Term 4 Week 5  

Tuesday 3rd November, 2015.

### Dates to Remember

**Assemblies**
- Week 5: 4R & 4S
- Week 6: 1B & 1S
- Week 7: 3C & 3G
- Week 8: KM & KS
- Week 9: Awards
- Week 10: Y6 Final Assembly

**Kinder Orientation** 9/11

**Kinder 2016 Smoothstart**
- 23/11, 30/11, 7/12

**Presentation Night**: 9/12

**Year 6 Farewell**: 15/12

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**Technology in the classroom**

Year 1 students enjoy using the iPads purchased with money donated by Yancoal, Holiday Coast Credit Union and the P&C

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**Canteen Roster**
- 4/11
  - Brad Sparke
  - Melissa Feeney
- 6/11
  - Louise Thurgood
  - Tim Norrie
- 9/11
  - Linda Dillon
  - Kareen Higgins
- 11/11
  - Bev Germon
  - Judy Hopkins
- 13/11
  - Robyn Beggs
  - Sue Brown
Collaborative Planning Days
This week is collaborative planning week at our school. All teachers meet together in stage groups for a day and plan for 2016 in the areas of History, Science and Technology and Maths. All students and staff will benefit from this planning in 2016.

Tidy Towns Dinner
Thank you to all the families with students in the choir who are attending the Tidy Towns Dinner to sing this Friday at Gloucester Country Club. Choir students; please be at the venue at 6pm.

Kindergarten Orientation
Welcome Everyone

I hope to see all our 40 new kindergarten students and their mums, dads and/or carers next Monday 9th November 2015. We are all organised for a great morning and look forward to meeting you.

Leanne Wakefield
Principal
We are learning...
- Weekly Blends: st and sk
- Weekly Word Family: ‘ot’
- Weekly Sight Words: good, brother and sister
- Number Focus: Reading, writing, counting and ordering numbers 0-1000
- Maths Focus: money, multiplication, division, fractions, area, position, 3D shapes, data

Mirabai Carruthers and Alicia Taylor
Kindergarten Teachers

Class Awards (Week 3)
KS  Ethan Blanchard
    Jaxon Galvin
    Oliver Collins
    Jessica Marchant (E)
KM  Marley Eveleigh
    Alicia Edwards
    Melody Maslen
    Destin Cole-Doyle (E)
1S  Montana Watego
    Hannah Leimgruber
    Wyatt Griffin
    Asher Baker (E)
1B  Harmony Osland
    Lillianne Dangerfield
    Albie Cameron
    Levi Owens (E)
2H  Katie Broadhead
    Harvey Willis
    Nikita Hobbins
    Olivia Kearney (E)
2M  Alex Redman
    Kaitlyn Beggs
    Ibrahim Khalid
    Shannon Atkins
    Kayla Blanch (E)

Citizenship Award:  Jaxon Griffis-Powick

Bronze Awards
KS   Abi Wood

Silver Awards
1S   Brody Taylor

Gold Awards
KS   Jaxon Galvin
1S   Blake Walker
    Kirrin Rapson
    Jackson Kilmurray
    Wyatt Griffin
    Krystal Penfold
    Ale’andra Parks
    Marshall Guttridge

3-6 ASSEMBLY
2.10pm
Friday 6th November
Hosts/Item = 4R/4S
All welcome
**Crazy Cakes Day**
When: Thursday 12th November (Week 6)
Time: Recess and Lunch
Where: In front of the library & KM’s room
The Year 6 fundraising committee is holding this exciting day to raise money to buy a gift for the school.
We would appreciate it if the Year 6 students could bring in cakes to 6W’s room as soon as you get to school on Thursday 12th. Prices will range from 50c to $2.00.
*Year 6 Fundraising Committee*

**Cookie Dough Collection**
At this stage, all cookie dough will be available to pick up from our school hall on Tuesday 10 November after 3:15pm. A note will go home later this week to confirm the pick-up date and time.
*Mirabai Carruthers*

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**Choir**

**Tidy Towns Performance**

Our school choir will be performing at a Tidy Towns dinner function at the Golf Club on Friday 6 November. All choir students will need to meet Mrs Carruthers and Mrs Burrows outside the Golf Club at 6:00pm. A permission note went home last week for this performance. If your child hasn’t received one, please pick one up from our school office and return it to school as soon as possible.

**Sinfonia Concert**

Our school choir will be performing at Sinfonia’s concert in Gloucester on Sunday 15 November. If you would like to watch this wonderful concert and see our choir performing, please come along on Sunday. Tickets can be purchased at the door.
*Mirabai Carruthers and Annette Burrows*
Schools Spectacular Information

- **WEEKLY SONG FOCUS**: Crazy in Love, Lean on Me, Uptown Funk and Galaxy.
- School Rehearsals will continue this week. Please ensure that all Schools Spectacular music comes to school during rehearsal time.
  
  Rehearsal Times: Monday Afternoon- 3:00 to 4:00pm and Tuesday Lunch time- 1:00 to 1:30pm.

Mirabai Carruthers
Schools Spectacular Coordinator

GPS Reading Strategy Course
Lesson 8

Cut It Into Chunks

From the Library

Please note that library borrowing will end next week - Week 6. Please return all books to the library by the end of next week.

Hayley Watts, Teacher Librarian
Yummy fresh spinach from our school garden $1.00 per bunch.

Orders to Mrs Groves.

platypus Festival 2015
Sustainable Community Celebration

Wildcraft Australia (Bear Grylls for kids), Kai Boom & Junk Percussion drumming
Learn the magic of Tamboo Bamboo and Frigideira, spot a platypus, talk to Devil Ark, get into the groove with the Grasscutters & Soupy Sounds, take in a Raw Earth Story, chill with Tai Chi in the park, plus much more.

Saturday 7 Nov
8.30am - 2pm
Billabong Park Gloucester

Part of the Blue Star Awards / Tidy Town Event

www.platypusfestival.com.au
**Good for Kids good for life**

**Staying Active in the Heat**

When it's hot outside it can be tempting to become a couch potato in order to stay cool. Here are some tips for staying active when the weather warms up:

- Plan outdoor activities in the cooler parts of the day such as early morning or late afternoon
- Wear light-weight clothing in light colours
- Have water available at all times
- Play in the shady areas out of direct sunlight
- Include indoor activities such as twister or dancing to music.

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**Recipe: Vietnamese Rice Paper Rolls**

**INGREDIENTS**

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**METHOD**

1. Cut the cucumber, radicchio, carrot and avocados into thin strips and finely chop the peanuts.
2. Place all the ingredients into a bowl and mix together
3. Place the paper roll in a bowl of warm water until soft. Place strips of the vegetables and herbs on the wrapper, about 3 cm from the base.
4. Fold up the bottom of the wrapper, fold in sides and roll up to enclose the filling. Place on a tray and cover with damp tissue. Repeat with remaining rice paper and serve with the dipping sauce.

**Tips:**

- You can buy rice paper rolls from Coles. If your family would prefer meat in the rolls you can use slices of beef or BBQ chicken.

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**Giant Xmas Toy Raffle at The Golfies**

**Thursday 26th November**

$1 tickets at the door between 5 and 6pm

Raffle starts 6pm

$1000 worth of toys

Bar and Bistro open

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