Thank you
A big thank you to everyone who kept the school running while I was overseas. It is lovely to be back.

Science Week
Last Tuesday we all had an enjoyable day at Yarrowitch for Science Day. Mr MacKenzie had some great demonstrations and then we broke into age groups to complete tasks. The Infants used time lapse photography to capture their experiment, the Juniors used mirrors to reflect light and the Seniors made a wind turbine. These were very interesting activities.
The Seniors then went to Walcha Central the following day to join in with more science activities, including viewing and judging high school science projects!

PSSA Small Schools Touch Football Knockout—1 September
Next Tuesday 1 September our touch football team will be playing Duri at 1pm in Tamworth at the Gipps Street fields. We will leave school at approximately 11.20am after an early morning tea. We will have some lunch when we arrive before warming up for the game. GO TEAM!

Author Day at Nowendoc—4 September
All students will be travelling by bus to Nowendoc on Friday 4 September 2015.
Please return the attached permission note with the $5 bus levy. The bus run will be 15 minutes earlier on this day and all students need to be at school before 8:45am.

The children will be participating in workshops with the author/illustrator, Kim Toft, involving silk painting and interactive performances. There will be Sausage Sandwich $2, Poppers $1 and Cakes 50cents for sale on the day.

Premier’s Spelling Bee – 9 September
Over the past few weeks Mrs Hazlewood’s class have been practising Spelling Bee words and each week have had a Spell Off to end up with our two Junior and Senior representatives. Congratulations to Sarah Oneil, Charlize and Iva Haling and Michael Stevens-Drew who are our representatives at the North West Premier’s Spelling Bee at Newling Public on Wednesday 9th September. Please see attached information and permission note. We wish them all the best and know they will be practising hard.

Multi-Cultural Day at Woolbrook—11 September
Nowendoc, Yarrowitch and Niangala will be visiting us on this day. The P&C will be selling Sausage Sandwiches $2, Poppers $1 and Cakes 50cents for lunch. We are still in the process of organising the activities. The P&C are asking for donations of cakes and slices for this day.
End of Term Excursion - 16-18 September
A big thank you to the P&C who decided at their meeting last Tuesday to subsidise each child $180 of the final $280 cost. Parents need only send in $100 as their contribution. I’m sure you will agree this is a very generous contribution by the P&C. Once again, thank you to the P&C for making this excursion affordable for families. The school will donate the food for the excursion. Thank you to the families who have returned their notes.

Reminders:
- Touch Football Game—1 Sept
  1pm in Tamworth
- Author Day—4 Sept at Nowendeoc
- Spelling Bee—9 Sept at Armidale
- Assembly—10 Sept 2pm
- Multi-cultural day—11 Sept at Woolbrook
- Coffs Harbour Excursion— 6-18 Sept.

Silver Awards
Congratulations to Molly on reaching Silver.
Well done. Awards will be presented at our end of term Assembly.

Student of the Week
21/8/15
Charlize Haling
for being a good role model

Student of the Week
21/8/15
Tiffany Towney
for an improved attitude

Student of the Week
28/8/15
Daisy Obrien
for an improved attitude towards her learning

Student of the Week
28/8/15
Zoe Cas
for wonderful application in all areas
Woolworth’s
Earn & Learn
DON’T FORGET to collect
Earn & Learn
stickers from your purchases at Woolworths and send them into school. The school then can claim educational products for the school. A box is at the school to place the sheets into.

Community News
‘Gubi Guban Mobile Children’s Service
Expressions of interest are being sought for the possibility of having this mobile children’s service again in Woolbrook. All pre-school age children are welcome to utilise this service. Please contact the school if you or anyone you know has pre-school age children that would like to see this service begin again.

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.