



# Ocean Outlook

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## Principal's Report

### Operation Dolphin - Week 3

I am respectful. I respect others personal space.

### Coming Up!

#### Sat 27 Oct

- World Teachers Day

#### Mon 29 Oct

- P & C meeting 7pm

#### Wed 31 Oct

- Kinder orientation & info session 9:30am
- Prime to High Yr 6

#### Thur 1 Nov

- Grandparents Day
- Book Fair & Book Week parade
- I've Got a Feeling! parent seminar

#### Fri 2 Nov

- Deadly Australians Show
- Boys & Girls Group
- Lunchbox Challenge @ Mullum Farmers Market

#### Tue 6 Nov

- 1/2L to Circus Arts workshop

#### Wed 7 Nov

- Stage 2/3 Planetarium incursion in school hall

#### Thur 8 Nov

- School Assembly KA & K/IG 1pm

### Payments Due

Payments can be made via our school website.

- Deadly Australians Show \$6
- Starlab Yrs 3- 6 \$10
- Intensive Swimming Yr 2 \$50

### Welcome to Kindergarten 2019

On Wednesday we welcomed our 2019 Kindergarten students and families for their first Kindergarten Transition Day. Thanks to the support of Year 5 buddies, our new enrolments enjoyed a settled and productive first session and we look forward to seeing them again next Wednesday.

### World Teachers Day – 27th October

Tomorrow we celebrate 'World Teachers Day' and acknowledge the important role teachers play in supporting students' learning, development and wellbeing. Ocean Shores Public School has an outstanding team of teachers who consistently do their best to support our wonderfully diverse group of learners.

### Maths Olympiad

This week we received our school's official results in the Maths Olympiad. Ocean Shores Public School came in 33rd position out of 1437 schools from across Australia. This is an exceptional result.

Special mention must be made of Nicolas Bleach who scored a perfect 25 out of 25 across the five tests. Nicolas along with Juliette Adlard, Bodhi Gracie-Henry, Gryffyn Pelling and Kai Bar-Giora all achieved in the top two percent of entrants. Evie Boschma-Wagner, Quinn LaBelle, Skye Waters, Oscar Wilson, Honey Mowbray, Eden Rotstein (who missed one of the sessions!) and Kane Wilson all placed in the top 10%. Evelyn Allsep and John Ray placed in the top 20% while the rest of the participants who completed all tasks achieved in the top 40%.

Awards for participants will be distributed at our presentation day on Thursday 6th December.

Thanks again to Mrs Melkie for all the time and energy you have put into our enthusiastic and talented mathematicians!

### Planning and Staffing for 2019

We will be commencing planning for 2019 over the next few weeks. This is always a challenging task in schools as we allocate teachers to classes and look at students' transition needs. In order to assist planning, please let the office know if your child will not be attending Ocean Shores Public School next year. Similarly, if you know of people considering enrolment, please encourage them to make contact so we can plan accordingly.

### Cove Recognised in NSW Parliament

Our talented animator Cove Penfold has been recognised in NSW Parliament. The Honourable Ben Franklin, Member of the Legislative Council, moved a motion congratulating Cove personally on his achievement winning the ABC's 'Back in Time for Dinner' competition. The motion was passed unanimously by the Legislative Council which means Cove's achievement is now recorded in Hansard! Ben is visiting us on Monday morning's assembly to present new flags. He will also be presenting Cove with a copy of the motion passed on 25th September.

### P&C Meeting – Monday 7.00pm

The next P&C meeting will be held in the staffroom on Monday evening from 7.00pm. P&C will be finalising the strategic plan. This is a great opportunity to learn about, support and have input into what is happening at the school.



Maths Olympiad Team - 13 of the 18 members pictured



Year 5 students with their buddies as part of the Kindergarten 2019 orientation program

## Deadly Australians Show

To tie in with our term 4 'Safety Unit', the Deadly Australians Show is coming to our school next Friday 2nd November.

