Week 9 Term 3 Friday 11 September 2015

**Touch Football**

### PSSA Small Schools Touch Football Knockout—1 September

On Tuesday 1 September our touch football team played Duri. We had a great game and played really well even though we lost 7-2. I love the way our students participate, try their best and have a go. That’s what it’s all about! Congratulations to our team of Charlize, Sarah, Jason, Michael, Ty, Troy, Charles, Iva and Billy. We’ll have another go next year. Thank you to Geoffrey Smith who gave up his time to train the team. Thank you to the parents who were able to come and support their children.

### North West Athletics

Congratulations to our relay team of Jason, Charlize, Troy and Charles who competed at North West Athletics coming a creditable 5th. Well done. Thank you again to the parents who transported and supported our team.

### Author Day at Nowendoc—4 September

Children had a great day at Nowendoc last Friday. Their silk paintings haven’t arrived yet. The seniors created very colourful silk screens.

### Premier’s Spelling Bee - 9 September

Iva, Sarah, Charlize and Michael represented the school at the Regional Spelling Bee. They all did very well but special congratulations to Iva who made it through 5 rounds, getting knocked out leaving the last 4 students to battle it out to be the winner who travels to Sydney to represent the North West.

### Talent Quest

I’m sure everyone was entertained yesterday by the children at their annual Talent Quest. It’s great to see the children organising their own items to present to an audience.

### Multi-Cultural Day at Woolbrook -11 September

A fun day was had by all today! Photos and reports next time!

### End of Term Excursion - 16-18 September

Thank you to the families who have returned their notes and money.

**Last minute items**

- Children need morning tea, lunch and drink bottle for the first day.
- 7am departure from school.
- No bed linen is needed, but 2 towels are needed (shower and swimming).
- $10-$20 souvenir money is optional.
- I-pods for music taken at own risk.
- Return time approximately 4pm Friday. You can ring the school around 3pm for an updated time.
- If possible, could children bring an ice-cream container of biscuits or slices to share for morning and afternoon tea.
- Mrs Smith will be teaching for these three days, providing educational programs for your child therefore, school will operate as usual.
Reminders:
- Coffs Harbour Excursion—16-18 Sept
- Friday 18 Sept—Last Day Term 3
- Tuesday 6 October—Term 4 commences

**Silver Awards**
Congratulations to Zoe and Billy on reaching Silver.
Well done. Awards were presented at our end of term Assembly.

**BRONZE AWARDS**
Congratulations to Daisy and Tiffany on achieving Bronze level in our Merit scheme.
These awards were presented at our end of term assembly.

**Art In A Suitcase**
Kate Armstrong of the Tamworth Regional Art Museum delivered an art appreciation lesson to the children. The children were particularly interested in looking at artworks of various forms.

**Student of the Week**
4/9/15
Billy Avis
for great work in Reading

**Student of the Week**
4/9/15
Katie Williams
for improved handwriting

**Student of the Week**
11/9/15
Molly Williams
for great expression in oral Reading

**Student of the Week**
11/9/15
Quade Coggan
for improved Writing results
Woolworth’s Earn & Learn
DON’T FORGET to collect Earn & Learn
This promotion finished earlier this week so please send in any stickers you have so we can finalise our count and see what resources we can order. Thank you for supporting our school.

Community News
Hunter New England Local Health District
Does your child receive regular, high quality dental care? Hunter New England Oral Health provides comprehensive dental care for children under 18 years of age, completely FREE of charge. For more information, phone 1300 651 625. Clinics located in both Tamworth and Armidale.

Wanted: House to Rent
House to rent with a paddock, in the Woolbrook area. Please contact Kristyn on 0428 230 518.

End of Term Assembly
Art in a Suitcase and Silk Painting