Welcome back
Welcome back to Term Two. It has been pleasing to see many smiling faces back at school this week looking forward to learning and being with their friends and teachers. Term Two is rich with learning opportunities for students. All students are expected to give their best in every learning experience.

Staff Changes
The process for appointing a new Head Teacher PDHPE is underway. While this process is undertaken, from the beginning of this term, Mrs Sonya Price will relieve as Head Teacher PDHPE. Mr Phil Cook is the CHS Sports Organiser. Questions relating to CHS Sport Organisation overall, should be directed to Mr Cook. Where specific coaches are identified for individual sports or sporting events, that person would be the first port of call for questions.

Anzac Services
Congratulations to all students who attended Anzac Services in our local area on Friday. The school has received quite a number of positive comments about the speeches given by the school captains and vice-captains at services. Students of the school also assisted in the services in other ways (including as cadets in honour guards). All students are encouraged to attend community Anzac Services in the school uniform and march with the students of our school. The school Anzac Service was held on the final day of Term One. It was our pleasure to host both former and current servicemen from the service. The service was led by students of the school.

Cross Country
In what is always one of the best days of the year, students participated in the school cross country late last term. Congratulations to all students on their efforts in this event. Our cross country is held on the beach and surrounding paths at Evans Head, concluding at the Surf Club.

Crankfest Extreme
Congratulations are due to students who participated in Crankfest. Some students were involved in the organisation of the day. Well done to Year 12 who operated a second hand stall as a part of Crankfest.

School Development Day
Staff participated in a range of sessions during the school development day. Teaching staff received training in the use of iPads with particular focus on the use of Sentral software. Initially this software will be used in roll marking and recording awards, behaviours and support needs for students. The iPads will also be used to support literacy programs. Non-teaching staff participated in literacy sessions (supporting students), brain gym and corporate wellbeing sessions. Thanks to Halle and Cheryl McCarthy for morning tea and to Year 12...
(particularly Natasha Reid, Sam Weekes, and Ben Baum) who catered for lunch, with the support of Year Adviser Ms Cotton.

**Winter Uniform**
Students are required to attend school wearing the specified school uniform. In winter times, something warm to wear may be warranted. The P&C have approved warm wear for our students as follows. For Boys: One of the three school tops for cold weather (all have the school’s logo). For Girls: the same except girls also can wear plain navy, button down, knit cardigan. Casual jumpers from home are not to be worn.

Rob Walker – Principal

**K-6 Cross Country Age Champions**

Congratulations to all of our students who participated in our School Cross-Country Carnival last term. It was great to see everyone trying their best and running so far! We now have 58 students travelling to Coraki to represent our school at the Mid-Richmond Cross-Country carnival this Friday 2nd May.

K-6 Age Champions on the day were:
5 years – Luke Corbett, Savannah Semple
6 years – Jarvis Semple, Lotus Barrett
7 years – Luke Stewart, Kyla Flaherty
8/9 years – Caelan Cooper, Eva Boutle
10 years – Oscar Forrester, Trista Flaherty
11 years – Victor Roberts, Adalita Simpson-Wise
12/13 years – Noah Boutle, Sharni Mitchell

What a great effort!

Fiona Fields

**7-12 Cross Country Age Champions**

Thursday 10th April was a magnificent day. The sun was shining, a light breeze was blowing and it was perfect conditions for a good run. Congratulations to all the students who attended and participated. Thanks to all the people who helped out on the day. Some great performances were achieved by many students.

7-12 Age Champions on the day were:
12 years – Stephen Kennedy, Tamika Wynne
13 years – Andrew Knight, Narwunda Roberts
14 years – Hamish Rayner, Rachael Redman

15 years – Zach Armstrong, Kristi-Lee Gollan
16 years – Shaun Pollock, Rachael Nealer
17 years – Jack Baker, Kirrah Cooke
18 years – Hamish McKendrick, Larissa Cumner, Jack Patrick (AWD)

The next level for Cross Country will be held on Friday 16th May at Lismore Race Course. The top 6 students in each age division will be eligible to attend. Mr Cook will have permission notes ready to distribute by the start of week 2.

Sonya Price

---

**7-12 Athletics Carnival**
The Years 7-12 Athletics Carnival that was to be held next Thursday 8th May has been postponed until Tuesday 20th May.

