Thursday Notice
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Term 3 - Week 2

Students of the Week

Lilly - Eva - Caring - kindness is a virtue

Riley - Achiever - striving for excellence

Happy Birthday
A very happy belated birthday wish to Jasmine.

Calendar

Term 3 - 2014
Week 2

| Friday 25th July       | Terania Athletics Carnival |

Week 4

| Wednesday 6th – Friday 8th | Opals - Coffs Harbour Excursion |
| Thursday 7th - August      | Diamonds Sleepover            |

Terania District Athletics Carnival

Tomorrow
Tomorrow the Opals will be participating in the Terania District Athletics Carnival held at Riverview Park. Parents will need to transport their children to and from the event. The Diamonds will have their usual Friday classes.

The carnival starts at 9am for the march past and the first event, the 200m will start at 9.30am. Please find attached a program.

Our P&C will be running the canteen. This should be a big fundraiser for us. Money goes towards being able to subsidise excursions and resources for the students. If you are available to assist please come along.

Jiggi Fair
2nd August
Our students will be performing at the Jiggi Fair on Saturday 2nd August at 2pm. Please come along and enjoy.

Opal’s Excursion
In less than two weeks the Opals will be leaving on their excursion to Coffs Harbour with students and
teachers from The Channon. Barry will be driving the bus and acting as a teachers aid. Bus will leave from school at 8.30am on Wednesday 6th August. Students will need a packed lunch and recess for the first day. We should be back at school by 4pm on Friday 8th August.

Please read the attached itinerary and pay particular attention to items your child may need including $15 for a photo of a kiss from a sea, enclosed shoes to be worn when canoeing and an old t-shirt etc. Attached to this permission note is a waiver form to be signed by parents so children can participate in all activities. There is also a special form for the high ropes course.

Please sign these forms and return to school by next Tuesday.

Final payment for the excursion is due next Wednesday.

The Rivers Public Speaking Competition
The Opals will be preparing and presenting a short speech in preparation for the Rivers Public Speaking competition. Students will be given time in class to prepare their speeches but families are strongly encouraged to support their children in this activity at home. Speeches need to be completed by Monday 25th August as speeches will be presented in week 7. Two students from Stage 2 (years 3 and 4) and two students from stage 3 (years 5 and 6) will be selected to represent Jiggi at the Big Scrub semi final held on 17th September here at our school. Details of topics and time frames for speeches are below:

Stage 2
If I had one wish...
How would you define courage?
The best holiday I have ever been on.
If you could be a farm animal which one would it be?
Why were the Egyptian Pyramids built?
How kids can make a difference.

Stage 3
Are there aliens? Are we really alone?
Are kids expected to perform chores around the house?
Is privacy a privilege or a right?
Can parents be punished for their child’s mistakes?
Do we need better role models for our generation?
Is peer pressure beneficial or harmful?
Does beauty or brains get you ahead in life?
What’s the importance of the Olympics?
Will computers replace teachers?
Girls have it better than boys.

Un-Australian

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Kindergarten 2015
Jiggi Public School is now taking enrolments for kindergarten students commencing 2015. We will hold orientation days every Wednesday of term 4. If you are aware of any families in our area who may be interested in enrolling please encourage them to contact the school.

Flu season is here
Influenza is spread from person-to-person through the coughing or sneezing of infected people. Remind your child about these good hygiene practices to minimise the spread of infection:

- Anyone who is sick with influenza symptoms should stay home until their symptoms are gone.
- Cover the nose and mouth with a tissue when coughing or sneezing. Throw the tissue in the garbage bin after use.
- Wash hands often with soap and water, especially after coughing or sneezing. Alcohol-based hands cleaners are also effective.
- Avoid touching eyes, nose or mouth. Germs spread that way.
If you or your child develops influenza-like illness, seek the advice of your family doctor as you would with any other illness. The seasonal influenza vaccine, which protects against the pandemic influenza strain as well as two other influenza strains, is now available free to eligible people. More information about the vaccine is available from the NSW Health Immunisation Unit’s vaccination page.

