Welcome to Week 6. It has already been a very busy term and this week is no exception with many exciting learning opportunities for our students on offer.

Last week, Year 5 and 6 students had lots of fun at Woolgoolga Beach learning about surf safety and how to surf. On Friday, Kindergarten had a great time at the pool for their first day of swimming. Last Thursday, three students travelled to Coffs Harbour to participate in the Coffs Harbour District Swimming Carnival. Congratulations Jake W, Ollie D and Lennox D. All three students have been successful in going to the Mid North Coast Trials later this month. Congratulations boys, and good luck!

This week, Kate Grimston will visit the school to talk to K-2 students about ear health. Scope IT begins for students in Years 1-6. Please ensure payment has been sent to the office by this Wednesday.

This Friday morning, Years 1/2 and 5/6 will perform at the first of our major assemblies this term. The Student Representative Council (SRC) will also be presented with their badges at this assembly. Congratulations to those students selected as class representatives.

Just a reminder to parents and students K-4, that Reading Bug Club has commenced for this year. When students have completed 20 nights of home reading, students should return their signed reading record to their class teacher so they can receive their first award. Awards are given out after every 20 nights of reading, that is, after 20, 40, 60, 80 nights etc.

We would also like to let the community know that Mrs Nicholls is on leave for the next week and Mrs Goodenough will be relieving as Principal. If you have any concerns, please do not hesitate to let me know Mrs Nicholls would like to thank everyone for their well wishes.

Have a great week! Don’t forget to ask your child, “what went well today?”

J. Goodenough
### Class Award Recipients - Term 1 Week 5

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<td>Eligh R</td>
<td>Great work in reading.</td>
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<td>Alyssa C</td>
<td>Being a helpful student.</td>
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<td>Being an excellent listener in class.</td>
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<td>Mietta E</td>
<td>A wonderful “self-portrait” artwork.</td>
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<td>Lincoln C</td>
<td>Fantastic effort in maths.</td>
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### What went well in 1/2

Students in Year 1/2 have been studying mini beasts as part of their science unit this term. Year 1/2 explored the school grounds and observed various mini beasts in their environment. They have created artworks of some of the mini beasts they saw.
**PBL**
As the first part of our move to becoming a PBL (Positive Behaviour for Learning) School, the team will visit our school on Friday the 18th March. They interview teachers and a random sample of students about their experience and knowledge of their school.

**School Uniform**
We are now taking orders for the winter jacket and track pants. If you would like to order these items please see the office staff and complete an order form as soon as possible we would like to place the order by 14th March 2016.

**Newsletters**
Thank you to the many parents who have supplied their email addresses so that we can cut down the cost of printing the newsletter. If you can still do this, please send a note or contact the office to provide your email address.

**Library**
Premiers’ Reading Challenge starts 7th March 2016.

**School Bags**
Nana Glen Public School, School Bags are available at the office while supplies last, for $45.

**School Sunnies**
Our Sunnies have arrived and the kids look great. If you would like your child to have a pair of school sunnies, **they are $10 and can be purchased at the office.** The office ladies will write your child’s name on their sunnies straight away. The school takes no responsibility for student’s sunnies. Please also be aware that other sunnies are not permitted at school.

**Canteen**
We understand that many of our volunteers for the canteen have little ones who need to be looked after during this time. So to suggest a solution to this we are proposing that we have three volunteers for Friday canteen; two people to run the canteen, and one person to look after the little ones who are not of pre-school age. In this way, we help our school and our volunteers.

In addition, the canteen will only be opening on Friday’s. We have not been able to secure a second day at this time as this is a very big commitment and many of our parents are already working very hard in our school.

**Moscow Circus**
The Great Moscow Circus is coming to Coffs Harbour from 6th March to 20th March 2016. The management have provided a package for our school comprising of 1 Achiever Award for each class, a family pass voucher and a double pass voucher. We have decided to put the names of the children who have paid their school fees into a bucket and draw a winner for the family pass and the double pass. The winners will be drawn on 11th March, so if you are able please pay your fees before then.

