

## **23<sup>rd</sup> November, 2016 Term 4 Week 8.**

### *Date Claimers*

<b>25/11/16</b>	<b>Prep (2017) Class Visit</b>
<b>25/11/16</b>	<b>Twilight Markets</b>
<b>25/11/16</b>	<b>Mobile Library</b>
<b>28/11/16</b>	<b>Prep (2017) Class Visit</b>
<b>30/11/16</b>	<b>HSS Swimming Carnival</b>
<b>01/12/16</b>	<b>Christmas Carol Night</b>
<b>06/12/16</b>	<b>Year 6 Day Out</b>
<b>08/12/16</b>	<b>Awards/Graduation Day</b>
<b>09/12/16</b>	<b>Last Day Term 4</b>

### *Principal's Info*

#### **School Leaders**

Yesterday the Year 3/4/5 students and staff voted to elect our School Captain and Vice-Captain for 2017. There were 5 students who nominated for the positions and they all spoke very confidently. The voting was extremely close with Mollie being elected as Captain and Marcus and Gus as Joint-Vice-Captains. Congratulations to them all, and well done also to Maya and Jonty for their excellent speeches. Hot off the Press:

#### 2017 House Captains

Booneen	Kyah
Jingree Jingree	Kyla
Yowgrah	Sophie

#### **Twilight Markets**

The very first Twilight Markets, hosted by Ingleside State School, will be held on Friday night at the Community Hall starting at 5pm. This will be a great community event and we would encourage all the families and friends of Ingleside State School to support this initiative.

#### **Swimming Lessons**

The Prep/1/2 children have completed their week of swimming lessons at the Palm Beach Aquatic Centre. They did an amazing job and the comments that we have received from the staff at the pool should make all parents proud. A big thank you to all involved for making this valuable program such a great success.

#### **Student Resource Scheme**

There has been a great show of support for the Student Resource Scheme, It would be greatly appreciated if those families who have not returned their forms do so by Friday 25

November. We need to finalise who is opting in so that we can place orders with our suppliers. Once we have received the forms parents who have elected to pay now will be invoiced and payments can be made online or at the Office. Those parents who would prefer to pay by instalments will be invoiced at the start of Term 1 2017.

#### **Prep Orientation Mornings**

The 2017 Prep children will be attending school on Friday 25 and Monday 28 between 9:00-11:00 am. These mornings will give our new "Preppies for 2017" the opportunity to experience a day at school. At 10:00am on Friday the Year 4/5/6 students will be presenting puppet shows to entertain them. On Monday morning all the children, this year's P-7, will be working in their 2017 class groups with their "next year's" teacher.

#### **Thank You**

We would like to send a big thank you to the P&C who have generously funded the new Touch-screen Panel for next year's new class. It has already been installed, so please pop in and have a look. We are all very excited to have it up and running for day 1 of Term 1 2017.

#### **Awards Graduation Day**

On Thursday the 8<sup>th</sup> of December we will be having our Annual Awards and Graduation Concert at the Tallebudgera Community Hall. Students need to be dropped at the hall between 10:30-10:45 for an 11:am start. After the Awards Ceremony we will be having a free sausage sizzle for the children and baked goods, tea and coffee for everyone to share. The day usually concludes around 2:00pm. We look forward to enjoying this Celebration Day with the whole school community. A reminder note will be coming home at the end of next week, containing any extra details.

#### **Christmas Carols**

We will be having our regular yearly Christmas Carol's gathering on Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> December at the school, commencing at 5:00pm. There is a mention of this further on in the newsletter under P&C items with a rather strange notion that someone might be doing some singing on the night, I'm not so sure about that, but you never know!

#### **Mobile Library**

This week's mobile library will be for collection of books only. Please have a good look for all those library books so that they are all returned.

Crichton Roberts

## **P&C NEWS**

Dear Ingleside community,

Thank you to everyone who has already donated items for Christmas Hampers. We have already put together one super--dooper hamper to display at the Twilight Markets this Friday evening. We would still like as many donations as possible so that we can make multiple hampers for the raffle.

Raffle tickets were sent home on Monday (check your child's school bag if you haven't received them.) The raffle will be drawn at the School Awards Graduation Concert on the 8<sup>th</sup> December.

