Arts Show 2015
Every two years the school community host an art show. This year’s art show will be the school’s fourth art show and as usual it will take a different format. This year the art show will be called the Carnivale of Arts. An event management team have commenced meeting regularly to plan the event. All parents are invited to attend these meetings.

The Carnivale of Arts has three outcomes:
- Recognise and promote students’ visual art;
- Celebrate the sense of community at school;
- Raise funds to support P&C initiatives and support within the school.

The focus of the Carnivale of Arts will be upon the student art competition, display of student visual art, entertainment, food stalls, student art workshops and fundraising activities which will include a charity auction of artworks and monster raffle.

Students can enter the art competition in four categories, canvas artwork, photography, 3D and digital art. Canvases are on sale on Monday, 11 May from the canteen, the uniform shop or purchase one through Flexischools.

Parent helpers are required to coordinate a major raffle, assist in classrooms and publicity for the event. If you would like to assist this wonderful community event contact Nikki in the office.

School Development Day 29 May
On 29 May teachers will participate in a training program to improve their ability to use 21st Century Learning styles in classrooms. We have invited Ian Jukes, Director, InfoSavvy21 (CA) to answer the following question - How do we address standards, meet curricular goals and improve students’ results, while simultaneously helping students develop the new basics essential for life in the modern world?

To hold this event we have transferred the Term 3 School Development Day to 29 May. The school will be nonoperational for students on this day, Friday 29 May.

CampOut with Kids – it’s more than camping! Friday 8th May
CampOut is happening at our school on Friday 8th May for years 1-6 and you’re invited! Join others on this fantastic, engaging experience where one parent (or mentor) and child camp overnight on the school grounds.

What’s Coming Up!
2015 - Term 2
Week 2
Friday 8 May
* BVPSSA Cross Country
* NCPSSA Rugby League Trials - Rescheduled
* BBHS Drama student visit Stage 1
* CampOut with Kids
Week 3
Monday, 11 May
* Art Show canvases on sale
Tuesday, 12 May
* NAPLAN
Wednesday, 13 May
* NAPLAN
* Yr 4 Midginbil Hill Excursion
Thursday, 14 May
* Yr 4 Midginbil Hill Excursion
* P&C Meeting
* NAPLAN
Friday, 15 May
* Yr 4 Midginbil Hill Excursion
* Yr 3 Seaworld Excursion

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PAYMENTS NOW DUE
Book Packs - $50
School Contribution - $75
Year 6 - Canberra April - $100
Canberra May - $100
Year 4 - Midginbil Excursion - $115
Year 3 - Seaworld Excursion - $40/$16
All Classes - Odd Sock Fun Run Money

School Donations: Building A Better Foundation
The school has established two tax deductible funds to enable parents, relatives and friends the opportunity to make donations.
The Building Fund has provided financial support to complete our school hall renovations, install reverse cycle air-conditioning units in every classroom and construct classroom computer centres. During the next three years, the Building Fund will be used to improve playground facilities.
The Library Fund has provided reading materials for guided reading, home reading and the Reading Eggs technology program.
This fund will continue to expand reading resources and technology for literacy learning.
You can visit our website to download and complete a donor card. Your support is sincerely appreciated.
Take part in a facilitated program where you and your child will:

- Have fun, play games and share meaningful stories;
- Spend rewarding one-on-one time together;
- Invest in the wellbeing of your child;
- Learn strategies to support your child’s development;
- Acknowledge your child for their qualities;
- Build lifelong memories.

CampOut with Kids costs $20 for both child and parent to attend. This includes participating in the CampOut program and a fantastic CampOut Bag filled with CampOut activities, learning materials, keepsakes, treats and surprises.

School uniforms
There is an expectation that all students wear full school uniform to school everyday. When the weather cools some students have decided to wear different coloured warm jackets. Parents are asked to support the school’s uniform position.

