



# The Risk Public School

## NEWSLETTER

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Term 4 Week 3

### MAKING SWEET MUSIC AT THE RISK!

As part of our school plan negotiated with the whole school community in 2014, we have seen the beginning of a formal music program this term with Mr Nolan. This compliments the introduction of our whole-school choir that continues to improve. Our Friday music program is using the instruments we have available at school in both classrooms. In addition, Mr Nolan is running a guitar tuition group at lunch times for anyone that wants to bring in a guitar.



The Primary band is made up of recorder, guitar, drum, clap sticks and xylophone.



Students learning their part for the band performance of "Raining On The Rock."

### WEEKLY AWARDS

#### INFANTS CLASS

##### STAGE 1

#### ZANTHE COOK

Wonderful progress with fine motor skills.



#### PRIMARY CLASS

##### STAGE 2

#### MARLEY GRAHAM

Super reading resulting in a rise of 4 reading levels!



#### PRIMARY CLASS

##### STAGE 3

#### ANNIE BROSNAN

Very creative and entertaining descriptive texts this week!



### WELCOME BACK MRS PETHERBRIDGE

### AND THANKS HEAPS MRS BERTHIER!

We welcome back Mrs Petherbridge today who has been on long service leave! We hope she is refreshed and ready to have a great end to the year! We sincerely thank Mrs Berthier for guiding the Infants class for the last couple of weeks. Everything has ticked along like clockwork and we appreciate your calm and assured way of teaching!

### TENNIS COACHING LESSONS

Our students will begin a new sport program on 3rd November involving 6 weeks of tennis coaching lessons. We have been lucky enough to receive a grant from the Australian Sport Commission to fund this exciting program. A special thanks must go to Rebeka Piggott, our Administration Manager, who developed the application for the grant. The Raising Aces tennis group that runs Lismore & Casino tennis have been employed to conduct the program. They are fully qualified and approved to run programs in schools.

### P&C NEWS

The P&C will run a sausage sizzle every second Friday till the end of term. The first one will be 30 Oct. We will need a parent to cook the sausages and serve. If you can help ring Rebeka at the school. We have the bread and sausages leftover from the Bunnings BBQ fundraiser

**Term 4 Morning Tea: Wednesday 11th Nov.**

Please send in items.

### THIS FRIDAY'S LUNCHES

### STUDENT PARLIAMENT

### MINI PIZZAS

Ham & Pineapple - \$1.50

VEGGIE: Pineapple/mushrm/capsicum - \$1.50

### "THE RISK CUP"

### TUESDAY 3rd NOVEMBER

Students and staff will celebrate the Melbourne Cup Day again this year with our own version: "The Risk Cup".

Students and staff will be allowed to dress up in "Race Day" clothes and come to school for some friendly competitions after lunch.

**The P&C are hosting a free Sausage Sizzle for lunch for everyone!**

Parents are more than welcome to come in and have lunch with their children and stay for the running of "The Risk Cup" and the other novelty events.

Sausage Sizzle Lunch: **1.10pm**

Novelty Competitions: **1.45pm**

### KINDERGARTEN 2016

### ORIENTATION PROGRAM

**28th Oct, 4th, 11th and 18th Nov.**

If any parents know of any prospective new Kindergarten aged children for 2016 that want to be part of the best small school in the Northern Rivers, send them our way.

**Enquiries ph: The Risk P.S. 66 366 127**

### EVENTS & DATES TO REMEMBER - TERM 4, 2015 (11 weeks)

KINDER ORIENTATION DAYS	28 OCT, 4 NOV, 11 NOV, 18 NOV (week 4,5,6,7)
MOBLE LIBRARY	FRIDAY 30 OCTOBER (week 4)
'THE RISK CUP' DAY	TUESDAY 3 NOVEMBER (week 5)
INTER-RELATE FOR YR 5/6 @ RPS	THURSDAY 5 NOVEMBER (week 5)
LAST COMMUNITY ASSEMBLY FOR 2015	WEDNESDAY 11 NOVEMBER - 2.30pm (week 6)
P&C MORNING TEA	WEDNESDAY 11 NOVEMBER

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