Welcome to Week 8. Last week saw some more wonderful things happening across our school. Year 5/6 attended their second Surf Day. They had a wonderful time and we have some new budding surfers amongst our ranks. I hear Mrs Lessells was also a star on a board! All students also received a wonderful surf pack put together by the sponsors of this program. We would particularly like to thank Darryn Quigley from Solitary Islands Surf School who put in a lot of work to ensure this program could go ahead and our students could receive the wonderful packs.

I also have some amazing news. Last week I received an email regarding a government program to provide 3D printers in schools. I responded to this email and we were very lucky to be included in this program. We will be receiving a new 3D printer, software and a refurbished computer. Part of the program is a recycling element and this fits in with our programs already running in the school: Waste Free Wednesday and the NSW Government Eco Trust Grant. For us to resource our 3D printer, we need to start collecting plastic milk bottles and Pet plastic bottle. They need to be rinsed and have labels removed. Please start sending these in as soon as possible. The group then use these to create filament to use in our printer.

Start collecting plastic milk bottles and plastic PET bottle. Send in rinsed with labels removed. Please do NOT squash them.

Last night saw all of our teachers join every teacher in the OVLC for a Professional Learning experience on Differentiated Learning. Last year we started this project and we are continuing our learning this year. Mrs Lessells and Mrs Goodenough are also Leaders in this project for the Valley schools. Our staff, believe in the importance of being life-long learners.

Last week we also saw our two debating teams join Mr Gerry O’Connor with students from every school in the Orara Valley to develop their debating skills. Kids had a wonderful day and we would like to thank Gerry for giving up his day to develop the skills of students in our Valley. Students are now preparing for the Orara Valley Great Debate Day
coming soon. Before this day, students will have a chance to debate other schools through the school Video Conferencing (VC) facilities.

This week the PBL team will visit our school to start this new initiative in our school. This is a program that will be implemented over the next couple of years and is a positive move for our students.

This Friday we are having our combined Bandaged Bear and No Bullying Day. Students are encouraged to wear mufti for this day and make a donation towards the Bandage Bear Foundation. Wear closed in shoes and school appropriate clothes. Students will still be going swimming so don’t forget to come prepared. In the afternoon the whole school will be involved in a fun afternoon to promote the no bully message and a safe school for everyone.

It has been great to see our kids in their new sunnies. These are available in the office for $10 a pair.

Orders for School jackets are presently being taken in the office. Please let our office ladies know if your child needs to order a jacket for winter.

Last week we also received our Earn and Learn order from 2015. We have some new Lego supplies and craft supplies for our school. We hope this program goes ahead this year as it provides wonderful resources for our students.

We must have been on a lucky streak as we also received nearly 20 free plants from Coffs Harbour Council. We are very thankful for these donations.

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

Mrs D Nicholls

Class Award Recipients- Term 1 Week 7

K 1/2

Maya E Being an enthusiastic participant in interactive activities and tasks. Lachlan P Trying hard with his spelling.

Jack W Having wonderful manners. Danai O Trying hard in handwriting.

Laya B Being a kind and caring class mate. Connor B Detailed interesting news.

2/3 4/5

Preston S Lovely handwriting. Riley E Working hard in all areas.

Harry C Giving a clear & very interesting recount during news. Ebony L Dedicated work ethic.

Tyler B Lovely bookwork in maths. Liam C Enthusiasm for reading.

5/6 RFF

Matthew S Working to the nest of is abilities in class. Harvey S A great personal safety poster.


Molly C Dedicated work ethic in all areas. Max C A great Cat in the Hat book review.

Principal Awards

Jarwin R Being a great class role model. Ethan W Always being ready on assembly.

Maci B Always trying her best in class. Cassis L Fantastic singin in choir.

