

# The Channon Public School

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## NEWSLETTER

Week 8, Term 4

29<sup>th</sup> November 2013

END OF YEAR CHRISTMAS CONCERT

WEDNESDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER

THE CHANNON HALL

COMMENCING AT 5PM UNTIL

All families are welcome!

Students need to be there by 4.45pm

Please bring a plate to share

This will be a wonderful night for all!

## IMPORTANT DATES:

### Monday 2nd December

Active After Schools

### Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December

Kinder Teddy Bear Picnic

### Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December

Kinder 2014 Orientation

Active After Schools

### Monday 9<sup>th</sup> December

Active After Schools

### Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> December

Year 6 Surf Day

### Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December

School Concert

### Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December

Last Day Kinder Orientation

### Monday 16<sup>th</sup> December

Active After Schools

### Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December

Rocky Creek Dam Excursion



## TEDDY BEARS PICNIC

Next Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December Mrs Cantrell will be taking the Kindergarten students down to Preschool for a Teddy Bear's Picnic. So please help your child select their favourite teddy to bring along.

We will be leaving school at 9.10am to walk down to Preschool. All children will need take their recess and drink bottle as well. This should be a wonderful morning for all the children participating. Parents of Kinder 2014 students please meet us there if this is not a Preschool day for your child.

## END OF YEAR CONCERT

The End of Year Concert will be held on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December commencing at 5pm at The Channon Hall. We warmly invite all of our families to attend. Parents please note that students need to be there at 4.45pm to be ready to start the concert at 5pm. Please bring a plate to share for supper. The program is as follows:

- Acknowledgement of Country (Year 6 students)
- Welcome (Year 6 students)
- Principal's Address
- School Presentation / Performance, coordinated by Ms Rena.
- Principal and P&C President to hand out books.
- Bush dancing - led by Julie.



## ROCKY CREEK DAM EXCURSION

On the last day of term for students the whole school will be travelling by bus to Rocky Creek Dam for an excursion. This will be a lovely way to end an amazing year. More information will go out in next week's newsletter.

## ART SMART

This week we received Jarrah and Zachie's artworks from their involvement in the Art Smart program earlier this year. Don't they look amazing! Congratulations boys on an outstanding effort!

Zachie and Jarrah's  
Artwork.



## STUDENT AWARDS

**K/1**

**Elke Osborne, Grace Randle, Lilyana Smith, Saskia Whyte, Izzak Harvey, Tahj Herman-Bromley, Beanie Kalyana, Max Martin, Aslan O'Keeffe, Tumahn Young, For Great Writing Skills!**

**Pepper, George, Milaya MacKenzie, Jazmin Middlemiss, Ollie Jackson, Zayden Perpignano and Phoenix Swift.**  
**For Great Writing Skills!**

**1/ 2**

**Tavio Perpignano**  
**Working so well in writing!**

**Tajira Taylor**  
**For great progress in Reading!**

**Albie Webster**  
**For his amazing Reading Skills!**

**3/4/5/6**

**Ayla-Mae McHardy-**  
**Always giving her best efforts in her work!**

**Malaika Taylor –**  
**For being an enthusiastic and dedicated learner!**

**Ruby Sharp-**  
**For being an outstanding Minister for Library!**

**Matthew Cawley-**  
**For being a positive and happy peer role model!**

**Miriam Ellemor-Collins-**  
**For being a kind and conscientious student!**

**Isabella Gillies-**  
**For giving her best efforts in all key learning areas!**

## LEADERS REPORT

We have had a wonderful week at school this week. We have been doing Active After Schools where we played golf with JJ and touch football with Rena.

On Tuesday our Kinder to Year 2 students attended the Responsible Pet Ownership program presented by the RSPCA here at school.

Next Friday the whole school will be attending a fun golf excursion to the Lismore Golf Club. It also has been a busy week in Creative and Performing Arts as we have been painting props and preparing for the End Of Year Concert.

Today we have the Kinder kids here for Kinder Orientation, it's always great to see there smiley, happy faces in the playground and around the school.

**Ivy and Abby**



### END OF TERM 4

*Last Day of Term for Students is Wednesday  
18<sup>th</sup> December*

*Last Day for Staff is*

*Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December*

### SCHOOL START UP TIMES FOR 2014

*Staff return Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> January*

*Students from Year 1 to Year 6 return on  
Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> January*

*Students starting Kindergarten return on  
Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> January*





\*\*\*'Sing-a-longs, Santa, Sunset and the Stars'\*\*\*

The Channon Tavern's "*Village Carols at Sunset*",

***Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December from 5:30pm***



Mish and Julie are again leading our The Channon community's *Village Carols at Sunset*. The evening begins at 5.30pm on the creek-side grass area beside The Channon Tavern. Santa will come on his Fire-truck chariot, local school children have an opportunity to feature in the performance, and lyric sheets will be available. We will sing

traditional and Australian carols as well as many other popular songs.

Come and join the Christmas cheer and **enjoy the therapy of a good sing!** Bring a candle, a comfy rug, friends and family, and be part of the relaxed atmosphere of The Channon Tavern's *Village Carols At Sunset*.

#### NATIONAL HEARING CARE

FREE Hearing Check for people over 55 years of age

at Lismore Shopping Centre, 44 Carrington Street, Lismore, NSW, 2480.

For more information or to book a free test, call 02 6621 8204.