Jenny Hart Deputy Principal

**Under 15’s Boys and Girls Soccer**

Late last Term the Under 15’s boys and girls soccer teams travelled to Woodburn to show off their skills. Both teams played Richmond River in a Knock-Out competition. I would like to congratulate all the players on their have-a-go attitude. All the players gave their best against a much larger school. Unfortunately both teams were unsuccessful in making it on to the next level. Thankyou to the Woodburn Soccer Club for allowing us to use their fields and equipment.

Mr Cornish and Mrs Cooper
Welcome back to Term 2

Grow Up Smiling Dental Services

In 2014 the Australian Government introduced a new dental scheme called Grow Up Smiling, this program provides benefits for basic dental services to around 3.4 million children aged 2-17 years. This new scheme replaces the Medicare Teen Dental Plan and increases the eligibility age range, benefit amount and the services that can be provided. The total benefit entitlement will be capped at $1000 per child over a two calendar year period. Grow Up Smiling will have the same means test as the Medicare Teen Dental Plan. This service is available through many dentists, however the School is negotiating with Australian Mobile Dental Care who provide on-site dental care services. Together we are planning to have a mobile dental care service that will be visit the school offering dental care as part of the Grow Up Smiling Program. We are negotiating for this will take place later in the year.

Attention Learner Drivers

On Monday 2nd June a free 2 hour workshop will be held in the School Library, by NSW Roads and Maritime Services for parents and supervising drivers.

The workshops provides practical advice about:
- The new changes to the Learner Driver Permit
- The new Safer Drivers Course
- How to use the Learner Driver Log Book
- How to plan driving sessions
- How to deal with difficulties that may arise during driving practice
- The importance of giving the learner constructive feedback.

The workshop is designed to help learner driver supervisors plan the best on-road experience for learner drivers and includes information about the current licence conditions for learner and provisional drivers, young driver safety issues and low risk driving.

Who should attend:
- Parents, friends or relatives who are/will be supervising drivers
- Learner drivers are welcome to attend if accompanied by their supervisor

Please book to make sure you get a place in the course

To book your spot you can book through the school office or direct with the workshop presenter at:

CANTENE NEWS

Welcome back to Term 2. Get ready for the yummy homemade soups and stews we make as the colder weather approaches. Welcome back to the band of volunteers that help in the canteen. Your work is always appreciated.

CANTENE SPECIALS
Lamb Casserole on Rice
$5

SOUP OF THE WEEK
Choko
Sml 1.50 Lge 2.50

Canteen Roster - Week A

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Day</th>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Supervisor</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Monday</td>
<td>06 May</td>
<td>Charmayne Stevens</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Tuesday</td>
<td>07 May</td>
<td>Janine Hutley</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Wednesday</td>
<td>08 May</td>
<td>Molly Forsyth</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Thursday</td>
<td>09 May</td>
<td>Help Wanted</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Friday</td>
<td>10 May</td>
<td>Merey Turner</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Science Trivia!

This Week's Question: Where on your body would you find your phalanges?

Last Week's Question: Name two processes which could be used to separate sand, salt, iron filings and water?

Answer: Filtration, Evaporation or Magnetic separation
Mums & Bubs Playgroup
A playgroup with organised activities
Delicious morning tea provided
Come and join us for a fun and relaxing morning
10am – 12noon
At Evans Head Presbyterian Church Hall
More Info. Ph: 6682 4440

The cut off time for information to be included in the newsletter is 2:00pm Tuesday.
Newsletter will be printed on Wednesday afternoons.

WEP Student Exchange – Memories and Skills for Life!
Choose from over 20 countries around the world to attend school, live with a welcoming host family and have the time of your life. Whether you wish to learn another language or choose English-speaking destinations like the USA, Canada or Ireland, students return with memories and skills for life.

Early Bird Special – Save $500
WEP is offering students in years 9 to 12* a $500 discount off the 2014/15 program fee towards a semester or year program to any of the following countries departing in January - March 2015: Brazil, Belgium, France, Germany, Italy, Mexico, The Netherlands, Poland, Spain, Norway, Thailand or the USA. Early Bird applications close 30 May ’14.

Find Out More
Request a FREE information pack:
www.wep.org.au

P&C News
Our next meeting will be held on Monday 19th May in the Library at 4:30pm. Please come along and bring your ideas and suggestions.