“LIVE & LEARN”
Culburra Public School
Carlton Crescent
Culburra Beach 2540

ISSUE 2 / TERM 3

DATES TO REMEMBER
- FRIDAY 25TH JULY
- TUESDAY 29TH JULY
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Whole school assembly commencing at 12:15pm
University of NSW English Assessment Test
P&C Meeting 7.00pm in the Library – All Welcome

PRINCIPAL’S REPORT

Our next P&C meeting will be held Tuesday evening 29 July 2014 from 7.00 pm- 9.00pm in the Library. Everyone is invited to be part of the P&C. It is a great forum for parents to have a say in what happens at school.

It is sad that I mention today that Mrs. Pike will retire and complete her outstanding teaching career this Friday. She has been a major part of our school for the past nineteen years, yes nineteen years. During her time at Culburra PS she has held the position of Assistant Principal. Her devotion to teaching and to Culburra Public School is exemplary. When reflecting on her career I must mention her commitment to the Gifted and Talented program, her devotion and love of the Performing Arts, Dance Team and to her “love of teaching”. She has been a special teacher for many children that have passed through our school. Her classroom has always been a special place that has brought out the best in all children that have been fortunate enough to have had her as a teacher. We will miss her cheery outlook on life and her creative view of how things can be done. I wish her all the best in her retirement.

Congratulations to Sam Wright-Smith who has been selected to represent NSW in the Open Boys’ PSSA Hockey team. This is an outstanding achievement for Sam, not only to be selected in the team but to do it while he is in Year 5. He is still eligible to play in this team next year. Sam will travel to Tasmania to play in a National tournament in a few weeks.

Next week is Education Week. The theme for Education Week this year is “Lighting the Way to a Better World”. Activities next week will include Senior Boys’ Basketball team competing in the state wide knock out in Ulladulla, Doing Things Together Day, Uni of NSW English Competition, dancing displays and Open Classrooms. Details further on.

Education Week 2014 Week 3
Term 2

Monday
Senior Boys’ Basketball Ulladulla Public School

Tuesday
Doing Things Together – “Lighting the Way to a Better World” theme – writing Tuesday afternoon using the school logo as a base.

Wednesday
Open classrooms/display 11.35 – 1.05pm. (Visitors Welcome)
Stage 1 – Dancing
Stage 2 – Choir
Stage 3 – Dancing
Picnic Lunch in our school grounds. (Visitors Welcome)

Thursday
½ Day District Carnival Field Events- Shoalhaven High School

Friday
District Carnival Track Events - Shoalhaven High School
Whole School Assembly (Visitors Welcome)
R. Letters – Principal

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!

Celebrating a birthday this week:
Charlee
Toby
Buna
Hope you all have a great day!!

ASSEMBLY AWARDS
WEEK 1 – Term 3

KE
Koopa Hamshere
Amelia Cummings
K/1S
Crystal Colbert/Rhyder Wilkie
1/2M
Sueanna Carpenter
John Mercer
2C
Jesse Lotze/Ryan Kerr
3R
Kiera Buckpitt/Oscar Barham
3/4W
Hayley Ewens/Isaiah Swindale
5/6E
Taylah Hindman/Ethan Dharma
5/6P
Joel Gould/Corey Walker
Library News

The Term 3 timetable is:

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Reminder there is no book club this term due to the book fair in week 6.

Thank you,
Mrs Robertson

Health Care Plans
If your child has a medically diagnosed condition, including asthma, you are required to come to the front office and complete an Individual Health Care Plan.

Thank you for your assistance.

Jerringa AECG Meeting
Wednesday 6th August
4.00pm
Culburra Public School Library
All Welcome

Ron Letters & Fran Pike Are Retiring...
Please note if you are attending the retirement lunch, payment is due no later than this Friday 25th July.
Thank you.

Thank you to the school community who supported Sam Wright-Smith with the cake stall and mufti day raising $409.00.

CBOOSH – Out of School Hours Care
Monday – Friday 3pm – 6pm during the school term
Monday – Friday 8am – 6pm during the school holidays and pupil free days.
Contact Jacinta on 4447 3069 and leave a message.

Culburra Caterpillars Playgroup
(A church facilitated playgroup) has started up again this term at Culburra Anglican Church, Fridays 9:30 – 11:15 am. For children 0-5 years. For further information please call Kate 0409771073 or just come along.

Culburra & Districts Preschool
20 Otway St Orient Point
Ph: 4447 2505
Community Managed Not-for-Profit Preschool
Catering for 2-6 year old children
Early Childhood + School Readiness Program run daily
Occasional Care Available
Open Mon-Fri 8am to 4pm
8 hours care for all children
Come and visit our preschool and meet our qualified, caring staff.
ENROL NOW!!

Culburra Beach Preschool
4447 3838
Ages 2 to 6 years Sunshine Street
Culburra Beach 8am – 4.30pm
Families can receive CCB (Child Care Benefit) PLUS the 50% Child Care Cash Rebate

- Families that have a Health Care Card or receive “Family Tax Benefit Part A” will pay as little as $9.90 per day after receipt of 100% CCB plus the 50% cash rebate
- Awarded “High Quality” rating on six out of six occasions by the National Child care Council
- Qualified staff working in a happy environment
- Individualised early childhood learning program preparing your child for Kindergarten
- Morning & afternoon tea are provided FREE
- Open 48 weeks of the year
- No charge for Public Holidays and No fundraising
- Enquiries & visits welcome
- Please call in to see “Maureen”

Local Foster Carers needed
We are looking for local people to provide care for children and young people who are unable to live with their own families. FACS is seeking Foster Carers who can provide short term/crisis care and/or respite care (e.g. one weekend a month).
Individuals, couples and families from varied backgrounds, cultural groups, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people are encouraged to apply.
All carers receive training, support and financial assistance.
INTERESTED?
Call Gabi Taylor or Carolyn Lardner at FACS on 4222-8400 during business hours.

The Day I Became Invisible

On the weekend I was at the sunny beach and I was talking to my best friend. Suddenly she said “Where are you?”.

First I noticed that I was invisible I looked down and I was all gone.

Next I tried to swim with the beautiful dolphins and turtles to try to be seen again.

Later I walked along the soft sand with my friends but that didn’t work either.

After that I made sand castles in the sand, that didn’t work.

Then I got splashed by the salt water and I became visible.

By Jessica 2C