Australia is home to the world's most venomous creatures. Learning about the habitats of our dangerous wildlife and ways of avoiding accidental

contact is vital, especially for children.

The cost of the show is \$6 for each student and needs to be returned to the office by Thursday 1st November.

**Donna Jordan**

## Good luck state athletes!

Next week Archer McCallum, Ben McCallum, Finn McKenzie and Taylor Simpson are travelling to Homebush to compete in the State PSSA Athletics Carnival in our 4 x 100m relay team.

Archer will also be competing in the 800m track event.

Well done and good luck boys!

## Working with the School

Many young people report they do not tell an adult when they are experiencing cyberbullying because they are afraid of how adults will respond.

Young people report their parents often over-react and try to take control of the situation.

Young people need adults to help them to deal with the problem for themselves by acting as a facilitator, listening non-judgmentally and providing support and advice when asked.

Ask your child which, if any, strategies they have already tried, if they were helpful, what other people have tried and their usefulness and what they would try next time.

It is important to also let the school know about the bullying situation.

However, before approaching the school, ask your child how they would like to talk about this issue

with the school and discuss what outcome they want as a result of involving the school.

### Consider:

- Phoning the school and asking who is best placed to help your child.
- Making a time to talk with this person at school.
- Explaining what you know about the situation.
- Describing strategies your child has tried to date.
- Asking for a plan of action that can be implemented at the school and at home.
- Consider setting a date and time for a follow-up meeting.
- Discussing with your child what happened and what the agreed strategies are.

Please take time to view the Bullying no Way video:

<https://bullyingnoway.gov.au/resources/videos/pages/videooplayer.aspx?VideoID=183>

## Annual Book Week Parade

The children of Ocean Shores Public School are invited to dress as their favourite book character for our parade. Think carefully about your favourite book character and come dressed as them.

**WHEN** - Thursday 1st November

**WHERE** - Ocean Shores Public Hall

**TIME** - 1pm

Our Book Parade is being held on the same day as Grandparents Day and our Annual Book Fair.

**Erica Rologas**



## Year 2 Intensive Swimming Program

Learning to swim is a vital lifesaving skill for all Australians. We live in a glorious area surrounded by beautiful beaches, amazing river waterways, dams and swimming pools.

In weeks 5 and 6, Year 2 students will participate in structured aquatic activities under the instruction of qualified teachers.

Please return permission notes and money to the office by Friday 4th November. Total cost for the ten day program is only \$50.00 for non-season swimming pool pass holders or \$15.00 if you have a Mullumbimby Pool swimming pass.

**Donna Jordan**

## Shopping trip thank you!

On behalf of the staff and students of the support classes, I would like to express my gratitude to everyone for their involvement in the shopping trip.

A very special thank you to Jody for all her organisation of a fabulous day.

Thank you to Valmay for all her support.

To all the business houses and individuals for their very generous donations – thank you.

To the shoppers, thank you for sharing a wonderful day and supporting our students.

**Kindest regards**

**Lee Yabsley**

## RAYA School Hair Bands Launch

This week Year 5 student Yara De Sousa launched her range of school hair bands.

Yara saw a need for hair accessories to reflect a sense of pride in our uniform and set about making a product to fulfil that need.

Yara has been working on this idea since term 2 and is now at the stage where they are ready for sale.

If you would like your hair accessories to match our school uniform and support Yara in her venture, please stop by the office where you will find the sample stand and prices.

You will need to complete an order form and ensure the correct money is returned to the office in the sealed envelope provided. Please note, office staff are unable to give out change.

Orders will be collected on Wednesdays and Fridays and returned to students within a few days.

Thank you for your support!



“hair accessories to match our school uniform”

# *Invitation*

**Dear Grandparents,**  
You are invited to celebrate Grandparents Day.

**When:** Thursday 1st November 2018

**Where:** Ocean Shores Public School

**Arrival Time:** From 11.25am

When you arrive we will go to my classroom for fun activities.

At 12pm we will be singing special songs in the school hall.

