PRINCIPAL’S REPORT

Welcome back to Term 3. This is shaping up to be another busy term with lots of things happening!

The staff are meeting this afternoon to look at the school calendar for Term 3 and plan a few events and activities. More details for events will follow as we finalise these. However, I can confirm some events that are taking place:

- P&C Movie Night on Friday 25 July at 6.00pm.
- Education Week is from Monday 28 July – Friday 1 August.
- Active After Schools will be starting in Week 3. Notes for this will go home by the end of this week. **Places will be limited to 25 students per day.**
- District Athletics Carnival will be held on Thursday 31 July (High Jump) and Friday 1 August.
- Regional Athletics Carnival is Friday 22 August.
- School Swimming Scheme is from Monday 25 August – Friday 5 September (weeks 7 – 8). This will be for students in Years 2 – 4.
- Shoalhaven Music Festival will be held in Week 8 (Monday 1 – Friday 5 September). Our performance night is to be confirmed.
- Jump Rope for Heart Jump Off on Thursday 11 September.
- Reward Day in Week 10 (Monday 15 September – Friday 19 September).

**Reward Day:** This will be held in Week 10. Students who receive 3 or more behaviour slips in class or the playground will not be eligible to attend the reward day. We will be reminding students of this on a daily and weekly basis as we would like all students to attend the reward day. We are yet to finalise a date or venue.

**Assembly:** Our first assembly for the term will be held next Thursday 24 July at 2.15pm.

**Pedestrian Crossing:** I spoke to Council late last term in regards to when the crossing would be
installed. They have told me it would be by the end of August.

Finally good luck on Friday Rheya.

*Please come and see me if you have any questions or concerns.*

*Niccole*

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**K/2H NEWS**

Welcome back everyone! We had a great day yesterday and the class were very eager to be back, working extremely hard.

This week Years 1 and 2 are learning about words beginning with ‘pr’ and Kinder will be consolidating their knowledge of all sounds.

Everyone got homework this week. Kinder will need to return their homework in a folder with plastic sleeves (such as a display book).

For HSIE this term we will be studying the topic “Workers in the Community”. I hope that we might link an excursion to this as well.

There were quite a few students who didn’t change home readers yesterday. Please remind your children to return their home reader daily.

*Please come and see me if you have any questions or concerns.*

*Nicole*

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**3/6B NEWS**

Welcome back to term 3! I hope everybody had a fantastic holiday break. I am very excited to be teaching 3/6B this term. Today I have given each student a letter to bring home that explains in further detail what we will be focusing upon this term and some changes to routines that may be happening. This week during Mathematics we are studying place value and multiplication and in English we are beginning a unit on procedural writing (instructions) and formal cursive handwriting (running writing). I must say that I was also very proud of all of the students that attended the excursion at Callala Public School yesterday. The coordinator of the event highlighted to the audience the excellent listening skills that our students were displaying. Well done Yrs. 3 -4!

*Bonnie Cullen*

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**3/6L NEWS**

Welcome back to term 3. We have a busy term in front of us and hopefully the students are as eager as I am to continue their learning. In Maths this week we are revising whole numbers and it is great to see student progress since we last covered this topic. In English this term we are
learning about and constructing information reports. In Science we are studying a topic titled ‘Ancient Australia’ which will require an assessment to be completed at home. I will send home information sheets after discussing the assessment with the students. In HSIE we are studying a unit titled ‘Government’ in preparation for our excursion in term 4. Finally a reminder that home work is due every Friday and home readers should be returned as often as possible.

Dion Lalor

MS PORTEOUS
This week in PE the students are fine tuning the two handed strike (from a T-ball stand). In Visual Arts all classes are studying the American Pop Artist, Roy Lichtenstein and creating art works incorporating the ‘benday dots’ technique. In Health we are looking at research that tells us of the benefits of a good nights sleep.

Susan Porteous

SPORTS NEWS
The Shoalhaven PSSA District Athletics Carnival will be held in week 3 of this term. The carnival will be held over 2 days on Thursday 31 July and Friday 1 August. Thursday is a half day for High Jump only. All other events will be held on Friday. Permission notes are being sent home today listing the events students are competing in as well as a program for the carnival. Could these permission notes please be sent back to school as soon as possible.
Good luck to Rheya Luke who will be attending the NSW PSSA State Cross Country Carnival this Friday at Eastern Creek, we wish you all the best.

Yours in sport
Dion Lalor

CANTEEN ROSTER

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CANTEEN NEWS
Hello Parents! Welcome Back for Term 3 2014, I hope everyone’s holidays were as awesome as mine!! For Term 3 I have focused on the main selling items, and a more “keep it simple” approach to the menu. You will note that some items have dropped off the menu, whilst other items such as pies and sausage rolls have dropped in price due to being able to source a better price. In turn the savings have been passed on for your winters delight.
Please find enclosed with this week’s newsletter the new menu for term 3.

We would really appreciate more helpers in the canteen. If you are able to give some of your time, (as little as one day a term) we would love to hear from you. Please contact myself or the office if you are able to assist.

