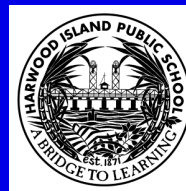


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DATES TO REMEMBER

- USA DAY - THURS 18TH SEPT
- CRICKET GALA DAY FRI 19TH SEPT
- LAST DAY OF TERM 3 - FRI 19TH SEPT
- RETURN TO SCHOOL TERM 4 - TUES 7TH OCT
- WED 8TH OCT TO FRI 10 OCT - SENIOR EXCURSION
- FRI 10TH OCT - JUNIOR EXCURSION TO COFFS HARBOUR

Harwood Island P&C meeting

Monday 13th Oct
5.00pm.

Everyone welcome!

We are now on Facebook so please go on Facebook and like us.



Our website gets updated weekly. School newsletters can be viewed online in colour.

NEWSLETTER NO. 30

16TH SEPTEMBER 2014

The staff at Harwood Island Public School would like to wish everyone a safe and happy holiday break and we look forward to your return in Term 4. All children and staff will return to school on Tuesday 7th October 2014. On this day we will welcome our new relieving Principal Ms Jenni McKeon to our school.

USA DAY

Don't forget to come dressed in red, white and blue or something related to the USA this **Thursday 18th September**.

There will be fun group rotation activities all morning with a costume parade after the morning bell. The canteen will be serving American style food.

This day has been organised by Mrs Davidson as part of the HSIE unit on USA.

SPELLING BEE

Tahlia, Aaron, Zephyr and Linken competed in the 2014 Premier's Spelling Bee North Coast Regional Final. What a great experience it was for our children. They all did very well. Great effort everyone!



HELPING HANDS FUNDRAISER.

Thank you to everyone who came along to support the Sharrock family at the 'Helping Hands' fundraiser at the Harwood Hotel on Saturday night. This was a very successful night where over \$10,000 was raised for the Sharrock family.

CRICKET GALA DAY

Children in Years 3/4/5/6 will travel to Maclean to compete in a Cricket Gala Day on Friday 19th Sept. Children will need hat, sunscreen, plenty of water, recess and lunch. Cost is \$3.00. Please return permission note and money before Friday, thank you. A canteen operating on the day.

JUNIOR EXCURSION

A day excursion to Coffs Harbour to visit 'Dolphin Marine Magic' will be held on Friday 10th October and the cost is \$32.00 per child.

The bus will leave the school at 8am and return before bus time in the afternoon.

Payment is now due!

STUDENT OF THE TERM

The following students received certificates for 'Student of the Term'. This award is given to students for consistent effort throughout the term. Evie Brown - Kindergarten Zack Kamp - Yr 1 Cody Hamel - Yr 2 Sam Carter - Yr3 Tahlia Ryan - Yr4 April Shannon - Yr5 and Jenna Carter - Yr6.

STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Congratulations to the following students who received certificates for 'Student of the Week' at our assembly today. Dana Collingburn - trying hard with reading; Seth Harrison - lovely manners; Dante O'Sullivan - excellent sporting skills; Nathan Moss - very good work in reading groups; Lily Jackson - improved reading; Rhea Shannon and Samuel Jackson - excellent work in reading; Kyscha and Chennai Wyse - great writing; Jackson Moss - excellent work in all areas; Jack Evans, Ryan Kemp, Brandan Baker - improved work habits and Liken Coram - fantastic maths. This week's Library Award goes to Brandan Baker.

ICAS ENGLISH TEST

Congratulations to the following students who sat the ICAS English test. Alyssa McGrath - High Distinction. Ella Bushell, Riley Anderson, Jaala Bendeich-Hall, Tyra Hil-drew Jackson Moss, Madeline Hollis and Sam Hollis - Participation.



Education & Communities

MUSIC LESSONS WITH MRS MACDONALD

will be held **tomorrow**.



**TERM 4
CANTEEN
ORDER FORM
IS ATTACHED
TO TODAY'S
NEWSLETTER.**

STUDENT BANKING

Banking day is **FRIDAY**. If you wish to bank at the school please have your deposit books at the school office by recess.

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MILO in2CRICKET

The Milo in2Cricket program (Harwood Cricket Club) for girls and boys aged between 5 - 8, will be commencing again this year on Saturday 4th October at Chatsworth Island Public School. The program will commence at 8:45am for a 9am start each Saturday for 10 weeks. Learn awesome skills and play exciting games and have great fun.

Sign on Day - 19th September from 3:30pm at McDonalds Yamba or at the first week of the program.

Contact:
Brendan James
0408 924 020

handyman@macleannsw.com

TENNIS COACHING

Term 4 tennis coaching commences at Harwood School on Wednesday 8th October from 8.30am. All new students welcome with racquets available for use and purchase.

Cost is \$75 per term.

Any queries phone Alan on 0416016775.

CANTEEN NEWS

On the menu this week we have Beef and Gravy Roll for \$3.00 and Milo 50c.

Don't forget we have some delicious treats for the recess break.

ACCOUNTS have been sent out today. Please pay money owing on excursions before the end of term or contact the office to discuss the matter.

KAYAK RAFFLE

All money raised from this raffle will be going toward the refurbishment of the canteen.

The tickets in the raffle are \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00 and will be drawn on Presentation Night Thursday 11th December 2014.

Please return all raffle tickets to the school office before this date, thank you.

GUITAR LESSONS

Attention guitarists! There will be **no guitar lessons week 1 of term 4** because Ryan will be in Sydney getting lessons from Tommy Emmanuel. Ryan can't wait to come back and show you some of the tricks he has learnt from the master. Also, if you're thinking about enrolling your child in guitar lessons at school, term 4 is a great time to start.

COMMUNITY NEWS

YAMBA AND MACLEAN VACATION CARE

Yamba and Maclean Vacation Care is an approved Child Care Centre for children aged 5 to 12 years old. During the gazetted NSW school holidays periods qualified and trained professional staff provide recreational and educational activities and excursions for your children to enjoy.

Centre locations: Yamba Vacation Care – Woolli Street Community Hall (Behind Library)
Maclean Vacation Care – Maclean

Public School – Woodford Street
Opening Hours: Monday to Friday: 8.00am to 6.00pm

Both services are closed for public holidays Bookings and enquires: Clarence Valley Council – 50 River Street Maclean – (02) 6645 3669. Vacation Care Coordinator (Peter Howland) – 0418 629 374 Enrolment, Booking Forms, Programs:

www.clarence.nsw.gov.au, local primary school or CVCCSS administration Office at 50 River St, Maclean NSW.

VISIT YOUR LOCAL LIBRARY

Kamishibai is a mobile Japanese Story Telling theatre with panels of paintings and live music which will be available at Iluka Library on Monday 29th Sept - 2.30-3.30pm
Maclean Library Friday 26th Sept 2.30pm - 3.30pm and Yamba Library Monday 29th Sept 10am-11am. Go online for more information:
www.crl.nsw.gov.au

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