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Term 3, Week 6

★ Newsletter

Message for Parents/Caregivers

Congratulations to all our students who competed in the **Zone Athletics** last Friday. Several have progressed onto the **North Coast Athletics** in Lismore next Friday—Well done. We wish you well!

With such a busy time at school, I have attached another updated calendar to this newsletter.

Thank you to parents and grandparents who were able to join us for **Book Week Open Day** celebrations. It was wonderful to see all of our students (and staff) dressed as book characters. A special thank you to Mrs Sawford for all her work in organising such a lovely celebration of literature. Congratulations to Holly and Marley who were the winners of the colouring competition.

Touch Football

The sun shone brightly on our **Touch Football Gala** Day yesterday. I was so proud of all the students as they demonstrated excellent sportsmanship and leadership as they competed against The Risk, Wiangaree and Old Bonalbo Public School. We were triumphant in 2 out of 3 games,



however, Old Bonalbo were once again, the stronger team on the day. We wish them well as they travel to Sydney later this term for the finals. Thank you to Tracee, David and Alyssa for your support and encouragement yesterday.

Science Connections Day

Next Tuesday, as part of **National Science Week** our COLOURSS Schools will meet at Rukenvale (Yrs 3,4), Wiangaree Yrs 5/6) and The Risk (K,1,2) for a day of 'hands on' Science experiences which are certain to challenge, entertain and inspire. A permission slip is attached to this newsletter. We are requesting a quick turnaround, with **permission slips due back on Monday**.

School Photos

A reminder that school Photos will be taken on Wednesday, 28th August. Order envelopes are attached to this newsletter.



Tuckshop

We had a wonderful tuckshop today. So much delicious food to choose from. Thank you to our very clever parents for the gastronomic treats sent in today.

Kathleen Johnston
Principal



Weekly Awards

Junior Class Awards

Rhys Ryan excellent work in finding information

XXXXXXX for improved Spelling in diary writing and text writing.

Senior Class Awards

To our **Touch Football** team for excellent sportsmanship and great play in the PSSA Touch Football competition.



From the Library

Stop Press: Missing Book

'Mythical Monsters' has gone missing from our library. Please check at home for this very popular book. Maybe it has been brought home by mistake. We have several students waiting to borrow this book.

Term 3

Tuesday 27th August: Science Connections Day

Wednesday 28th August: School Photos

Friday 30th August: NC Regional Athletics

Wednesday 4th September: P&C Meeting

Thursday 12th September: Premier's Spelling Bee-Alstonville

Friday 13th September: 'Interspeak' Public Speaking at Barkers Vale PS (note change)

Wednesday 18th September- Jump Rope

Friday 20th Sept: Sausage Sizzle -Last Day of Term

Term 4

Monday 7th October- Public Holiday

Tuesday 8th October-Students and Staff return

Tues/Wed 15th/16th October: Junior Class Excursion to Ballina

Thursday 17th October: Public Speaking Finals in Lismore

Wednesday 30th October: P&C Meeting

Monday 18th November: Kinder Orientation

Monday 2nd December: Kinder Orientation

Community News

Kyogle Community Cinema Programme – Cinema Week Commencing 23rd August

Friday	23rd August	
6.45pm	The Lone Ranger	M
7.00pm	Monsters University	G
Saturday	24th August	
2.30pm	Monsters University	G
3.00pm	The Lone Ranger	M
4.30pm	Monsters University	G
6.45pm	The Lone Ranger	M
7.00pm	Monsters University	G
Sunday	25th August	
2.00pm	The Lone Ranger	M
2.15pm	Monsters University	G
4.15pm	Monsters University	G
4.45pm	The Lone Ranger	M
Wednesday	28th August	
10.15am	The Lone Ranger	M
10.30am	Monsters University	G

KYOGLE JUNIOR CRICKET AGM

27TH AUGUST, 2013

Where: Commercial Hotel (Top Pub)

Time: 5.30pm

We invite all parents to attend to form a committee for the 2013/14 season.

A general meeting will be held after the AGM.

Agenda items include: Competition structure, Sign on dates , Club fees

For more information please contact

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Science Connections Day

When: **Tuesday 27th August** 10.00am – 2.00pm

Where: **Rukenvale PS—Yrs 3/4, Wiangaree PS— Yrs 5/6** and **The Risk PS— K,1,2**
Supervision will be provided at each school from 8.15am for students travelling by bus.

Who: Rukenvale, Wiangaree Collins Creek, Afterlee, Barkers Vale and The Risk PS

What: Students will need to bring their own lunch and recess, plus plenty of water.

Transport is by private vehicle. (Students may choose to travel on Watson's bus to The Risk or Wiangaree) .

Parents and community welcome

Regards

Kath Johnston

Science Connections Day

I give permission for my child(ren) to participate in the Science Connections Day on Tuesday 27th August, 2013.

I understand that transport is by private vehicle.

The day will commence at 10.00am and conclude at 2.00pm

I am able to transport my child(ren)

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I am able to transport ☐ extra children

My child(ren) will travel by Watson's bus to their appropriate school

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Signed

Date