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**P & C**

The P & C Annual General meeting was held on Wednesday 16th March. I would like to thank all the parents who attended the meeting and congratulations to those individuals who have taken on a formal Committee role for 2016.

President: Julie Marshall  
Vice-President: Davina Wallace  
Secretary: Haley Watson  
Treasurer: Tim Sutherland  
Publicity Officer: Megan Hart

I look forward to us all strengthening our existing productive partnership to achieve the best possible outcomes for students.

**Easter Hat Parade**

Last Thursday we had a terrific parent/carer turn-out for our annual Easter Hat Parade. During the morning, parents and grandparents of K-2 students visited rooms to assist with hat making. After a special ‘Hoppy Meal’ from the canteen we then viewed the K-2 students displaying their magnificent hat creations and entertaining us all with their singing and movement.
I would like to thank the canteen volunteers for providing a wonderful lunch for both students and parents. Furthermore, special mention of the K-2 teachers for their energy and enthusiasm, with not only the Hat Parade, but also some high energy Easter egg treasure hunts late in the day.

Expression of Interest: Temporary Teaching Position

Mullaway Primary School is seeking an Expression of Interest (EOI) for a RFF/LST Teacher, full time for the remainder of 2016.

The successful applicant will be engaged in a temporary capacity from Week 2, Term 2 until the end of Term 4, 2016. We will require the teacher to commit to the position for this entire period.

The position will include teaching RFF (Music) K-6 as well as learning support (Literacy) in the classrooms. The successful applicant will be replacing Mrs Tiffany James who will be on maternity leave enjoying the arrival of her first child. We wish Tiffany a healthy, fulfilling family experience.

ANZAC Day

The annual ANZAC Day march will take place in Woolgoolga on Monday 25th April from 11am. Once again we are hoping that students and parents can come along to commemorate this special occasion. We ask that students wear school uniform and march in lines of 8 across the road. The School Captains will lead the Mullaway group holding our school banner proudly. A special wreath laying ceremony will follow.

School Cross Country Carnival

On Monday 4th April the Cross Country Carnival will be held at the school commencing at 11am. The students have been readying themselves for this event for over two weeks by participating in fitness jogs around the school each morning.

We ask that students and parents display their pride and wear their House colours. All students will participate in a running event on the day, however only those students who are eight years of age or older qualify for the competitive section. We look forward to seeing you and hearing you cheer.

End of Term 1 Holidays

How quickly term 1 has passed. My thanks to everyone for their support and dedication during the first term, we have achieved so much. Friday 8th April is our last day of term 1 and school will resume for students on Wednesday 27th April. On behalf of the staff I wish you all a safe and relaxing holiday.

David King
Relieving Principal

MISSED A NOTE?
CAN’T REMEMBER WHAT TIME A PERFORMANCE STARTS?
MISPLACED THE NEWSLETTER?
Most of your questions can be answered on our FACEBOOK page.

Notes Sent Home with this Newsletter

- Cross Country Information (Youngest Students)
- Canteen Roster
- Page of Absence Notes
Dear Parents and Carers,

As many of you are aware we have entered a Recycled Sculpture Competition. Our sculpture will be on display at Park Beach Plaza from Friday the 4th of March. We need YOUR votes to win.

So how can you vote?
Easy! Just download the Park Beach Plaza Advantage+ App and follow the link on the App to cast your vote. You are allowed to vote ONCE A DAY so PLEASE vote as MUCH as you can to help us win.

Voting will close Friday 1st of April. 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners will win a share of $10,000 cash. 2CSFM will also broadcast their breakfast show live from the winning school on Wednesday 6th April 2016.

Please spread the word to your family and friends and let’s make Mullaway Primary School win!

Thank you, Miss Canale
Joint Anti-truancy Sweep
Attention parents and students
Please be aware truancy officers from the Department of Education in a joint operation with police will be working within this community in the coming weeks.
Any young people found unsupervised, on the streets, may be approached by officers and questioned. Young people found to be truanting will have their names recorded and will be directed to return to school. This operation will be ongoing.
Keeping them safe!

DID YOU KNOW
If your child misses school...
10 mins per day
That equals...
50 mins per week
Which is...
nearly 1 ½ weeks per year
And over 13 years of schooling that’s...
nearly ½ year.
EVERY DAY COUNTS
If you want your child to be successful at school then YES, attendance does matter!

A GREAT IDEA WE HAVE SEEN AROUND OUR SCHOOL IS TO GET YOUR CHILD’S NAME EMBROIDERED ON THEIR SCHOOL HAT - THIS WOULD GREATLY ASSIST IN PREVENTING YOUR CHILD’S HAT BEING LOST!
(we believe cost is between $3 & $6 at a local business in Coffs Harbour)

Movement in Mathematics
Stage 3 has continued to combine meaningful math activities with physical education this year. If you are going to count in 4’s... why not do it while juggling a soccer ball on a string? If you need to practice your fractions of seconds... try timing your mate while they are strapped to a parachute.
Remember to make Mullaway Primary School your selection at A-Mart All Sports, as their funding makes new exciting equipment available.

