Dear Parents and Carers,

**Lismore and Richmond Valley Network Education Week Awards**

Congratulations to Eli Cook, Lee Jonsson, Colleen Carriage and Joan Gibson, who were all recognised for their hard work last night at the Education week awards, held at Kadina High. We are grateful to have such dedicated staff in our school.

Enjoy your next two weeks with your family, and please stay safe. School will resume in Term 4 for students and staff on Tuesday, October 6th.

Michelle Stroud-Watts
Relieving Principal
Congratulations to our Royal Bees

Jasper, KM
Kadyn, KM
Tysha, KM
Oliver, KM
Ben, KM
Jenny, 1-2O

Grady, 1-2O
Shatarlee, 1-2O
Hunter, 1-2O
Ethan, 1-2O
Jesse, 1-2O
Katelyn, 1-2O

Payton, 1-2O
Jasper, 1-2O
Falon, 1-2O
Caiden, 1-2O
Charli, 1-2O
Jackson, 1-2O

Caitlin, 1-2O
Barry, 1-2O
Noah, 3-4N
Alley, 3-4N
Zayne, 3-4N
Taleila, 3-4F

Neesha, 3-4F
Mattaya, 3-4F
Mia, 3-4F
Ellie, 3-4F
Natarlia, 3-4F
Zachary, 3-4F

Dayle, 5-6C
Will, 5-6C
Marielle, 5-6C
Quade, 5-6C
Rachael, 5-6C
Tiara, 5-6C
Congratulations to our Royal Bees

Tyrell, 5-6C
Braidan, 5-6C
Kenneth, 5-6C
Netikah, 5-6C
Shiarna, 5-6C
Harry, 5-6C

Emaly, 5-6C
Charlie, 5-6C
Rayisha, 5-6C
Kate, 5-6C
Felicity, 5-6C
Ashley, 5-6C

Jordon, 5-6C
Koby, 5-6C
Joan, 5-6C
Marley, 5-6C
Billy, 5-6C

Band News

There have been many students who have consistently been forgetting to bring their musical instruments to school on a Tuesday for band. In some instances I am able to provide them with a spare but this is not always the case, please help your child to be organised on a Tuesday. Some children have used “not receiving a text” as a reason to NOT bring their instrument to school. I send the texts simply as a reminder or to advise parents of any changes that may have to occur, if you don’t hear from me, please always assume that band will be on.

We have many junior band students who are poised on the edge of reaching a whole new level with their instruments. Please keep up the momentum over the holidays and set some plans/expectations with your children that they will commit to a few practice sessions – if they are bored, consider restricting their screen time and instead have them play a concert for you (insist that they practice the pieces first!). My children love doing concerts for us (they always create a program for the concert, and of course charge us an entry fee!) It is great to see what they will come up with.

As always, it is a pleasure working with your children.

Warm regards
Amanda Drinkwater ♫
Thank You!

Ballina Public School would like to thank Brad’s Butchery for their very kind donation of 300 sausages for our BBQ, which will be held at Bunnings Warehouse on October 11th. The funds from this BBQ will go towards the Band trip to Canberra later on in the year. This is a huge helping hand for us in keeping costs down. Thanks Brad!!

Enrolment for Kindergarten 2016
Child’s name: ____________________________________________
Date of Birth: ________________________________
Address:____________________________________
Phone number: ______________________________
Parent Name/s: ______________________________
Sibling’s Name/s:_____________________________
Email Address:_______________________________

Kindergarten Enrolments 2016
Do you have a child, or know of a child who is starting Kindergarten next year? We are currently organising Kindergarten for 2016 and would appreciate it if you could return the form below to the office please, so that your child’s name is on the invitation list for Kindergarten Orientation scheduled for early in term 4.

Meet Our Students
NAME: Samyra
YEAR: 6
CLASS: 5-6J
MY FAVOURITE MOVIE: Anything with Channing Tatum in it!
WHAT I DO FOR FUN: Play with Jasper, my dog
MY FAVOURITE FOOD: My Nan’s curried chicken
MY FAVOURITE TV SHOW: Home and Away
MY FAVOURITE BAND: 5 Seconds of summer
MY FAVOURITE SUBJECTS: Art
I LOVE COMING TO BPS BECAUSE... Seeing my friends Lizzi and Tiara

DEADLY SPORT DAY 2015
Come along for a fun day, all welcome

All Jarjums must be signed in by parents/carer.

WHEN: Tuesday 22nd September
WHERE: Ballina Seagulls (Kingsford Smith Park)
TIME: 10am—2pm
OZ TAG
TOUCH FOOTBALL
AGE RACES
ACTIVITIES FOR ALL AGES
FUN DAY FOR ALL
SEE YOU THERE
FREE BBQ

This event is a drug and alcohol free event
ALL CHILDREN MUST BE SUPERVISED BY PARENT / CARER

CONTACT BUNDUMK GGOOB Sports Officer Jarred for further information on phoning 0486 5004
TRANSPORT Available Pick up Points West Ballina Child & Family Centre and Kmart/Coles Bus Stop

Find us on Facebook
All Parents and Carers are welcome to join us for a free afternoon tea, every second Thursday from 2.30~3pm. The first Coffee Club for Term 4 will be Thursday, October 15th. It’s a great opportunity to catch up, and meet other families from our school, and to have an informal chat with our Principal, Peter Flannery. Hope to see you there!
The P&C Committee

Exciting New Products next term

* We are phasing out Mrs. Macs pies & sausage Rolls. They will be replaced by ‘National Pies’ who are a Tasmanian company. They have 7 hidden vegetable ingredients in each pie, (don’t tell the kids). They are really yum, you wouldn’t even know!!!

* ‘Piranha Snaps’ Vegetable Chips, We will have 3 Flavours available. They will be the same price as the other chips. $1.20.

* Slush Puppies will be available again, $2.00 each.

Congratulations ~ Winner of the canteen volunteer draw for term 3 is Teresa, well done!

Thank you to all my volunteers for a very busy but successful term, I hope you all have a wonderful and well deserved break.

Did you know ~ There is only 14 weeks til Christmas!!!

Colleen 0457 641431

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FRIDAY 18th SEPTEMBER 2015

P&C News

Live Life Well @ School

Water: did you know:

85% of a child’s body weight is water.
The human brain is 75% water; a living tree is also 75% water.
There is the same amount of water on Earth as there was when the Earth was formed. The water from your tap could contain molecules that dinosaurs drank!

Water regulates the Earth’s temperature. It also regulates the temperatures of the human body, carries nutrients and oxygen to cells, cushions joints, protects organs and tissues, and removes wastes.

Although the average person can live for about one month without food, we can only survive about a week without water.

Drink water: it’s Cool!

12-20 September 2015 For more information visit transportnsw.info/bikeweek
Community News and Advertising  These advertisements are accepted in good faith and the school does not vet them. Parents are advised to request further information or credentials, if they seek product use or participation in the activity.

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INDOOR CLIMBING (5+yrs)

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Lake Ainsworth Sport and Recreation Centre
24-25 September

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**Go For The Goal**

The Snor’s Travelling Circus

Alstonville Leisure & Entertainment Centre
27th Aug & 3rd Sept
4.00pm – 5.30pm

Vinny Leite
0430 046 373
Office 6628 3845