



Thank you to the parents who attended our P and C meeting yesterday.

Next term, in Weeks Three and Four, all students will be attending the swimming scheme. The P and C have agreed to help fund part of the cost of attending. This is a very important scheme for students to attend.

We also discussed the end of year family excursion which has been tentatively booked for the 2nd last week of term 4. It looks like lots of fun!

Interest Day-Read across the universe.

Our Interest Day for Stage One has had to be postponed until next week due to works on the demountable. Just like at NASA, the mission has had to be aborted due to unforeseeable activity!

Endangered Species Day

Tomorrow, we will be going to Rummery Park to participate in a Taronga Zoo and Dorrugby Field Work day. I noticed on the news last night a fantastic story showing the project we will be involved in. Students were enjoying meeting animals – a possum and echidna- up close. I can't wait until tomorrow!

Alison Bath

Life is like a camera...
Focus on what's important,
Capture the good times,
Develop from the negatives,
And if things don't work out,
Take another shot.

Upcoming Events

September 11

Rummery Park Excursion – Taronga Zoo

September 20

Yr 6 Interrelate

Stage 1 Interest Day – Astronauts (Big Scrub @ Tuntable Creek

Last Day of Term 3



NEWS FROM DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION & COMMUNITIES

Camp giveaway

As part of Sport and Recreation's outdoor education week you have the chance to win an adventure-packed family weekend away at a camp. Click on the link, watch the video and answer two easy questions to enter the competition. Good luck.

Find out more: <http://www.dsr.nsw.gov.au/win/index.asp>

Getting ready for school camp

School camp is one of the highlights of childhood, however, it's also true that for some children (and their parents) the thought of staying away overnight can create a little anxiety. Read these tips for school camp confidence.

Find out more:

<http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/wellbeing/development/getting-ready-for-camp>

Creative thinking

Eleven-year-olds of the world rejoice. It seems MINECRAFT has "the potential to teach kids creative thinking, geometry, and even a little geology". Read the review to help you make an informed choice.

Find out more: <http://www.commonsemmedia.org/game-reviews/minecraft>

Water safety tips

Beaches, lakes, rivers, creeks and pools are popular spots in summer for people young and old to cool off and have fun. Here are some easy steps you can take to make sure your child stays safe.

Find out more:

<http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/wellbeing/health/water-safety-tips>

MULLUM CIRCUS festival

4 - 6TH OCTOBER
MULLUMBIMBY SHOWGROUNDS

MULLUM CIRCUS FESTIVAL
CELEBRATING 21 YEARS OF *Spaghetti* CIRCUS

OVER 100 WORLD-CLASS ARTISTS INCLUDING
3 IS A CROWD - WINNER OF BEST CIRCUS SHOW, ADELAIDE FRINGE 2013 FULL CREAM CIRCUS
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CIRCUS WORKSHOPS, CINEMA, BAR, CAFE, MARKET STALLS AND DELIGHTS FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY
BIGTOP, FLYING TRAPEZE, 7 STAGES, 6 AERIAL RIGS, 2 MARQUEES

TICKETS & INFO
WWW.MULLUMCIRCUSFEST.COM
SUPPORTED BY OUR COMMUNITY - THANK YOU

Aspect, Centre of Gravity, Family & Community Services, Family Referral Service & Northcott

- present -

AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER
INFORMATION EXPO

Knowledge Over the Rainbow

Local Organisations
• Retailers with products to sell to assist families and individuals

Topics covered:
EARLY INTERVENTION, SCHOOLING YEARS
TRANSITIONING TO WORK FROM SCHOOL
ALTERNATIVE THERAPIES

Free Event

FRIDAY 11TH OCTOBER, 2013
12 NOON - 6PM
LISMORE WORKERS CLUB, AUDITORIUM

For more information phone Wendy Briggs 0418 280 669 or wendybriggs2@bigpond.com

**TUNTABLE CREEK PUBLIC SCHOOL
SCHOOL SWIMMING SCHEME
Monday 21 October to Friday 1 November 2013
2 week / 10 day program**

Students from Tuntable Creek Public School will again be participating in the School Swimming Scheme at Lismore Memorial Baths with qualified swim instructors from the Department of Education & Communities. The program will commence on Monday 21 October and conclude on Friday 1 November 2013.

To keep costs to a minimum, students will travel by bus with students from The Channon PS. Tuntable Creek PS P&C Committee has also agreed to cover some of the costs to students as per below.

Cost of bus travel (10 days) per student	\$65.10
Cost of pool entry (10 days) per student	<u>\$27.30</u>
	\$92.40 (no GST)
Total cost per student less discounts	\$46.20 (no GST)

This is a WHOLE SCHOOL excursion - all students will be required to attend.

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I hereby give permission for my child/ren _____ of Tuntable Creek Public School to participate in the School Swimming Scheme each day from Monday 21 October to Friday 1 November 2013.

I understand that travel to and from the event each day will be by bus and that the total cost per child for the scheme will be \$46.20.

I enclose \$ _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

Sign: _____