer, Sarah Choros, Saithong Fafie, Kobi Tuan & Scott Rigby
Silver Awards (cont)

Ethan Woolridge, Morris Absolon, Bethany Enright, Hugh Wignell, Yhanah Adams, James Greenway, Jed Ware, Teejay Bromham, Laila Pratt & Sari Jenkins

Bronze Award

Billy Jones
Weekly Class Awards

### Class Award Winners

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### Principal’s Stickers

Lachlan Bundy, Finn Siecker, Taj Millar dal Bosco, Maxroy Andrews, Eva Barker (2), Ziggy Clare, Wade McDonald, Chloe Mizzi, Jessica Jones, Marlee Bennett, Macie Bos, Ruby O’Connor, Foxx McGeachy, Maya Barnes, Jessie Jessop, Billy Jones & Shaun Innocenti
Community News

Broulee Mossy Point Community Association
A quick update from the Broulee Mossy Point Community Association
Our final association meeting of the year is on in 2 weeks, 7th November @ Broulee Public School. Please email through any Agenda Items you would like to discuss. We will be holding a social BBQ from 6pm, sausages and some drinks are provided, please bring along a salad to share. The meeting will commence @ 7pm
A member of our community is seeking volunteers to help a local resident, Brian Holmes, move houses from Train St to Heath St between 29th–31st October next week. If you are available to assist in anyway could you please contact Rob Upton (0413 000 643, robupton@netspace.net.au) Rob will be helping the family coordinate the move.
I am planning on curating a small collection of historical photos of Broulee and Mossy Point area to have on the website. Please send me an email with a selection of any unique old photos you would like to contribute.
Are you on Facebook? Why not like our page and stay in contact that way. www.facebook.com/brouleemossypoint

Think Outside The Bowl
GREAT NEWS ---- We are powering ahead with our plan to install a new bin at Broulee Skate Park.
And, to give our local skaters some ownership of the solution, we are having a bin made that can have photographs incorporated.
So – if you would like your photo included on the bin, come along on Wednesday 6 November between 3 and 5 pm.
We would like to get as many users of the skate bowl as we can to come down, have a skate, pick up a bit of litter and get their photos taken by some of our local photographers (who we are hoping will kindly donate their time and expertise). All photos will then be submitted to the Think Outside The Bowl team for creation of collages for the sides of the bin.

Upcoming Events – Click on link below to see our Calendar
Community News (cont)

Bushfire Appeals – Bay Removals
Email: info@bayremovals.com.au  www.bayremovals.com.au
1633 Princes Highway, MORUYA, NSW, 2537
Phone: 02 4471 6938 Fax: 02 4471 6195
Ok everyone it’s time to dig deep and help the fire fighters and victims of the terrible Blue Mountains fires!
Items that are desperately needed: Sunscreen, Lip balm, Hand sanitizes, Spray deodorant, Insect repellent, First aid items ( no medications), Toiletries ( ladies items included), New underwear and socks, Baby items (nappies, nappy disposal bags, wipes, food & formula), Batteries (AA + AAA), Long life food & milk, Bottled water, Electrolyte drinks ( no energy drinks), Muesli bars/Le Snaks, Snack size chocolates, Snack size chips, Zip lock bags, Lollies, Cans of soft drink.
At this stage they DO NOT need clothes, shoes or furniture. That will come at a later date. All donations will be boxed and we will personally deliver them to the fire affected areas. Donations can be delivered to our Bay Removals Depot situated between Mogo and Moruya on the Princes Highway from 8.30am to 5.30pm week days. Any questions please call the office on 4471 6938.

FINES, BILLS AND OTHER LEGAL STRESSES

Batemans Bay
Tuesday 19 November
9.30am - 12 noon
Where: venue TBA

Moruya
Tuesday 19 November
1pm - 3.30pm
Where: venue TBA

Things to bring
• Proof of identity & address
• Any paperwork about your debt (if you have any)
• Your Centrelink statements
• Your bank statements
• Proof of income

There will be workers available to help you from:
• Far South Coast Financial Counselling Service
• Illawarra/South Coast Welfare Rights service
• Legal Aid NSW Nowra office
• Office of Fair Trading NSW
• Shoalcoast Community Legal Centre
• State Debt Recovery Office (SDRO)
• Work & Development Orders team (ALS & Legal Aid)

For information contact Shoalcoast Community Legal Centre on:
1800 229 529 or email: dianne@shoalcoast.org.au
Community News (cont)

Eurobodalla 2014
Relay For Life Launch

What: Kids Disco
When: 5pm – 7pm on Saturday November 16th
Where: Malua Bay Surf Lifesaving Club, George Bass Drive, Malua Bay
Activities: South Coast DJ’s, Extreme Jukes and games
Theme: Pirates of the Eurobodalla
Prizes for the most inventive ‘pirates’ costume
Entry: gold-coin donation
Raffle tickets available!
ALL PROCEEDS TO THE EUROBODALLA 2014 RELAY FOR LIFE

Who will you Relay for?
www.relayforlife.org.au

Yuin Back To Country Celebration
A celebration of Yuin culture and history.

Saturday 7 December 2013
9.00am to 4.30pm
Tilba Showground
Free Admission - Lunch Provided

Entertainment for the whole family
Traditional games, traditional arts and crafts, entertainment, caring for country activities

Hosted and sponsored by the Biamanga and Gulaga National Parks Boards of Management and NPWS

Let’s learn from the past & go forward into the future together.