$5000 Classroom Makeover
At the final count there were 1988 tokens! Thank you to those families who collected tokens and those who gathered tokens from other people. Well done, everyone.

Soccer News
Well done to all the students who participated in the Northern Rivers Zone PSSA Soccer trials! We are very proud of your efforts (and on such a particularly hot day too!). Congratulations to Gabriella and Cassandra who were selected onto the team.

Aid for Vanuatu
Leif’s mum, Cherise, has kindly offered to take goods to support those affected by the recent cyclone in Vanuatu. If you have clothes or school materials to donate, please bring them to the school (Mrs Laverick’s room) by next Friday. Thank you so much for your support.

Book Club
A big thanks to Jason’s mother, Julie who has offered to coordinate book club orders again this year. Thanks, Julie!

Birthdays!
Lots of Birthdays this week…. Happy Birthday to Chloe, Darius, Katie, Sam W, Sam H And Mrs Patch Have fun on your special day!
Performing Arts Festival (PAF)

Thank you to the many families who have responded to the request for feedback regarding this event. If you haven’t yet responded and would like to do so, please send your views through this week. Thank you.

Performing Arts Festival is an event held in August each year. It involves over 1000 students from nearly 30 public schools in the Lismore area. It is run by teachers on a voluntary basis to provide our students with a high quality performance experience to further their studies in arts programs. It involves the children devising and rehearsing an item which is showcased at an evening performance at the Lismore Workers Club. The children also usually perform their item at a matinee performance.

I am interested in getting some feedback from families about this year’s involvement. One idea being considered is to participate in this event every second year. Please let us know your preference via a note, an email (dunoon-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au), in person, or by ringing the school (66895208). Thank you.

Gardening News
There will be whole-school gardening every Thursday from 8am. All welcome!

Students of the Week
K/1 Charlie
2/3 Hannah
4/5/6 Xavier

Merit Awards
K/1 Lara, Rue, Katie
2/3 Billy & Darius
4/5/6 Leif, Faith, Jason

Gold Certificate
Leyla
Kassie x2

Year 2/3

In 2/3 we are focusing again on narratives and how to tell a good story. The students have been practising solving problems within their stories and then peer editing to ensure that their writing makes sense.
P&C Meeting
Next P&C meeting is this coming Monday 30th March, 2015 at 6.30pm in the school library. All welcome! (People and Ideas)

Channon Markets REMINDER: The Channon Markets is on 12th April - so this is the last newsletter before we are Charity of the Day, and numbers are still very low for both the canteen and the gates. Can you please either contact the school or P&C directly with your preferred space, or fill in the form and drop it in to the school by the end of this week?
A huge thanks to those who have offered their time to this and the election BBQ so far, Valerie Thompson.

P&C Election day stall
NSW Election day is here this Saturday 28/3, and so is our P&C stall at the School. Thank you to all who have volunteered already!

More sellers at our stall between 9am and 2pm would be a big help. Do you have an hour you can spare? Let me know via email at trent.scanlan@gmail.com.

Otherwise, if your baking is of similar quality to mine and you can’t make the stall, cans of soft drink or bottled water to sell will also be gratefully received - just drop them off in the school canteen.

Information for Election Stall bakers
Thanks to all the bakers who have signed up already. More baked goods are most welcome - if you would like to bring along cakes, biscuits or home produce on the day, then we would love to sell them! Shelf-safe items are ideal, as we won't have a fridge nearby.

In the school canteen there is a small amount of fridge room and plenty of shelf-space available. You can leave your baked goods in the school canteen on Friday, or bring them straight to the stall at the school on Saturday.

To help those selling your baked goods, a label on your cake box or tray would be much appreciated. Just write a description of the food and a complete list of the ingredients. If you use a packet mix, write the ingredients from the packet on your label, plus any ingredients you have added. Here's an example label to follow:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Chocolate cake with Chocolate Butter Frosting</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Ingredients: Self raising flour, sugar, eggs, milk, vanilla essence, cocoa, butter.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Frosting: Butter, icing sugar mixture, cocoa, milk.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

You are most welcome to suggest a price for your item, otherwise we will be happy to do it for you. Thanks again for your help, and happy baking!
If you have any questions about the stall, feel free to get in touch with me on my number below. Looking forward to seeing lots of you on Saturday!
Trent Scanlan
0405 843 354
trent.scanlan@gmail.com
The Channon Market is a great fund-raiser for the school. We are one of only a few charities who are given the opportunity to be “charity of the day” every year and we rely on the funds raised. The day runs smoothly if everyone volunteers at least one shift. There are approximately 45 families at Dunoon PS and approximately 45 shifts needed at the market. One hour or two hours per family will cover the day.

Please indicate on this note where and when you can contribute. Children under 12 aren’t allowed in the BBQ/Kitchen areas but are welcome to collect money on the gates (with an adult).

Name/s: __________________________________________
Contact phone or email: ________________________________________

☐ Canteen (either serving or on the BBQ).

Please circle a time or times you can be available.
• 8.30-9.30 (Set up)
• 9.30 -10.30
• 10.30 – 11.30
• 11.30 – 12.30
• 12.30 – 1.30
• 1.30 – 2.30
2.30 (clean up)

☐ Gates

Please circle a time or times you can be available.
• 8.30-9.30
• 9.30 -10.30
• 10.30 – 11.30
• 11.30 – 12.30
• 12.30 – 1.30
• 1.30 – 2.30

☐ Home baking _______________________

☐ Other produce (eggs, bread etc) ________________________

Any questions contact Valerie Thompson (0413 944 745)
P&C President