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Junior Captains

On Thursday last week primary held the speeches and elections for the 2014 Junior Captains. Nominees for the role were Tully Brednow, Logan Bradford, Ziggy McCartin-Cole, Holly Richardson, Isaac Huynh, Andrew Adam, Noah Boutle and Riley Perkins. All students did a fantastic job at presenting the reasons why they should be elected. After a very close decision in the voting I am proud to announce that next year's primary representatives are:

Junior Captains: Tully Brednow and Noah Boutle

Junior Vice Captains: Holly Richardson and Riley Perkins

Congratulations to all students. Their badges will be presented at the Presentation Assembly on 13th December. All eight students will be representatives on next year's SRC.

Early Entry to University

The school was delighted to receive advice during the week that three students from the Class of 2013 who had sought early entry to University New England were successful. Congratulations to Angels Byrnes, Kiaan Edge-Ford and Danika Waters. While these students may yet have other offers to consider, this is pleasing news for them. HSC results are available in December.

Student Achievements

Congratulations to Keely Patch whose Major Textiles Project will be exhibited in the 2014 Textstyle Exhibition. The exhibition showcases works of excellence from 2013 Higher School Certificate students who have completed the HSC Textiles and Design Course. Keely's Project will be showcased at The Stitches and Craft Show at Rosehill Gardens Sydney from Thursday 6th to Sunday 9th March 2014. This is a major achievement for one of our Year 12 Students. A huge congratulations to Ms Cathie Woodbury and Mrs Tania Entwistle for their collaborative effort with the HSC Students for 2013.

Over the last two weekends I have had the privilege of watching some of our students perform in their Annual Dance Concerts for 2013. I was amazed at the professional and passionate performances showcased by some of our students who participate in Dance outside school hours. Dancing for Just Dance Richmond Valley were: Jayde Upston, Alyssa Deahm, Courtney Elliot Lia Grogan, Tahlia Rojcevic, Dinah Waters, Michael Lock, Bethany Lock, Beau Humphries, Jacinta Hyde, Ruby Johns, Billie Trustum, Katie Baker, Rachelle Mitchell, Shayden Cross, Tilly Powell, Kyrra Hicks, Sienna Smith, Kayla Mitchell, Amber Davis, Molly Barker, Elizabeth Hunter, Josephine Hunter and Chloe Gillette. Chloe Gillette performed her exam Jazz piece that was awarded an Honours Plus from the ATOD Australian Teachers of Dance. Chloe was an assistant teacher for JDRV. Dancing for Waves Dance Studio were: Abby Yourell, Ailie Macgregor, Abbie Uebergang, Brooke Simmonds, Iona Macgregor, Jaidene Grasmeyer, Jessica Roche, Lailami Walker, Lilli Gillespie,



Diary

This Week - Week B

Dec 02	School Council Meeting	5pm
Dec 03	Wetlands Education Ocean Shores, Wardell, Ballina	
	Note: the date has been changed	
	Aboriginal Awards Night	Performance Hall 6:00pm
Dec 04	Year 7 2014 Orientation	
	SRC Social (Christmas Theme)	6:30pm-9:00pm

Next Week - Week A

Dec 09	Big Day Out K-2 Knockrow Castle	
	Big Day Out 3-6 Currumbin Sanctuary	
Dec 10	Peer Support Excursion Ballina Waterslides Year 8	
	Evans River K-6 Talent Show	11:30-1:00pm
Dec 12	Senior Agriculture Field Trip Swan Bay	
Dec 13	Presentation Assembly for 2013 K-12	11:30am

Coming Events

Dec 18	Last day of Term 4 for Students
Dec 19-20	Staff Development Days

Madison Deas, Mallorie Banks, McKinley Arnison, Namiah King, Narwunda Roberts, Phoebe Byrnes, Sharni Fry, Sophie Stewart, Trista Flaherty, Yasmin Yates and Hannah McKendrick who has been a student teacher of Waves studio for the past year. Hollie Roberts and Jaidene Grasmeder also took to the stage as lead dancers for the pre-schoolers performance. All these students should be congratulated on their commitment to dance and the team work it takes to achieve the visual extravaganza many parent and community members have enjoyed.