Bronze 2nd Silver

Tre R James W

Please send any donations for the Easter Raffle to the office as soon as possible. The P&C will put together the prizes. We also have four egg bags for our student raffle for students who are selling tickets.
**Easter Breakfast & Easter Hat Parade**

We are sending the Breakfast note home again today for anyone who has not sent in their breakfast orders. As always, our breakfast is open to all members of our school community. If extended family members wish to come and enjoy a breakfast on Thursday the 24th March, we look forward to seeing you all here. Please return all family orders to the school by 18th March 2016.

**What went well in Library**

During Library lessons, Year 2/3 have been studying the works of the classic children's author, Dr Seuss. Students have read some of his selected works, and have completed book reports. Students have also completed artworks to decorate the library. Later in the term, Year 2/3 will be completing an author biography on Dr Seuss.

**Premier’s Reading Challenge**

Premier’s Reading Challenge for 2016 has commenced! During library lessons for years 3-6 this week, students will have the opportunity to login to their Oliver portal and look at the books lists for the year’s challenge, and also ensure that they can access their Personal Reading Logs. Students in years 3-6 are responsible for logging their own books once they have finished reading them. Paper copies of Personal Reading Logs are available in the library. The challenge rules for this year are:

- K-2 students 30 books (students can read independently, read with someone, or have books read to them).
- Year 3-4 students 20 books.
- Year 5-6 students 20 books.
- Students have the option of reading up to 5 personal choice books.

The challenge finishes in August. Happy reading!

**School Car park**

Please remember the school car park is not a public car park and we ask parents not to enter this area in cars. This is a very important safety issue for all our kids.

**Moscow Circus**

Congratulations to Ayla A Double Pass, Andi B Family Pass and Loarna B, Maya T, Lincoln C, Remi M, Tomas S who have won a student voucher to see the Moscow Circus. We hope they had a lovely time at the show.

**Stewart House**

Stewart House are having their 2016 Donation Drive. Envelopes will be sent home today and if you are able to donate please return the envelope and money to the school by 8th April 2016.
Hi everyone
A quick reminder that the General P&C meeting will be this Wednesday 6.00pm in the school staff room. All welcome and encouraged to attend. The Secretarial position remains vacant.
Agenda for the meeting is:
- Previous Meeting Minutes
- Principals report
- Committee reports eg treasurers report, fundraising
- General Business
- Privacy and confidentiality
- Volunteering and WWCC
- Welcome pack for P and C members and committee
- Communications
- Use of social media

A HUGE THANKYOU to all our wonderful parents and citizens who have donated or helped out in any way with our school. Your contributions are greatly appreciated. We look forward to the Easter celebrations on Thursday 24th March.
Nana Glen P and C

P&C Fundraising Report
We can’t believe it’s Easter next week. Can you? Our Easter hats are almost ready for the parade and our volunteers are ready to serve you a delicious breakfast next Thursday. Have you chosen between the pancakes and the egg and bacon rolls? One of each? Both will go well with the tea and coffee on offer. Feel free to drop in the pre order form to ensure you don’t miss out.
Kids remember the egg guess in the office. One guess for 20 cents and the entire contents could be yours! This will be drawn at the Easter Hat Parade.
Our second hint – There are less than 300 eggs in the jar. Thank you for returning the raffle tickets and for buying them. This fundraiser will be wrapping up next week. All prizes (including the student prize) will be drawn next Thursday. See you then.
Nana Glen P&C Fundraising Committee
WEEK 8 COMMUNITY NEWS

NANAGLEN PUBLIC SCHOOL
Community News
Principal: Deanie Nicholls
Nana Street, NANAGLEN, NSW, 2450
Phone: 66543202  FAX: 66543549
Website: www.nanaglen-p.schools.nsw.edu.au
Email: nanaglen-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

**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

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

**Made with Love Markets**

March 20th, Sunday 9am-2pm
NEW VENUE
1st Level of the Car Park at Park Beach Plaza
Pacific Hwy - Coffs Harbour

Handmade gifts, fun for kids, lucky door prizes, gold coin entry with all proceeds to local charity.
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