Previous vaccination with the pandemic influenza vaccine, Panvax® is not a barrier to also receiving the seasonal influenza vaccine.

The Diamonds

A copy of the rough plan for Week 4 when the Opals are in Coffs Harbour on their excursion is attached. The P&C will be providing dinner on the Thursday night as well as all meals for the children on Friday. Please contact Kirsty Langdon if you are able to assist with this or if your child has special dietary requirements. Linda has kindly offered to help me with the sleepover again. The sleepover is a great opportunity for children to gain some independence in a safe environment so I would encourage all students to attend. It is also lots and lots of fun. If you have any concerns or worries please do not hesitate to talk to me about this. We are all very much looking forward to these three days which are not far away.

Kind Regards
Barb Dobner

Tuckshop
Rostered for duty on Wednesday 30th July 2014.
Serving: Angela & Tanya
Cake roster: Angela
Dish of Day: Belinda

After School Care
Thank-you to the school and all the families for their support in helping to re-establish the after school care service. After such a long process we will definitely be starting on Tuesday the 29th of July!!

Just a reminder to parents to find out their CCB% so as I can calculate the fees and not overcharge anyone. The fees can either be paid in cash to me directly or direct debited into my account weekly if preferred. Please do not send the fees to Family Day Care as the service is now set up as my business and I am not on their payroll. Also parents need to notify the school as to when their children will be attending after school care to assist with departure in the afternoons.

Thankyou again to everyone and now we get to begin the fun stuff!! If any of the children or families has suggestions or ideas they wish to contribute to the program, you input will always be welcome.

My phone number is 66888235.
Ellissa Keating-Lowe

P & C News
Upcoming events

P & C Meeting
Tonight at 5pm at the school

Terania Sports Carnival

Tomorrow Friday July 25th. We are running the Canteen at this event. All parents are required to contribute. If you are baking for this Friday’s sports carnival and can’t make it to Riverside Park in the morning please drop baking at school before 9am and someone will bring it to us.

Jiggi Fair

Saturday August 2nd at the Jiggi Hall. The P & C do the food. All families are asked to contribute. If you haven’t already returned your form stating how you can help, please fill it in and return it to the school (in the dolphin box) by COB on Monday 28th July.

Opals Excursion.

The Opals head to Coffs Harbour 6-8th August. The P &C have contributed $100 per student to attend this excursion.
Diamonds Sleep over
As the P and C are not using the Diamonds sleep over as a fundraiser we decided we should get parents to donate the food then we don’t need to charge. The following menu was discussed.

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<td>Breakfast</td>
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If you can help cook / serve any of these dishes please indicate here.

Jiggi Fair (August 2)

Name: ________________________________

☐ Preparations
☐ Bake cakes etc
☐ Cook Pasta sauces/pasta
☐ Cook at BBQ
☐ 12 – 2pm
☐ 2-4pm
☐ 4 – 6pm
☐ Serve in Kitchen
☐ 12-2pm
☐ 2-4pm
☐ 4-6pm
☐ 6-8pm

☐ Night Clean up (10-11pm)
☐ Sunday Morning Clean up

Terania Sports Carnival – July 25
We will be doing the canteen at the sports carnival on Friday 25 July. It is estimated that there will be around 500 people at the sports carnival. We will need to be there from about 7:30 in the morning till 3pm and will need a small army of people to help man the BBQ and serve at the canteen. We will also need cakes baked (preferably cupcakes, muffins and slice). We will need all parents to contribute. Please complete the form attached and pop it into the dolphin box with regards to what you can do.

Jiggi Fair – August 2
Once again the School will be doing the food at Jiggi Fair. The fair this year is on Saturday and will run from 12 noon until late (probably midnight). We need people to bake cake, cook on the BBQ and serve food in the kitchen. Please complete the form attached and pop it into the Dolphin Box.

How can you contribute?
Name/s ________________________________

Please tick the appropriate boxes

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