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1. **VALLEYFEST**

We are really looking forward to tonight’s performance at Mullumbimby High School. The show begins at 7.00pm. Good luck to all our dancers and the choral group. The school has no more tickets available but there might be some to purchase at the door.

1. **ZONE ATHLETICS**

Good luck to all our athletes attending the zone carnival tomorrow. We have 30 students taking part. Mrs Ensor is managing our team.

1. **FOTI**

**Program**

We are sending home a copy of the program for the Festival of the Imagination with the newsletter. It looks to be jam packed and extremely exciting. Check the schools website for updated information.

**Dancing Dolphin Café**

A reminder that our canteen will be our major fundraiser for our joint venture with the Ocean Shores Art Expo. The success of this is in the hands of our school community.

Thankyou to those who have already handed in their helper’s forms. We are still however desperate for assistance with the café and BBQ on the Saturday and Sunday.

We also require donations of cakes, slices, dahl and vegetable soup.

Forms are available from the school office.

**Stalls**

We are looking for donations for our various stalls.

**Mrs Woods 5/6 class will be running the book stall.** Please go through your shelves and send suitable items in to Mrs Woods.

**Mrs Lengyels 5/6 class will be running the toy stall.** Please send in any unused toys to Mrs Lengyel.

**Miss White will run the plant stall** with student assistance. If you have any plants to donate please bring them in to our greenhouse.

1. **YEAR 6 EXCURSION**

Our year 6 students are getting very excited about the excursion to Queensland next week. Many thanks go to Mrs Woods, Miss Christian, Mr Cooper and Mrs Veselis for giving up their time to take the kids away. The itinerary looks fabulous and I’m sure they will have a fantastic time.

1. **SCIENCE WEEK ACTIVITY DAY**

Our science day yesterday featured lots of enjoyable and sometimes loopy learning. Electricity was in the air with explosions, experiments and investigations of all sorts taking place.



Rani and Lucia in the wetland.

1. **ASSEMBLY**

Our assembly last week was hosted by 5/6W who performed a self composed and choreographed school rap to Jack Johnson’s ‘Upside down song” accompanied by parent, Adam Brown on guitar. 1B shared narratives about the hail storm with us and showed some of their 3D artwork featuring gardens and butterflies.

Principal’s awards went to :

Lily Vanderhope for fantastic effort in all areas.

Zia Mowbray for wonderful effort in class.

Vincent Condon for taking pride in his work.

Shane Caulcutt for always being helpful.

Raph Atkins for being an exceptionally creative thinker.

Tiki Reece for excellent improvement in maths.

Cleo Heath for her commitment to learning and thoughtful ways.

Operation Dolphin winners were Monae Paron- Clarke, Paja Redding, Ally Thompson and Jay Cook.

Our next assembly will be held on Friday 31 August and is being hosted by 5/6E. Buddy class 2E will assist.

1. **JUNIOR CREATIVE ARTS CAMP**

The North Coast Creative Arts Camp is held each year at Lake Ainsworth. This year it takes place from Sunday 11 November to Friday 16 November. Students in years 4, 5 & 6 who show an above average ability in music, dance, visual arts or drama may apply.

The camp costs $350 per student.

Please come in and see me if you are interested and I can get an application for you and provide other details.

1. **SAUSAGE SIZZLE**

We would like to thank everyone who supported the sausage sizzle... it was fantastic!

Special thanks goes to Mrs McGivern and all the teachers for co-ordinating all the classes. I would like to thank Norm (BBQ King), Chris Booth, Maria Dorfer, Heather Williams and Louise Carr for volunteering their services for the day.

We were strongly supported by community business houses and would particularly like to thank **Ocean Shores Butchery, Devine Quality Meats, Byron Bay Pork and Meats (Mullum Branch), Ocean Shores Bakery, Brunswick Hot Bread Bakery, Mullumbimby Bakery and Coles Ocean Shores**. All of these businesses made substantial donations and we thank them for their support.

Mackenzey will be running at National Cross Country in Adelaide on Saturday the 25th of August and she will be **'DOING HER BEST’** for Ocean Shores Public School. We would also like to thank Mr Hauritz and The P&C for their generous support!

Running 4U: Mackenzey Ormiston

1. **2E PUPIL OF THE WEEK**

2E pupil of the week is Cody King. Cody was chosen because he is excellent at Maths and reading and is a great dancer in the junior dance group. At school he likes to write narratives and play AFL. He loves to play Skylander on his Wii and looking after his cat, Calico.

1. **CHEESEMAKING**

We were very lucky to have Debra Allard join us at school on Monday as part of science week. Debra showed students the process of cheese making. Our students produced some fine quality mozzarella cheese on the day.

Debra also does cheese making classes for adults.

She can be contacted at

[drallard@bigpond.com](mailto:drallard@bigpond.com)

1. **PRE SCHOOL OPEN DAY**

We have commenced taking enrolments for kindergarten students for 2013. Enrolment forms are available at the office or can be sent home to you. If you have friends who have children to start please let them know also.

We have completed planning for our annual Kindergarten Open Day.

This will take place on Tuesday 28 August.

The schedule is:

9.15am Children and parents arrive at hall.

9.30am Music and show with Linsey Pollak

10.15am Morning Tea and playtime.

10.40am Classroom rotation activities including technology, art and craft and gardening.

11.40am Parent forum/tour with Mr Hauritz

11.40am Supervised play students

12.00 - Finish

Morning tea is provided for parents and caregivers but please bring a snack for your child. Please RSVP so we can prepare a personalised take home pack for your child.

1. **LINSEY POLLAK PERFORMANCE**

All students from our school will attend the Linsey Pollak performances on 28 August. Students pay their $2 entry to their teacher on the day.

**13) COLES SPORTS VOUCHERS**

Coles School Sports Promotion vouchers have now come to an end. Thankyou to everyone who has collected them over the last few weeks – it’s been a great success. Anybody who still has vouchers at home, can bring them in to school so we can send them off to claim our sporting goods.

1. **BOOK WEEK PARADE**

Don’t forget that our book week parade is coming up fast. Get your costumes ready for Wednesday 29 August.

Thanks

Chris Hauritz



Delicious fresh market food.