Mr Cheers
URGENT REQUEST
From the school office

It is most important that we have up to date information regarding your children at all times. If there are any changes to: medical conditions, address, phone nos. emergency contacts etc, PLEASE contact the school immediately. There is nothing more distressing to students in the case of an illness or accident when parents cannot be contacted.

If you have any changes to information previously held by the school please complete the following form and return to the school office asap.

Student Name: ____________________
Address: _________________________
_________________________________
Phone: ___________________________
Mum’s Mob: _______________________
Dad’s Mob: _______________________
Other information: _________________
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CANTEEN ROSTER
~ TERM 1 ~

~~~ WEEK 10~~~

Thursday 31/3/16
Julie Marshall / Rebecca Woodrow

Friday 1/4/16
Katie Maric / Lisa Davison

~~~ WEEK 11 ~~~

Tuesday 5/4/16
Tina Ballangary

Wednesday 6/4/16
Alyssa Beencke / Lara Emerson
Thursday 7/4/16
Jace Watson / Shelli Collis

Friday 8/4/16
Davina Wallace

~ TERM 2 ~

~~~ WEEK 1 ~~~

Wednesday 27/4/16
Alyssa Beencke / Sharon Magree

Thursday 28/4/16
Julie & Sharon Pearce

Friday 29/4/16
Marg & Paul McDougall

~~~ WEEK 2 ~~~

Tuesday 3/5/16
Tina Ballangarry

Wednesday 4/5/16
Alyssa Beencke / Sharon Magree

Thursday 5/5/16
Julie & Sharon Pearce

Friday 6/5/16
Marg & Paul McDougall

Please contact Tina Ballangarry 0477 248 234 ASAP if you cannot do your designated day or if you need a second person on your day.

Canteen Volunteers STILL NEEDED
Attention Parent/Guardians and Grandparents,
Due to our Green Canteen being open 4 days per week TUESDAYS TO FRIDAYS we are still looking for more volunteers to help out.
Contact the school on 6654 0377 if you can help.

Tina Ballangarry
Canteen Coordinator
FROM THE FRONT OFFICE

Permission Notes
Please make sure child’s name plus class name is on permission notes for ease of organising events.

Help....Outgrown school shirts required for our clothing pool donations would be greatly appreciated.

3D Printers for Schools
Our school has been lucky enough to be selected to receive a free 3D printer from SORT Recycling Limited. SORT Recycling is a not-for-profit social enterprise with two aims:
To enhance recycling and to create jobs within the local community.

All we need to do is to collect water and soft drink bottles. The type of bottles we need to collect are made from PET plastic. These plastics are labelled with the #1 code on the bottom or near the bottom of the container.

We need to rinse the bottles so they are clean and take all labels and lids off.

Please bring these bottles in and place them in the small green bin near our kids in the Garden room.

We are looking forward to obtaining the printer and having fun creating 3D objects next term.

Amart Community Kickbacks Program
Our school is participating in the Amart Community Kickbacks Program. Under this program, the school can earn 5% of your purchases at Amart All Sports as instore credit to spend on our school sports programs. All you need to do is join Team Amart, select our school from the list of participating groups and swipe your loyalty card every time you make a purchase at Amart All Sports. You'll receive access to great member prices and other initiatives and the school will receive a 5% credit.
FREE CODING WORKSHOP
When: Thursday 14th April
Venue: Harry Bailey Memorial Library, Coffs Harbour
Time: 10am to 12pm
Use apps to learn about coding and create your own projects.
For 12 to 14 year olds.
Bring Your Own Device – iPad, tablet or laptop
OR Use a library computer.
Bookings area essential as places are limited.
Additional information when you book.
Email: coffs.library@chcc.nsw.gov.au OR Ph: Judy 6648 4900

FREE SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITY
When: Tuesday 19th April
Venue: Harry Bailey Memorial Library, Coffs Harbour
Time: 10am to 12pm
For Primary School Children.
Bring a sock and make a puppet.
No need to book!
Contact Judy for more information.

Surviving Parenthood
One day Workshop
Wednesday 6th April
9.30am–12:30pm
This self-care workshop offers de-stressing strategies and a supportive place to share parenting experiences with other parents
CRANES’ Pullen Centre 3-7 Prince St, Grafton Ph 6642 7257
Or email jduffy@cranes.org.au
Holiday Clinic Fun

Great Holiday Fun for Boys and Girls
Aged 5 to 12

- 2 x 3 hour Clinics run by our Accredited Coaches
- Tailored to all abilities
- Learn and improve your netball skills
- Make new friends
- Get lots of exercise in a safe environment
- Receive a small goodie bag and a certificate of participation

$40 per child for 2 sessions
$25 per child for 1 session

When: 12th & 13th April
Time: 9am to 12pm
Where: Woopi Netball Courts
Cnr Nightingale & Scarborough Sts, Woolgoolga.

Bring: Healthy snack, Drink bottle, Sunscreen & a hat

Registrations close: Friday 8th April

More information and to register visit our Facebook page or
Email: woopinetball@gmail.com

Wishing you all a safe and happy Autumn Vacation