Dear Parents and Students,

**Tennis Hot Shots Programs**
Last year I registered our school in the Tennis Hot Shots Program. You may have seen this advertised on TV during the Aussie Open in January. As a registered school, Tennis Australia provide the school with free equipment such as mini nets, racquets and decompressed tennis balls. This equipment arrived last week and classes will be making use of it through lessons throughout the year.

Another benefit to the school is that for every student who registers online, Tennis Australia will donate $2.00 to the school. This money would be spent on buying further tennis equipment. As a registered student you will receive an official Hot Shots T-shirt and a height chart and other things from MLC.

To register go to

**Aboriginal Mantra Portrait**
In partnership with the AECG and the DEC, all schools in the Illawarra South East Region received a beautiful painting which depicts an Aboriginal mantra. There are 4 very important statements on the portrait:

- **Know the community**
- **Know the Aboriginal students**
- **Know the student’s learning profile**
- **Know the targets**

The painting will hang in our school foyer and act as a constant reminder about helping our Aboriginal students.

**Market Day**
Our market Day is only a few weeks away. It will be held on the second last day of term. Not only is this day a great community event, it is our major P&C fund-raiser for our school. Our P and C are working hard in preparation for this day and we look forward to a very enjoyable and successful day.

If you wish your child’s face to be painted as a practice, look on the bottom of page 4 for the permission note.

**Staff Car Park**
We have noted lately that there are quite a lot of parents and students who use the car park driveway to enter and/or exit the school. We have 4 other entry/exit points to Green Street. For safety reasons please, please, please do not use the staff car park to enter and/or exit the school.

**New Parking Restrictions on Green Street**
I received a letter from Council last Friday which stated...”After investigations by the Council and representatives from Roads and Maritime Services and NSW Police there will be the following parking restrictions on Green Street. Installation of a……

*No Parking zone on the northern side of Green St extending west from the kerb blister opposite Camden St to a point approximately 15m west of the driveway entrance to the staff car park”*

This work should be completed within 4 weeks from the 25th February.

**Interviews**
Our parent teacher interview process commences next week. This is a valuable time for all parents to come and talk to teachers about their child’s progress so far this year and discuss any issues their child may have and/or the future direction of their learning.

**National Ride 2 School day**
This day will be held on Friday 22nd March. We are encouraging Stage 3 students to ride to school and Stage 2 students to walk to school where possible with the aim of promoting a healthy and active lifestyle.

**Representatives promote the School**
Teachers have been impressed by the standards of behaviour of our children when representing our school in sporting and community endeavours. We are proud to be known as a school with good manners and display fair play. Congratulations to all.

Paul Woodcock
Principal
Learn to Live, Live to Learn

RECOGNITION OF EXCELLENCE  WEEK 8

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<td>Excellent progress in reading.</td>
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<td>Year 6: Stephanie W</td>
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DATES TO REMEMBER

Thursday 21st March
Harmony Day
Girls cricket KO
PALS Training Day 4

Friday 22nd March
Ride to school day
District Girls Soccer
Yr 7 2014 expressions of interest due
5A Assembly in the school hall at 12pm.

Monday 25th March
Young Leaders Day Sydney
Parent interviews commence

Tuesday 26th March
Crazy Hair/Mufti Hat Gold coin donation for Cancer Council NSW

Wednesday 27th March
Happy Harold ends

Thursday 28th March
Easter Hat Parade

Friday 29th March & Monday 1st April
Good Friday Easter Monday

Wednesday 3rd April
Stage 2 AFL Gala Day

Friday 5th April
6B Assembly in the school hall at 12pm.

Thursday 11th April
Market Day

Friday 12th April
ANZAC SERVICE
Last day of Term 1

Wednesday 1st May
Students return for Term 2

The P&C need parent helpers for Market Day Thursday 11th April. You would be required to do a shift on a stall, but this would only be for 1/2 an hour. If you can help for longer it would be appreciated. Please fill out the form in this newsletter and return to the office.

4S Request

Mr Stone is hoping parents from 4S or other Year 4 classes can send in the following items from their recycling for the next two weeks.
1. Any junk mail from any/all of the local supermarkets ie Coles, Woolworths, Aldi or IGA
2. Small recyclable card board packaging from your supermarket shopping 1kg or less.

These items will be used in Mathematics and Health and Nutrition studies in the coming weeks.

In Appreciation
Greg Stone 4S

Funky Fishing—lucky dip prizes

As part of 3K’s fishing stall we will need some lucky dip prizes. Items wrapped and simply marked boy or girls would be appreciated. The stall will be a $2 stall so bundled items, to get value for money, would be appreciated. It’s time to de-clutter those toy boxes and children’s rooms. All items gratefully accepted by Mrs Keegan and 3K.

