**Term 3 - Week 4**

**Friendship & Learning**

**Tuesday 4th August 2015**

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**PSSA Athletics Track Carnival**

We had a terrific day at the carnival on Friday. Thank you to the many parents who came along to support and cheer! Congratulations to all of the Dunoon students for their great participation and sportsmanship!

**PSSA Athletics Field Carnival**

Tomorrow we have the next component of this athletics carnival which will feature the field events with students from Modanville, The Channon, Corndale, Whian Whian, Tuntub Creek and Dunoon. It is a PSSA event (for 8 years and over) but we also include our 5-7 year olds. It will involve children who have qualified to compete in high jump, long jump, shot put and ball games. K-3 students not competing in events will have learning activities in the K-3 classrooms organised by Mrs Slocombe and Mrs Ward. They will also at times be spectators for the events.

**School Resources**

Come along to see some old school resources. They can be yours for a gold coin donation (and some may even be free!)

**Student Wellbeing**

We are in the process of reviewing all our policies relating to student wellbeing. We are taking a whole-school, student-centred approach. The aim is to build within students an understanding and appreciation of the connections between thoughts, feelings and behaviours in order to empower students with awareness and social tools to identify options and choices with their behaviour. We are planning to promote programs that help students with effective problem-solving and also promote resilience. Underpinning our wellbeing program will be active listening, empathy and the importance of understanding the ‘self’ through relationships with others and acceptance of responsibilities for decisions. This approach taps into the strengths we already have as a school community. Parents are a key to reinforcing the messages we promote at the school and we welcome your input into the program.

**Northern Rivers Interschool Chess Tournament**

Good luck, best wishes and have fun to our chess team: Ben, Billy, Paddy and Darius. These students will be competing in the Chess Tournament at Ballina on Thursday. Thank you to Kristin who has offered to transport the children who will be leaving from school at 8.30am. Please return your permission note tomorrow if you haven’t already done so.

**Water Lab Visit**

On Wednesday 29th Year 5/6 went to Dorroughby Environmental Education Centre to use the Water Lab. Barb and Mrs Sanderson helped us to do the experiments. There was a water bore. The water was 12.90m underground. The work stations inside were fun. We had to make rain and make our own water filters. We also timed how long it took to melt ice. We had lots of fun learning about water(H₂O). It was very interesting. Thank you to Mrs Sanderson for organising this. By Gus and Jason

**Dunoon Marimba Ensemble**

Sydney Opera House

26th – 31st October 2015

Yesterday we received the exciting news that the Small Schools Marimba Ensemble has been invited to perform at the Sydney Opera House on Friday 30th October. There are 12 Dunoon students who may be involved in this. We’ll be having an after school rehearsal tomorrow from 3.15-5pm for any of these children who can attend.

**Happy Birthday Toby, Have a fabulous day!**
Field Athletics - Tomorrow
Thank you to all the people who have already volunteered. A rough roster is attached. If you can spare some time please come along. More home baking is always welcome. Thanks again.

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Canteen Menu
Home cooking from 50c
Sausage sandwich - $2
Spinach and Cheese triangles - $3.50
Sausage Rolls - $3.50
Pies - $4
Quelch iceblocks - 50c
Fruit Poppers & bottled water - $1.50
Coffee/Tea - $2

EVENT
MINOR GIRLS
MINOR BOYS
JUNIOR GIRLS
JUNIOR BOYS
11 YRS GIRLS
11 YRS BOYS
SENIOR GIRLS
SENIOR BOYS

HIGH JUMP
Maximum 4 children. A qualifying height must be reached.
Katie Maddison
Evie
Riley
Rosie
Indigo
Leyla
Cassandra
Sam H
Fynn
Harry
Paddy
Georgina
Faith
Xavier
Marlon
Gus
Gabriella
Tyree
Jack
Jason

LONG JUMP
Rue
Iris
Evie
Katie
Maddison
Lara
Darcy
Will
Toby
Rowan
Sam
Charlie
Rosie
Phillipa
Sunny
Cassandra
Indigo
Nuala
Hannah
Sam H
Fynn
Harry
Kyle
Zeke
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DISCUS
No discus for minors
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P&C NEWS

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Community Notices

LIFT WANTED

Looking for a regular lift into town after school for the kids (x3). Willing to contribute with petrol money and/or bringing of kids home (back to Du- noon). 
Thanks Maree  66 895 745

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