Sporting Achievements

We have a number of students this week who have excelled in their chosen sports. Connor Uebergang has been selected for the CHS Regional Cricket Team as a shadow player. This means that if for any reason a player is unable to attend Connor will be called up to play. Last Week Brandon Bale was our only representative at the Clarence Valley Equestrian Challenge. He travelled to Grafton with his horse and participated in numerous events including Pairs Workout competition and the Team Penning event. Brandon came home with many ribbons for Hack, Ride, Sporting and Sporting Relay but missed out on a place in the Penning event. Brandon's points were added to St John's College Woodlawn as he made up the numbers for their team, who were the overall champions of this event. Well done Brandon.

Eryk Sullivan was selected to play for the CHS Regional Water Polo team. Eryk has travelled this week to Sydney to participate in the state wide competition. Good luck Eryk.

Circus Concert DVDs

Parents who have ordered K-6 Concert DVDs can pick up their copy from Mr Chipz in the Library. The DVDs will not be sent home with children.

Australian History Competition

Last term 25 students from Years 8 and 10 participated in the Australian History Competition prepared by the History Teachers' Association of Australia. The competition consisted of 50 questions which focused on key elements of the Australian Curriculum and tested historical knowledge, skills and understandings. Our students performed well achieving a school average of 62% compared to the national average of 58%.

Individual student results were pleasing with Dylan Webster gaining a High Distinction and Phoebe Byrnes a Distinction. Other levels of achievement included:

Credit: Dylan Roberts, Alexander Clark, Emily Vallance, Kai Tosomeen, Liam Campbell

Merit: Kurt Forrester, Adam Hart, Bryce Vidler, Aidan Yourell, Lachlan Amos, Jalon Hadley, Rianna Patch

Competition entry was \$6 per student which was subsidised by the HSIE faculty. Congratulations to all those students who took up this valuable opportunity.

Greta Nagle

Remembrance Day Participants

On Monday 11th November Georgia Hart and Lachlan Amos represented Evans River K-12 School in the Woodburn/Evans Head RSL Remembrance Day ceremony. This was a moving ceremony and last week the school and our two students received participation awards at an assembly on Friday.



Evans River K-6 Talent Show

When: Tuesday, 10th December

Time: 11:30 am - 1 pm

Where: Performance Hall

- * Singing, music, dancing or comedy act
- * You can work in groups, or do a solo performance
- * Maximum of one solo performance per person
- * Maximum 3 minutes per act
- * Please tell your teacher if you want to perform and describe your act
- * Feel free to dress up
- * Get your music ready well before the performance
- * Don't forget to invite your family and friends to watch!

We can't wait to see you show us your talents.

Here is your time to shine

Science Trivia!

This Week - Which is hotter? 100° Fahrenheit or 100° Celsius?

Last Week- Which element gives Mars its reddish-orange colour- Carbon, Copper or Iron? **Iron oxide (rust) is responsible for the orange-reddish colour of Mars.**

Around the school



If you need any further information on anything in my news please contact me directly or the school
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Aboriginal Awards Night
Tuesday 3rd December

Congratulations to our new Primary school captains, Noah Boutle and Tully Brednow as well as the Vice-Captains Holly Richardson and Riley Perkins. I attended the assembly where all the prospective captains gave their campaign speeches and I was blown away by how polished and sincere each student's speech was, as were all the teachers and visitors who also attended.



All of our students from Years 7-11 have settled into their new classes and we have farewelled our year 12 students. I must say that our Year 11 and 12 students look very smart in our new

uniform additions of shirts and ties.