From 12.25pm stay for a BYO picnic lunch.

Then at 1:00pm please stay for our Book Parade.

**Love Always,**  
**Your Grandchild**



# *I've Got a Feeling!* Parent Seminar

I've Got a Feeling (IGAF) is a social and emotional learning program that has been developed by *Got It!* Teams. Ocean Shores Public School Teachers in years K-2 have been trained in this Universal program and are currently implementing the activities in their classrooms.

Parents are invited to attend an information session which will provide practical strategies to support their child's social and emotional learning at home. Building social and emotional skills has a positive impact of children's learning and behaviour.



**When:** Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2.15pm -3.15pm (After Book Parade & Grandparents Day)

**Where:** Ocean Shores Public School

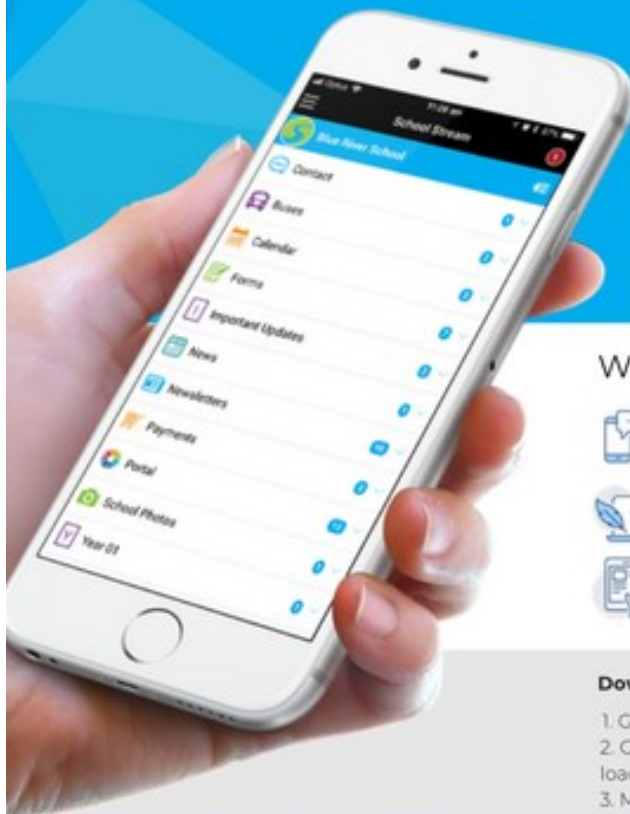
**RSVP:** To Ocean Shores Public School office by Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October (minimum numbers will be required for the information session to proceed)






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**SUNDAY 4 NOVEMBER 11AM - 3PM**

**3 FOOD VANS**  
GREEK RECIPE, ROLL 'N SPIT & BABY IT'S COLD OUTSIDE REAL FRUIT ICE CREAM

**SNOW CONES**  
POPCORN AND FAIRY FLOSS

**JUNIOR BOWLS AND GOLF ACTIVITIES**

**LIVE MUSIC WITH RAKU O'GAIA**

**FREE POOL USE WITH LIFESAVERS**

**PONY RIDES**

**JUMPING CASTLE**

**GIANT OBSTACLE COURSE**

# FAMILY FUN DAY

**3 FOOD VANS** - Greek Recipe, Roll 'n Spit, Baby It's Cold Outside Real Fruit Ice Cream. **FUN** pony rides, jumping castles, giant obstacle course, free use of pool with lifesavers, supervised junior bowls and golf activities plus free popcorn, fairy floss & snow cones. **ENTERTAINMENT** with Raku O'Gaia.

**NEW MEMBERSHIP SPECIALS' ON THE DAY**  
Social Membership \$2  
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# HALLOWEEN

# FAIR TASTIC

**Saturday 27 October 4-9pm**

- 7 Exciting rides
- Entertainment
- Carnival arcade
- Cake auction
- Delicious food
- Raffles & prizes
- Fancy dress comp



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