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NEWSLETTER

Week 3 Term 2

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On Friday 10 May, I was fortunate enough to travel to Tweed Heads with our Year 6 students, who are also acting as our Prime Ministers for this year. We enjoyed an exciting and engaging day at the GRIP Leadership Conference. We travelled to the event with other students and staff from the Big Scrub Community of Schools on a double-decker bus. Students were involved in a variety of high energy activities and were able to meet with like-minded primary school leaders from across northern NSW and south-east QLD. I would like to commend our 4 students – Luka, Matt, Jahlia and Scarlett for their behaviour and attitude. Congratulations!

During this week (3) students in Years 3 and 5 have been involved in NAPLAN testing. They have done an excellent job giving their best efforts in each test. NAPLAN results will be made available for parents and schools later in the year.

Again this week we have been delighted to have a range of helpers working with students throughout our school. Dennis has continued to assist Rena with our CAPA program supporting all students K-6. We have also enjoyed a visit from our school counsellor Mr Noble.

Kind regards,
Trisha Harvey
Principal

Important Dates – Term 2

Monday 20 May	CAPA at Corndale PS
Tuesday 21 May	Lantern Making (K-6) Infantry – teacher professional learning day
Friday 24 May	Zone Cross Country Canteen

P&C NEWS



A big THANK YOU to all those who helped out at the BUNNINGS BBQ last Sunday.

Although it was a slow day and sausage sales were far between, we still covered costs and made a profit of \$397.15.

This profit has covered the cost of the Double Gazebo the P & C recently purchased for the School.

Our next fundraising event will be THE CHANNON MARKET DAY on JUNE 9TH.

As this is our main fundraising opportunity, we will be needing all hands on deck, so please keep this day free.

Please fill out the attached ROSTER and/or DONATIONS LIST as to how you can help.

Thankyou,
The Channon P & C

Next meeting: Wednesday 12th June at 3:30pm.

LANTERN MAKING WORKSHOP

Volunteers from the Lismore Lantern Parade will be holding a Lantern Making Workshop at school on Tuesday the 21st May.

CROSS COUNTRY

Last Thursday the whole school participated in the Dunoon PSSA Cross Country. We are very proud of all of students for participating in this event. Special mention to **Djuan Pawson** who won the 8 years boys championship!



SCHOOL JUMPERS

With winter just around the corner we thought you might like to know that new school jumpers are available for sale at school at a cost of \$25.00 each.

***Our jumpers are lovely and warm
and don't they look great!***



MATHLETICS CLASS 1/2/3

Our school has bought the rights to participate in the Mathletics computer program this year. A fun, educational Maths site that has been incorporated in most classes.

Children have asked if they can use this site at home. This is a great extension to maths homework.

I will send out password cards in the next week's Homework. This work is optional.

How to get into the site.

- Google Mathletics
- Click on 'sign on' or log in'
- On Mathletics page click on orange sign in box top right
- Use name needs capital letters
- Password lower case letter

Mrs Cantrell & Mrs Lord
Class Teachers



SMALL SCHOOLS CHOIR

Selected children have been given the opportunity to participate in The Small Schools Choir which will perform at Lismore Performing Arts Festival next term. Parents will need to transport their child to and from rehearsal practice.

The first practice is to be held at Modanville school next Tuesday at 11am. Children participating will be given a disc with the songs they need to learn for Performing Arts. The cost of the disc is \$10.00.

If you would like your child to participate please return permission slip with money on Monday 20th May.

LEADERS REPORT

On Friday the 10th May year 6 students Jahlia, Luka, Scarlett and Matthew went to the Grip Leadership Conference at Twin Towns in Tweed Heads. We went on a double decker bus with all different schools like Dunoon, Jiggi, Eltham and Corndale; that is just some of them.

On Tuesday the 14th, Wednesday the 15th and Thursday the 16th we had NAPLAN and returned to doing normal school work on Friday.

Jahlia, Luka, Scarlett and Matt



CANTEEN

17th MARCH 2013

Fixed Menu

Pies from \$3.50 and Sandwiches from \$2.00

Roster: Sarah Osborne, Peta McHardy

Cake Roster: Peach Darvall Sarah Osborne

Please send along a paper bag with your child's name, class and correct money if possible, inside.

**Please remember to bring some fruit when on roster so there is enough
morning tea for all the children.**

Thanks Sarah