I was very pleased to hear this week that two of our Year 12 students, April Stevens and Christine Warren have both received a CWA grant to help fund their tertiary studies. Every Year the CWA award grants to students throughout the Northern Rivers to assist with their school costs. These grants are funded through the money raised at the CWA

Coming up next week

Year 7-2014 Orientation
Day Wednesday
4th December

Evans River Inaugural Art Competition
open night for the Community, Friday 6th December from 4-6pm winners announced 5pm

CANTEEN SPECIALS & NEWS

WOW!! Canteen is now making home-made 100% fresh fruit sorbet! \$2.00

NO ADDED SUGAR YUMMY!!!

SPECIALS

Stuffed Baked Potato \$5.00

Waldorf Salad \$4.00



Canteen Roster - Week B

Monday	02 Dec	Sally Perkins
Tuesday	03 Dec	Janine Hutley
Wednesday	04 Dec	Molly Forsyth
Thursday	05 Dec	Charmayne Stevens
Friday	06 Dec	Jan Hobbins

K-6 AWARDS Term 4 Week 7

Kinder	Leroy Russell Nayt Walker	Willie Harris Recharna Deas	Kirra Clark Augustus Norwell	Byron Gallagher Tyler Alchin
Yr 1	Kiarah Butler	Halle Fardy	Daniel Stewart	Beau Stevens
Yr 2	McKinley Arnison	Eva Boutle	Ella Griffiths	Iona Macgregor
Yr 3	Boris Stevens	Taylah Fardy	Mitchell Williamson	Jacob Franks
Yr 4	Jessie Bodley	Yani Luque- Light	Finn Gillespie	Sacha Boutle
Yr 5	Sharni Mitchell	Shakira Cox	Sharni Fry	Andrew Adam
Yr 6	Bibi Stevens	Madison Deas	Thomas McGuire	Luca Somerville
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Class Awards	Kindergarten			



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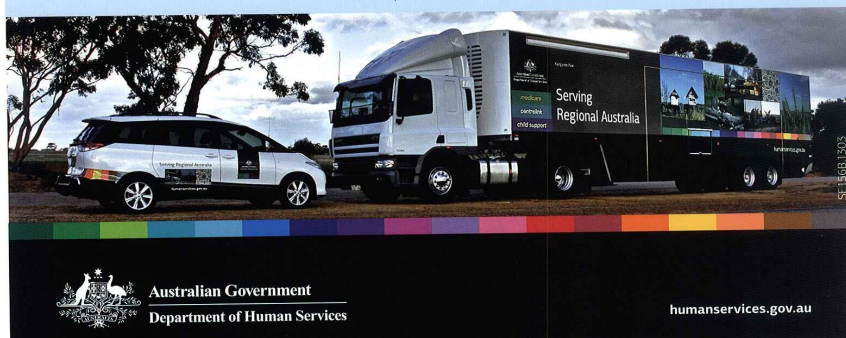
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**In front of the Council Office, Woodburn St
EVANS HEAD**

Tuesday 10 December 2013

9:00 am to 4:00 pm

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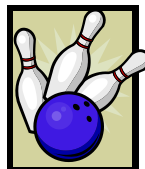
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An all ages event at the
Evans Head Surf Club
Sunday 15th December
3pm - 8pm
\$5 entry per person
Beverages will be
available from the bar

**a night of old school +
new surf films
fundraising for Mision Mexico**

**come dressed as your favourite
1970's surfer + enjoy a radical
night of surfing moves**



JANE CORNISH LYMPHOMA AWARE- NESS NIGHT

Saturday 30th November 2013

Evans Head Bowling Club

5:30pm Twilight Bowls

**7pm– Joan, Robyn and Amanda
have their heads shaved**

8pm– Auctions

**There will be a raffle running over
the Christmas Holidays**

**Donations can be made at the
Evans Head Medical Centre,
Spirit Café or the Woodburn Lions
Club**

**Like to learn something new
and have fun too**

When- Sunday. December 15th

**Where- Evans Bridge Beach.
Stand Up Paddle Board Lessons.
8am-10am.**

\$10 - ½ hour.

Contact: Ivonne Mace.

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