### **Christmas Carols Night**

Have you marked Thursday December 1<sup>st</sup> in your diary? This will be a fun night commencing at 5:00pm. There will be singing, Christmas lucky dips, sausage sizzle, a visit from Santa and if we are really lucky we may get Mr Roberts to give us his rendition of the Little Drummer Boy! How could you miss that!

### **Twilight Markets**

The Twilight Markets, hosted by Ingleside State School are on this Friday, November the 25<sup>th</sup> commencing at 5:00pm. They are being held at the Tallebudgera Community Centre/Hall.

Thank you to those people who have offered to help on the night. We could do with more helpers, particularly from 7-8:00pm If you are able to assist please phone Robyn Marini on 0417 780058 or let the school office know. Many thanks,

Cheers Jane

***The last P&C meeting for the year is being held on Monday 28th November at 2pm in the library, everyone is always welcome.***

## ***Classroom Comments Prep/1***

I'd like to say a very special thank you to Coopers Mum Jacinta for all of her extra help in our classroom. THANK YOU!

Swimming was a great success. The children were very well behaved and did a great job of listening and looking after their belongings. They have all come a long way with their swimming! The

instructors were extremely impressed and we are very proud of them all. It is now the wind down to Christmas and the end of your children's first year of school. We have a lot to look forward to in the next couple of weeks with Prep Orientation Mornings on Friday and Monday, a puppet show from the senior class, the Twilight Markets, Christmas Carols and our end of year concert.

Be prepared for books and art work to start coming home in your children's bags.

Let the fun begin!

Mrs Cameron and Miss Debbie

## ***Classroom Comments Year 1/2***

Our grade one and two students were so amazing at swimming lessons that some of them were mistaken for fish! All of the students had such a wonderful learning experience both in the pool, representing our school and being responsible for their own belongings. Both the bus driver and swimming instructors commented on how well our students behaved. It was great to see their smiling faces while they splashed about in the pool each day.

Class Celebration: Will be on Thursday the 1st of December. Students can wear free dress and bring a game to play with their friends. Student books will start to come home next week. I will try not to overload school bags so please clear them each night.

Brenda Grima

## ***Classroom Comments 2/3/4***

What a busy couple of weeks the 2/3/4 class has had. The students have been working so very hard on their poetry and learning all about **onomatopoeia** (a word that names a sound, but also sounds like that sound such as *sizzle, drip or splash*). The students today were identifying these words in sentences and some students were able to choose onomatopoeia words for their own poems. Thank you to those that have brought in a juice bottle for the lantern making. The lanterns for Friday night's markets are coming along beautifully. Yesterday we started Christmas art and the children made amazing snowmen. Thanks Josie's dad (Guy) for the templates. Well, I look forward to a fun last couple of weeks with my gorgeous class, they have all grown up so much over the year.

Merit awards

Rheagan

For terrific group participation and playing fairly during our shopping game.

Phoenix

For displaying a positive attitude towards all learning activities and coming to school each day with a smile.

Kalle

For demonstrating perseverance during our Poetry unit. Well done Kalle!

Willow and Lille

For outstanding results in Poetry writing. Well done on writing in stanzas and using the poetic devices you have learned over the last couple of weeks.

Amanda Skuse

***Classroom Comments 4/5/6***

Wow! Our Year 5 Captaincy candidates were awe inspiring! Gus, Jonty, Maya, Mollie and Marcus should be commended for their impressive and well- constructed speeches and for demonstrating so many of the admirable qualities a School Captain should have. We congratulate our new Captain and Vice -Captains, Molly, Gus and Marcus. Good luck to our prospective House Captains in today's elections!

Over the past few weeks, we have been focused on narrative writing and the children have excelled producing stories with engaging 'sizzling starts', awesome tension, revealing dialogue with well - considered plans and endings. I have really enjoyed seeing the students' engagement and progress and particular mention goes to Mace, Dior and Joe for their enthralling stories.

This Friday, the children are performing a puppet circus show for the new Preps and the dress rehearsal demonstrated what a treat they have in store. Congratulations to the students for their original and beautiful puppets and imaginative scripts. I know everyone would want to thank Ms D for creating, directing and producing such a spectacular performance!

Have a lovely weekend

Vicki Straw

***Birthdays***

**Happy birthday to the following students:**

- 24/11/16                      Anastasia**
- 28/11/16                      Charlie Yr 2/3/4**
- 30/11/16                      Sophia**
- 04/12/16                      Jack**

Have a great birthday everyone!

