

**P & C Motto: Participate & Communicate**  
Meet every third Wednesday of the month

## AGM and P&C Meeting

**Wednesday  
20 March 2013**

**4:00pm  
in staffroom**

**All welcome**

### EASTER RAFFLE TICKETS

- Please return all raffle books *including any unsold tickets to the school by Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2013.*
  - Donations for the raffle can be handed in to the front office.
- Anything Easter would be great or baskets/wrapping for the prizes.**
- The winners will be drawn at the Easter Hat Parade on the 28<sup>th</sup> of March
  - The raffle prizes will be wrapped on **Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> March** at 9.15am at the school. If you have some spare time to wrap, your help would be greatly appreciated, please contact Katherine Holloway on 0487406937 if you can.



**CANTEEN CLOSED ON TUESDAYS**

### **BELLINGEN BULLDOGS AFL CLUB**

Bellingen Bulldogs require boys and girls aged 5-14yrs to play AFL And NAB AFL Auskick for its upcoming 2013 season. Fro information phone Adam Kornhauser on 0417 423578.

### **GIRLS ONLY FOOTBALL (SOCCER)**

Girls turning 5 or 6 this hear are welcome to come and join teams in our local area. All entry level participants (under 6's & 7"s) will receive a free ball and set of shin pads courtesy of Newcastle Permanent Building Society. Please contact your local zone for information on 6585 0351 or visit [www.footballmidnorthcoast.com](http://www.footballmidnorthcoast.com).



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## COOKING WITH AMANDA



2 Bright Sparks were lucky to have Mrs Beauchamp's daughter Amanda, who is a chef, come and cook with her students.

**March  
2013**

**28 Thurs**

**April**

**4 Thurs**

**Events Calendar**

**Easter Hat Parade**

**Harmony Day**

### P&C SCHOOL UNIFORMS

If you would like to purchase a school uniform, please ask the Front Office for an order form. We will pass the order form and your payment on to Alida, the P&C representative, who will fill your order. You have the option of either collecting your order from the Front Office or you can have it sent home with your child.

*Please note that hats can be bought from the Front Office at any time.*

### SYDNEY EXCURSION

**Reminder:** Last week, Stage 3 students received a note regarding the major excursion to Sydney scheduled for August. **A deposit of \$50 is required by the 15<sup>th</sup> March** which is Friday of next week. Once the deposits have been received we can finalise the bookings for our accommodation and venues that we will be visiting.

### Library News

Students from Years 2,3,4,5 and 6 will register at school this week for the 2013 Premier's Reading Challenge.

To successfully complete the 'Challenge', students in Years 3,4,5 and 6 must have read 20 books, 15 of which must be from the PRC Booklist and 5 may be of the student's own choosing. Students in Years K and 1 will register and complete the challenge as a class.

Parents and caregivers need to be aware that all students who successfully complete a validated online reading record qualify for a PRC certificate and will appear on the PRC Honour Roll.

For more information and to browse the extensive booklists, please visit the The Premier's Reading Challenge website. To check what PRC books our library holds, follow the Reading Lists link from My Library, accessible at home via the Student Portal.

**ARE YOU UP TO THE CHALLENGE?**

### MID NORTH COAST PSSA SWIMMING CARNIVAL



*Michael Buchanan, Kane Galo, Belle Elphick Ttooulou, Carly Donovan Zane and Jake Jones, Ella Buchanan and Sonja Stone.*



*Girls freestyle junior relay team*



Photo's supplied by Mr Buchanan

**Congratulations to our students who participated in the Mid North Coast Swimming Carnival last Thursday.**

**CANTEEN MEAL OFFERS**    *Normal menu available every day*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

**WEDNESDAY 6 March**

**BEEF BURGER**  
(beef pattie, lettuce, tomato, beetroot)

**PRICE: \$4.00**

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

**THURSDAY 7 March**

**SAUSAGE ROLL & TOMATO SAUCE**  
+ FM Flavoured Milk  
Chocolate/Strawberry (circle choice)

**PRICE \$4.00**

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

**FRIDAY 8 March**

**CHICKEN BURGER WITH CAESAR DRESSING**

**PRICE \$3.70**

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

**MONDAY 11 March**

**3 PARTY PIES & TOMATO SAUCE**  
+ Orchy Fruit Juice  
Orange/Apple/Orange Passio (circle choice)

**PRICE \$4.00**



Nambucca Valley public primary and secondary  
schools are proud to present

# SHOWTIME

**“A Celebration of Public Schools in  
the Nambucca Valley”**



**Date: April 11th 2013**

**Time: 6.30pm**

**Venue: Nambucca Heads High School**





## CAUGHT YOU BEING GOOD

### VOUCHER WINNERS

Emma Cox - being nice

Makayla Donovan - helping around the school

Carly Donovan - walking in the quad

Sophia Ferrari-Semmler - walking nicely

### ASSEMBLY ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

KDelight	Shania Davis	Katelyn Jones
KCaring	Zachary Urquhart	Sky Sisson
1Creative	Ben Williams	Tate Ferguson
1/2Excel	Lennie McKechnie	Holly Blanch
	Tarran Jarrett-Marks	
2Bright Sparks	Tyler Boswell	Yazzystar Hoffman
3High5	Olivia Bowen	Chloe Cameron
3/4Fantastic	Brooke Heather	Dominic Hoffman
	Jack Kennedy	
4Miindala	Martina Wellington	Storm Whalen
5/6Magic	Kurt Smith	Amber Jenkins
5/6Super Special	Sophia Fidirikkos	Shantahla Jarrett-Marks
5/6L	Ella Cox	
SU1		
SU2	Brianna Parisi	Rodrick Darcy
Library		

*Congratulations!*

### BUS SAFETY

Kindergarten students had a fun lesson on bus safety on Tuesday. Mr Brian Pade from Busways came into the classroom and taught the children about bus safety. He then took the children on a little bus ride through town! Thanks Mr Pade and Busways.



Mr Pade talks about bus safety

*Bianca, Siena and Mykalah enjoying the bus ride*

### STAGE 1 NEWS

Each Friday afternoon K-2 students attend their very own assembly. After a sing-a-long class teachers present class captains with their badges. Class captains are chosen for this role by following our school rules of Our Best Always – Care, Safe, Respect, Responsible. In this role students are line leaders, collect lunches from the canteen and do jobs around the school.

This week's class captains are Aynsley McEachran, Tarran Jarrett-Marks, Jaslene Wilson, Klaeton Bond, Makayla Lamb, Jessica Heywood-Lypsich and Tyson Harvey.