Garage Sale

For Market Day K-6R and 2M will be running a “Garage Sale Stall.” If you have any unwanted trash or treasure we will happily accept it. Please send in any donations to Mr Roberts.

Thank you Mr Roberts and Mrs Morton

Easter Hat Parade

Parents, family members and friends are welcome to attend the Infants Easter Hat Parade on Thursday, 28th March 2013 in the school hall starting at approximately 12.00pm.
P&C News

P&C MARKET DAY RAFFLE . $1 each

Tickets for the P&C Market Day Raffle are now on sale with the school newsletter. We are pleased to announce the prizes. We thank all supporting businesses who have generously donated prizes at this stage. Tickets are $1 each. More tickets will be available from the office.

Prizes so far include:

- 16gb Ipod Nano with Touchscreen + Case + $20 Itunes Card donated by Compuport
- ‘Glow in the dark’ Globe Skateboard $150 donated by Southern Man
- ‘Zebra’ Globe Skateboard $140 donated by Southern Man
- Queen size quilt + Cover $200 donated by Harris Scarf
- 2 Wall Plaques $158 donated by Sachi
- VS Hair Straightener $100 donated by Betta Electrical
- Mitre 10 Voucher $100
- Book and Craft Pack $90 donated by Ulladulla Post Office
- New Balance Shoe Voucher $80 donated by Comfort Shoes
- Dinner for 2 at Millards
- Books Great Outdoors 2 x $50 Voucher
- Burrill Newsagency Voucher $50
- Susans of Ulladulla Voucher $50
- Pasta Utencils and teapot donated by Ems Homewares
- Rapt Bratz Vouchers $25
- $25 Voucher Ulladulla Butchery
- Funland 5 x $20 + 15 x $10
- Bread Voucher $20 Bakers Delight
- Arcadia Movie tickets x 4
- Dunn Lewis Bowling Voucher 2 x Pass Pack
- Haydens Family Pie Voucher x 2
- Craft Pack x 2
- Crystal growing kit x 2

Year 6 T-shirts.  Due to the unusually high demand for payments recently, we have decided to extend the deadline for the Year 6 T-shirts. The deadline will now be the end of the second week in Term 2 which is Friday 10th May. This will give everyone the opportunity to purchase a keepsake that can be worn to camp as well as everyday wear. Please remember. All monies to go to Mrs Sunderland and NOT TO THE OFFICE.

University of NSW International Competitions

The school will again offer the students an opportunity to sit The University of NSW International Competitions and Assessment Tests in 2013. If you want your child to participate, please collect a note from Mr Baxter and return it by Friday 5th April 2013. The following tests will be held on the dates indicated:

The costs for each test will be:
- Computer Skills - $8.80
- English - $8.80
- Mathematics - $4.80
- Science - $8.80
- Spelling - $12.10
- Writing - $18.70

Each year the Maths Committee encourages students in the school to participate in the Maths Test. This is done to foster a culture where Mathematics understanding and skills are viewed positively by the broader community. The cost will be reduced to $4.80 per child for the Maths only test. ($4.00 subsidy paid by the school.)

Garry Baxter
Coordinator

CANTEEN ROSTER  Week 9

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Good Friday
Wellbeing Spa
A holistic approach to beauty
A new Asian inspired home based spa, which specializes in everything, from waxing to full body treatments.

Ph: 02 44 55 7554
Or visit our website
www.wellbeingspa.net

SRC Fundraiser
Activity

Fill in your name and class.
Tick the box to purchase a badge ($3.00).

Please give your money and note to your teacher.
I.......................................... of class............ would like to purchase a badge.
I.......................................... of class............ would like to purchase a badge.
I.......................................... of class............ would like to purchase a badge.

Thank you
Class Teacher Signature

Forest Feral Membership Form

Market Helper Note
I can help on Thursday 11th April for our Market Day.

Please return to the office.
Name ............................................................................................ Phone ...........................................

Yes I can work on a stall for half an hour

longer than 1/2 hour

Return to your teacher or office
P&C FACE PAINTING
I give permission for my child ................................. from class ........... to have their face painted on Mondays and or Wednesdays, by the Year 6 students who are practicing for Market Day

Print your name: ............................................. Parent Signature ..................................................

Offering Wholesale Prices on Appliance Packages
- Platinum - $999.00 (oven, ceramic touch c/top, r/h)
- Chef - $940.00 (oven, gas c/top, r/h)
- Westinghouse - $1100.00 (oven, electric c/top, r/h)
- Bosch - $1,700.00 (oven, ceramic c/top, r/h)
- Bosch dishwasher - $980.00

...and many more brands!

Ph: 4454 5115
Unit 7/217 Princes Hwy Ulladulla

Tuesday 26th March
Crazy Hair /Mufti Hat
to raise money for Cancer Council NSW
Gold coin donation