Mathletics and Reading Eggs/Eggpress
The school provides every student with access to online learning in Mathematics and Reading through two online programs, Mathletics and ABC Reading from 3PLearning. Every student has a username and password to access the two online learning programs. The programs are used at school and home. Students are assigned tasks to complete at their level helping the students to enjoy learning and achieve outstanding results.

Traffic News
The Byron Shire Council Compliance Officers are working with the School and P&C to remedy the traffic congestion in Tennyson, Carlyle, Middleton and Kingsley Streets. The Council has provided traffic street signage to reduce the risk of traffic related incidents occurring.

- ‘Kiss and Ride No Parking’ - you may stop your car to allow passengers to alight, the driver must stay with the vehicle.
- ‘No stopping’ - drivers may not stop their vehicle and park. This area is allocated to moving traffic. Stopping will cause increased traffic congestion and increase the risk of injury to pedestrians.

If you require any clarification contact Les Einhorn (P&C Traffic Committee)

Schoolstream App
Thanks to the 469 families who have installed the Schoolstream App. We have used Schoolstream to alert parents of event variations and parents are using to explain absences. Schoolstream is free smartphone app for parents to download and use.

Geoff Spargo
Principal

Kinder Fire Safety Visit - How Can I Stay Safe?
If you catch on fire, stop, drop, cover and roll. Get down low and go, go, go. I get out and stay out. It is safe. Call 000. - Jack KG
Get down low and go, go, go. Call 000 - Rose KG
Get down low and go, go, go. Get low and cover your face. Call 000 - Ivy KM
Get down low and go, go, go. - Kai KM

Sport News
Tennis
Timmy Yeung Packer represented North Coast Region at the PSSA State Tennis Carnival over 4 days at the Rockdale in Sydney last week. Timmy played extremely well to support his team into 3rd Place which is North Coast’s best result for 21 years! North Coast was tied with CIS (Combined Independent Schools) in the semi-final at 3-3 sets only to lose on a count back by 1 tie break point to miss out on equal 1st Place. Congratulations to Timmy and to our North Coast Tennis team.

A huge congratulations to the school tennis team who are through to the 3rd round of the knockout competition. Timmy, Stephanie, Caspian and Maggie travelled to Clunes yesterday to play Round 2 matches against Clunes Public School. All students showed great sportsmanship and played some excellent tennis. Byron Public School defeated Clunes 8 sets to nil. Well done team! Next round to be played soon.

North Coast PSSA Rugby League Trials
Due to the bad weather last Friday, the NCPSSA Rugby League trials have been rescheduled for this Friday, 8 May in Grafton.
Cross Country Age Champions

Cross Country - Odd Sock Fun Run

Community Notices
1-2-3 Magic & Emotional Coaching
Free sessions will be held on Wednesday 10, 17 & 24 June from 10am-12pm at Shaping Outcomes, 49 Bottlebrush Crescent, Suffolk Park. Call Simon 6686 4109 or Rose 6680 4919. Limited childcare so discuss when you book.

Saxophone Tuition
2 x Alto Saxophones are available for tuition this term with Michael Blyth. Please contact Nikki at the school office.

Term 2 - Week 3
Weekly Achievement Awards
These awards will be presented at Assembly, Monday 11 May

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Term 2 - Week 4 Canteen Roster

Mon 11 May
Sheridan Richardson, Kira Magnay

Tue 12 May
Sue Davies, Kyi Van Hoof

Wed 13 May
Genevieve Plummer, Debbie McDonald

Thu 14 May
Shirley Graham, Vicky Peterson

Fri 15 May
Jane Stanton-Gillan, Ami Tsunashima

Soup Special - Thursday 7 May 2015
Homemade Pumpkin Soup with a wholemeal buttered dinner roll cup (200ml) - $3.50 each or cup (450ml) - $4.50 each
Art canvases will be available for purchase through the canteen and on Flexischools.

If you are able to assist or can’t make it in please contact Mandy in the canteen or email bbpscanteen@gmail.com.

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