Regards,
James.

WHAT’S ON THIS TERM

**WEEK 2**

- Thursday 24 July  
  - Assembly 2:15pm  
  - Scripture - Christian Clown Show 11.30am
- Friday 25 July  
  - P & C Movie Night 6pm

**WEEK 3**

- Tuesday 29 July  
  - Active After Schools  
  - ICAS English Test
- Wednesday 30 July  
  - Active After Schools
- Thursday 31 July  
  - District Athletics - High Jump
- Friday 1 August  
  - District Athletics Carnival

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**Far Out!**

**NSW State Library Excursion at Callala Public School**

The students viewing shoe buckles worn by Captain Cook, art by Aboriginal artist Johnny Kantong (1855) and handwritten documents from the First Fleet (dated 12th July 1788).
HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO THESE STUDENTS WHO CELEBRATE THEIR BIRTHDAY IN JULY

14 July
Tahlia Taylor-Thomas

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT
P&C Fundraiser

Wear your Pyjamas,
Don't forget your pillow and a blanket!
Price is $10 per person or $25 for a family ticket which includes entry to movie, a sausage sandwich, ice cream cone, fruit snack and a drink (cordial)

Come along and have fun while raising funds that are vital for our fantastic little school!

FRI 25TH JULY
6:00 PM
FALLS CREEK PUBL. SCHOOL

Please note this is a family event children must be accompanied by a responsible adult.

SPECIAL SCRIPTURE PROGRAM July 24

Local Christian clowns, Barney and Klutz, will be joining us for a Combined Scripture Program on July 24 at 11.30am. Skits include: “Respect”, “Hold Your Tongue” and “Build on the Rock”.

Parents are welcome to come and enjoy this program with their children.

IMPORTANT NOTICE
Dear Parent/Guardian/Carer
I wish to inform you that a student in our school is currently receiving treatment for cancer. As cancer is not a contagious disease, he participates actively in the day to day school program without any major limitations.

A major concern, however, is that if this student develops measles, chickenpox or whooping cough he can become seriously ill. I seek your co-operation in preventing this situation.

If your child has or may have measles, chickenpox or whooping cough, I would ask that you please:

1. DO NOT send them to school.
2. Notify the school as soon as possible.

Thanking you in anticipation.

Nicole Humphreys

Foster kids need more people like you.

Nowra & Ulladulla Information Sessions, Thursday 24 July

Great kids come from good families. Short term and Long term foster carers needed. Please help.
Come along to one of our FREE foster care information sessions, 5pm to 6pm on Thursday 24 July North Nowra Community Centre, 7 Hood Close or Ulladulla, office 17, 44 Deering Street.
To reserve your place CALL 1300 130 585.

William Campbell Foundation
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Giving children hope and a future.
Falls Creek Public School CANTEEN MENU
TERM 3  2014

$5 COMBO’S
Meat Pie Milk/Juice*
Sausage Roll, Milk/Juice*
Nuggets/Dino’s, Milk/Juice*
Toasty/Milk/Juice*
*Flavoured Milk OR Juice

Lunch Menu
Aussie Burger................. $4.20
Chicken/salad burger.... $3.80
Double Cheese Burger... $3.50
Chicken/salad Sub........ $3.80
Aussie Meat Pie... $3.40
Homestyle Sausage Roll..... $3.20
Dino Snacks............... $3.50
Chicken Nuggets... $3.50
Lasagne........ $3.00
Chicken, Cheese, Tomato Toasty $3.20
Tomato/BBQ sauces 30c
Brown Paper Bag 10c

DRINKS
HOT MILO......................... $1.50
100% Juice........................ $2.00
Orange, Apple, Apple/Blackcurrant
Up And Go
Choc Ice/Strawberry $2.00
Flavoured Milk -
Choc Ice/Strawberry..... $2.00
Quench fruit Lemonade ..... $2.00
Quench lemon/lime....... $2.00

SNACKS
Garlic Bread............... $1.00
Muffins.......... $1.00
Pop Corn ...................... 50c
Grainwaves ................ $1.00
Smith's Chips, Chicken, BBQ,
Salt n Vinegar, Original... $1.00
Fresh Fruit .................. (each) 50c

COLD SNACKS
Chocolate Mousse ............ $1.00
Paddle Pops Choc/Rainbow $1.50
Frozen Yogurt ............... $1.70
Mango or Strawberry
Quelch Fruit Sticks ........ 50c

Please Put all orders in a brown paper bag with class name clearly marked in top left hand corner.
Brown paper bags can be purchased for an additional 10c

Falls Creek school canteen is a member of the Healthy Kids Association..
Our canteen is run by 100% volunteers and is committed to providing healthy & nutritious food at reasonable prices..

PLACE ALL LUNCH ORDERS WITH CHILD’S CLASS NAME AND ORDER ONTO A PAPER LUNCH BAG IN THE LOCKED GREEN WOODEN BOX IN FRONT OF CANTEEN BEFORE 9AM