**Orara High School Visit**
Yesterday, staff from Orara High School, came to talk to our year 6 students about getting ready for high school. The students asked many thoughtful questions and found the session very informative.
P&C News

Pitter Patter Pitter Patter – Is that the sound of bunny feet we here? Just a gentle reminder to keep the Easter raffle donations coming in and a huge THANKYOU for the donations already received – we really appreciate it.

The raffle ticket selling is going along nicely and the Easter breakfast and shake rattle and roll is also gaining momentum.

Congratulations to all our swimmers this week and best of luck to those progressing further to the next carnival.

Thank you to Mrs Nicholls and the staff for organising the Surf School. This is a fantastic opportunity and the kids are all impressed after day one.

Mark this date in your diary: Next P&C meeting week 8 Wed 16/3/2016 6pm sharp

Reminder: Secretary position remains vacant.

Nana glen P&C 2016

P&C Fundraising Report

Many thanks to those who have already returned raffle tickets and/or donated towards our Easter raffle. Please keep those sweet donations coming in. If your child has not brought home raffle tickets or you would like more, could you please ask them to come to the office to pick some up.

Our Easter fun is continuing Thursday, March 24th with our P&C Easter Breakfast it’s a fantastic event starting at 8.30am. We will have several options of food, tea and coffee will also be available on the day. If you are able to donate eggs or assist in anyway please let the office know or Jess Eggins.

Fun Run

This year we are having a fun run. This is a shared event with the Staff and the P&C. Watch this space for upcoming details. Get your running shoes on and start getting fit.

Canteen News

Thank you for your support of the canteen this year. Please note that we have sold out of $3.00 pies, and will continue to sell the locally made beef pies only. We are looking for volunteers to help in the canteen or do some baking, if you are able to help please complete the attached form and return the form to the front office.

Nicolle Fielding and Jaimee Woodlock.
Canteen Volunteer Form

Parents / Volunteer’s Name/s: ________________________________

Your Children’s Name/s: ________________________________

Phone No. Home: _______________ Mobile: _______________

I am able to help in the canteen on Fridays: YES NO
From 9:30am – 11:30am
From 9:30am – 2:00pm (Please circle)

I am also able to cook when rostered on canteen YES NO

I am able to cook ONLY for canteen: YES NO

Thank You For Your Support Nicolle Fielding and Jaimee Woodlock
Dear Parents, Carers and Students

You are invited to our Expo Evening to discuss enrolment opportunities for your child. The Expo will showcase our state of the art Hospitality kitchens, the Senior Independent Learning Centre and various specialty rooms as students lead you and your children through various demonstration lessons.

Please arrive at 5.45pm for a 6.00pm start
For catering requirements please RSVP to Kadey Kitcher on 6652 1077

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Presents

THE COFFS COAST SCHOOLS CHALLENGE

Simply vote for your school when you purchase a ticket to any of our rides or attractions and your school could win a huge school fun day out for up to 300 kids!

Winner drawn 1st September, 2016

Plus

10 lucky voters will win an access all areas golden ticket for a whole year!

$10,000 in prizes
(02) 6652 4355
fun@bigbanana.com

Earn bonus votes when you book school sports excursions & fun days. For more details, terms & conditions please visit www.bigbanana.com
Seasons for Growth

This is an eight-week program for children aged 6 to 8 years that have experienced grief and loss in their lives due to a significant change such as death, separation of parents or a natural disaster.

Children will learn:
- to understand and talk about the normal range of emotions experienced during major change, grief and loss
- how to build positive relationships with family and friends
- how they can participate in a caring and confidential network of peers and adults
- about resiliency
- how to plan for a realistic and hope-filled future

Tuesdays, 4:00pm – 4:45pm
29 March | 5 April | 2 week break during school holidays | 26 April | 3 May | 10 May | 17 May | 24 May | 31 May
FREE!
Venue: Interrelate Coffs Harbour
Address: 24 Park Avenue
COFFS HARBOUR

Bookings Essential – Phone 6659 4150

Note: This program is developed by Good Grief and facilitated by Interrelate