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*Respect*

*Integrity*

*Care*

## Well done Djuan!

Congratulations to Djuan who ran so well in last week's North Coast Cross Country in Kempsey. Djuan came 8<sup>th</sup> in the Years 8/9 boys race and we are so very proud of his efforts!

## On our website

Permission notes are now available on our website for parents to print off, sign and send in.

Visit the 'Parents and Community' tab or use the link below.

<http://www.thechannon-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/parents-community/permission-notes>



## Big Scrub Chess Competition

Today we had students from Years 1-6 competing in the Big Scrub Chess Competition, which was held at Modanville Public School.

Congratulations to Aslan, Albie, Robert, Finn, Bodhi, Djuan, Zara, Indi, Tahlo, Izaiah, Raphael and Jarrah who were selected to compete on behalf of our school.

A big thank you goes to Mr Swift from Modanville Public School for organising this fantastic event for students across the Big Scrub Learning Community.

## Save the Date!

### PSSA Soccer

**Monday 16<sup>th</sup> June**

The Big Scrub boys soccer team will travel to Dunoon Oval for a game.

### Water Testing

**Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> June**

Students in Years 3-6 will be water testing with Rous Water (11:30-1:20).

### NAIDOC day

**Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> June**

All students K-6 will travel to Lismore Showground to celebrate NAIDOC.

## Our purpose:

*To provide a comprehensive education, based on the principles of creative thinking, respect for each other, our environment and compassionate citizenship.*

### AASC Basketball day

Our K-6 students travelled to Lismore Basketball Stadium on Thursday of this week to join other AASC schools for a day of fun, basketball skills and a round-robin tournament. Upon returning students recapped their favourite parts of the day:

Djuan – ‘Everything!’

Beanie – ‘I had a nice chat today.’

Izaak – ‘Playing everything and doing basketball.’

Pearl – ‘The bus ride.’

Lillyana – ‘My lunch.’

Billie & Audrey – ‘Piggy-back rides.’

Jarrah – ‘Seeing our friends from other schools and playing lots of games.’

Jeremy – ‘Playing the games.’

Thank you to Mrs Cantrell, Ms Rena and Mr Davidson for supporting our students to have such an enjoyable day and to Matt Kelso, AASC Coordinator for organizing such a great day!

### Book Club

Book Club magazines are now available for collection from our front office, if you would like the school to send home these magazines with the newsletter each month please contact the school.

### Big Scrub PSSA Boys Soccer

On Monday 16<sup>th</sup> June our Big Scrub PSSA boys soccer team will travel by private transport to Dunoon Oval to play against Wyrallah Road PS in the next round of the PSSA Soccer.

We wish these students – Zachie, Jarrah, Izaiah and Raphael – all the best for their game!

Good luck!



## Our Core Values

### *Respect, Integrity & Care – Workshop for parents*

Students and staff would like to invite any interested parents  
to a session on our Core Values on  
**Friday 27<sup>th</sup> June from 2:00-3:00pm.**  
We hope to see you there!

### Want to help us reduce energy?

This week our students in Years 2/3 worked with Ms Rena and Derek to conduct an energy audit across our school and to explore options to consider energy usage in our learning environment.

We are looking at ways to reduce our impact on the environment and would like you to consider these questions:

Would you like your newsletter sent by email? Or would you like to access it online?

If you have answered 'Yes' to either of these questions, please contact Mrs Luce in our school office and we can add your address to our email list and reduce our need to print so many newsletters.

We thank you in advance for your support!





## Enrichment Day

Next Friday 20<sup>th</sup> June selected students from Stage 2 will participate in the Enrichment Day at Tuntable Creek Public School. They will join with other students from across our small schools to participate in a range of musical activities with peers of their own age. Transport is by private car. Students need to be there by 9.30am and the day will conclude at 2.30pm.

They will need to be dressed in full school uniform, wear covered footwear and school hat. They will need to bring recess, drinks and lunch. If your child is taking their own musical instrument we need to let the school know by next Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> June. Please fill out the permission note attached to this newsletter and return to school by next Wednesday.

## School Jumpers

Winters has started this week and the temperature has certainly become colder please ensure that your child has a jumper or warm coated packed each day for school. The P&C has the school jacket available to purchase for \$25.00 each. If you would like to purchase one please see Mrs Luce in the school office.

## Recess and Lunch

The colder weather has made our students a little more hungry lately. Please ensure that you pack a piece of fruit or vegetable for 'Crunch and Sip' each day. Please check your child's lunch box to see if they may need a little something extra as the weather continues to get cooler, maybe an extra vegetable or piece of fruit could be a good option. We also encourage students to bring a bottle of water each day to ensure they are adequately hydrated.

# COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENT

## **Tyke-Oh Japanese Drumming Community Workshop**

**Tyke-Oh Japanese Drumming is Great for:** •Healthy exercise • Physical coordination • Stress relief • Team building • Building self-confidence  
• Stimulating your mind • Learning Japanese and its culture •**And it's FUN!**

**Course Information: (1 session x 60 minutes)**

**Enrolment : places limited. No casual attendance**

**Course Fees: \$10 per person Age: 8 years and over**

**Course Venue: Eternity Springs Art Farm**

**Tuntable Creek Road, The Channon**

**Course Dates: Friday 27 June 2014 5:30pm**

**Please register your place with Tuntable Creek Public School on 66886212.**

**For further information, please contact us. [info@ezjapanese.com.au](mailto:info@ezjapanese.com.au)**

# Leader's Report

This week has been an exciting and busy week!

With The Channon Markets on Sunday and the Queen's birthday Public holiday on Monday, plus our AASC Basketball day on Thursday, this week has flown by!

We hope everyone has a wonderful and relaxing weekend, ready for next Week 8.

Abby, Ruby, Ivy,  
Zachie & Jarrah



## P&C News

Thank you to all of our families and community members who helped out with The Channon Market Day fundraiser on Sunday. Our students had a fabulous time during the Bollywood and Beat it flash mobs and we thank Julie, Malaika and Ms Rena for their choreographic support and enthusiasm.

Thank you also to Brian and Julie for all of their organization in ensuring the day ran so smoothly!

Our next P&C meeting will be held on **Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> July** from **3:30 – 5:00pm**. We welcome any new or interested parents or community members to join our committed team. Tea, coffee and light refreshments will be provided.



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