**Winter Sports Carnival**  
**Friday 12th June**

This carnival will involve Mullaway, Woolgoolga and Sandy Beach schools. Children in Years 3-6 have chosen Touch Football, Soccer, AFL and Netball to play on the day.

**Notes and money need to be returned by Thursday.**

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**Principal’s Report:**

**International Competitions and Assessments for School**

Our next 2 tests will be held on Monday and Tuesday next week. The Writing test will be held on Monday June 15 and the Spelling test will be held on Tuesday June 16. These tests are for those students who nominated earlier in the year.

**Uniforms**

Thank you to all parents who have responded to the uniform survey so far. We really appreciate your comments. If you would like to make a comment and haven’t done so please return the form as soon as possible.

**NAIDOC Week**

NAIDOC Week will be held from June 22. We have a wonderful day planned for Wednesday June 24. If you would like to come and assist with the day please let us know. Any assistance would be greatly appreciated.

**Bronze Awards**

It has been a pleasure signing so many Bronze Awards lately. Congratulations to those recipients who have received Bronze Awards this term. Your hard work, excellent attitude and manners are outstanding.

**Scripture Performance**

Next Tuesday all students who attend scripture will combine to watch a performance called QuizWorx. This entertaining show combining puppetry and song will be held in the bottom COLA.

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**Upcoming Events…**

- **Fri June 12**  
  Winter Sports Day ($2)  
  (Years 3-6, Soccer, Oz Tag, AFL, Netball)

- **Tue June 16**  
  Scripture Performance-QuizWorx

- **Wed June 17**  
  Winter Disco

- **Wed June 24**  
  NAIDOC Day

**Debating**

Our debaters have been doing an excellent job with their interschool debates. The next round is scheduled for this Thursday. Notes have been sent home with the Affirmative and Negative team members. The topic for debate is *Television is good for us.* We are looking forward to some convincing arguments from both sides.

*Mrs Wright*

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Check us on our website:  
Students of the Week:
Koby Kudrins, Dakoda Burns, Spencer Digby, Molly McCallum, Gursagar Sahdra, Cameron Wemyss, Wednesday Marshall, Benjamin Dunning

Stars of the Week:
Lachlan Gault, Mac Ryan, Eivina Toth, Shakira Johnson

Bronze Awards:
Avnee Singh, Kaitlyn Ludzik, Adelaide Dunning, Jon Johnson, Paige Ludzik, Smarlee McPhillips, Nate Hemming

MEETING A REAL WRITER!!

Tayla, Lauren, Hodi, Marley, Ruby, Jasym, Bianca, Harmony, Phoenix and Layre met author Tristan Bancks after his Author’s Talk at Sandy Beach School last week.

“It takes a long time to plan and write a story” - Phoenix
“Brainstorming ideas and writing in notebooks gives you better ideas for a book” - Lauren
“He is a good author and twists the truth” - Harmony
“You never give up – even when you think you are the worst author in the world!” - Jasym
“He was very funny but very inspirational” - Tayla
“You can write things that happen in your life but you can make it more interesting” – Bianca

I would like to thank Mrs Reinecker and Mr Davies for helping with transport.

Mrs Davies

CALLING ALL OVERDUE BOOKS
We need all library books returned before the end of Term.
Thank you for helping your child check at home.
Green reminder notes have gone home this week.
Mrs Davies

Don't forget! Book Club orders are due:
Thursday 11th June
Year 3 News...

Homework has been given out for this week. With the Winter Sports Carnival on this Friday, both the Home Reading Journal and the homework sheets are due in on Thursday.

Projects

We’ve almost finished our stage 2 speeches. The presentations have been fantastic. We’ve learnt so much about the SIMP. Well done to all the children who have presented a speech to stage 2 so far. Thankyou to the parents who have also visited to listen to the speeches.

In maths we have been calculating area of regular and irregular shapes. In writing, we have been looking at one prank that Mrs Twit played on Mr Twit. In this prank, Mrs Twit put worms in Mr Twit’s spaghetti!! Some of the writing about this prank was very imaginative. In Grammar we have been looking at adverbs. We have also started to investigate “when” adverbs.

Premier’s Sporting Challenge

Last week we had 17 children achieve Diamond level; 5 Gold level; 7 Bronze level and only 1 person missed out. What a fantastic start to our 10 week program. Year 3 are looking forward to the Winter Sports Carnival that is on this Friday. Notes and money should be in asap.

Mr Hasson

Year 4 News...

Students in Year 4 completed the Marine Estate Agents Passport workbook that was filled with activities and projects about looking after the environment, focusing on the Solitary Islands Marine Park.

Last week Year 3 and 4 participated in an excursion to Arrawarra Bay and this has prompted them to find ways to improve our immediate environment. They have decided to start with our school and look at ways to reduce the waste we produce by recycling and composting more.

Last week Chantell Burns from the Department of Primary Industries presented Year 4 with a Silver Award and a $175 voucher for the school library for participating in this initiative.

Year 5 News...

Due to the short week there will be no spelling homework. Home reading books should be returned on Thursday. The children have been given a short speech assignment to be completed by the 18th June. Our new unit is Australia and Identity and looks at the influence of other cultures on Australian Society.

Mr Taylor

This week’s focus is...

**Take 3 for the Sea**

When visiting the beaches, creeks or rivers of our area please pick up 3 pieces of rubbish and dispose of them properly so they don’t end up in our beautiful waterways.

Mrs Vines

*Pick it up. Bin it. Take 3 for the Sea.*
**Tiles**

If anyone has any tiles at home that could be used for mosaicing and would like to donate them to the school for an activity on NAIDOC Day. Please contact the school, donations appreciated.

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**Disco**

Our term disco is next Wednesday the 17th of June. Year 1 and Year 6 parents it is your turn to donate any cakes, slices etc to sell on the night. We will also need parent helpers on the night.

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**The simplest way**

...to make a healthy afternoon tea.

Try these simple ideas for making snacks that will satisfy even the fussiest eater...

- **Home made hot chips**
  Slice potatoes into thin discs, and arrange on a baking tray sprayed lightly with olive oil. Grill until golden, and serve with a small amount of tomato sauce.

- **Bite sized fruit with yoghurt**
  It’s a fact – kids are more likely to eat fruit when it is cut up into small pieces. Try serving some diced fruit with some reduced-fat yoghurt. It’s a winner.

- **Veggie sticks**
  These are so easy to prepare and make a super healthy afternoon tea. Try cutting up some carrot or celery sticks and serving them with hummus.

For more information visit www.eatittobeatit.com.au or join us at facebook.com/eatittobeatit

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**Cake Stall**

To coincide with the Woolgoolga Athletic Club’s North Coast Championship we will be holding a Cake stall on the 21st June to raise additional funds for our school. If you can help on the day or donate baked goods please contact Heather P&C on 0439 078 353

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**Uniform Shop**

The uniform shop is now restocked so if you would like any articles of clothing for your child/children please fill in an order form and send it in with the correct money and it will be sent home with your child. Please keep in mind school photos will be taken on August 4, 2015.

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**Canteen Roster**

**This Week:**
- Wed 10/6  Nicole, Jackie
- Thu 11/6  Cheryl, Bec, Lisa
- Fri 12/6  Christine, Amanda, Kath
  (Northern Beaches winter sports carnival)

**Next Week:**
- Wed 17/6  Nicole, Crystal
- Thu 18/6  Cheryl, Bec, Lisa
- Fri 19/6  Christine, Amanda, Jody