From the Principal’s Pen.....

To achieve everyday, students need to attend school everyday. At the parade on Tuesday 67 students were presented with Principal Awards for over 95% attendance in Term 3. Seven of these students had 100% attendance in Term 3, 2014. Congratulations to the families of these students who are giving their students the very best chance of reaching their learning potential. The photos of all of the students are included inside this newsletter.

Special mention goes to Jazymn Borey, Mia Campbell, Braith Cowell, Harrison Cowell, Matthew Gannon, Chelsea Henderson and Ashlyn Niotakis for attending school every day in term 3.

At the end of term 4 we will present Principal Awards to the students who have over 95% attendance in term 4 and then 95 PLUS wrist bands to the students who have over 95% attendance for semester two.

We work together with the community and outside organisations to ensure that our students have the best possible learning environment.

Special thanks goes to Yuli Burri Ba and the Mens Shed for making a Big Book Easel and Magnetic Board for our Prep students. Thank you to David Collins (CEO), Terry Coghill (Co-ordinator of the project), Ray Penn, Mitchell Houston and Benny Anam for making the project that has become a real learning tool for our students.

Redlands City Council’s Koala Conservation Project called Redlands IndigiScapes works together with Dunwich State School to create a beautiful environment for our students and a koala friendly habitat. Once again this year they have donated $1000 to the school for the eradication of weeds and the planting of koala food trees.

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The Week’s Behaviour Expectation is: Being an individual
Our best wishes go with Preston Cockatoo-Collins as he heads of to the Queensland State Titles to compete for the Metropitan East area in the 100m sprint and 11 yr boys relay events. Good luck Preston—we are proud of you!

ACTIVE AFTER SCHOOL CARE and Indig. surfing Begins next week. Students are to put their names down on the list in the office each Thursday morning if they are going to participate.

Congratulations for 100% attendance for Term 3 - 2014
The garden group is putting together a school cookbook. We would love healthy, easy recipes to include. We would especially love some traditional Stradbroke recipes for fish and eugaries.

You can email to:-
belinda.nardieg@hotmail.com

or drop your printed/written recipe into the school office. Recipe pages supplied for you to complete.

We would like to receive them as soon as possible please.
GETTING IT TOGETHER THROUGH SURFING

This Saturday the Point Lookout Boardriders Club continue this Project with another round of fun learning to surf. This weeks learning session is with Lisa Iselin. Lisa will be demonstrating simple stretching and relaxation techniques to help young bodies keep fit and flexible while maintaining good strong muscles for surfing.

The day will start at around 8.30am on a beach to be advised. Lisa’s session will be around 10am.

Please let Tim know if you will be coming on 0428539684.

Island Spirit Kids Yoga @ Point Lookout Community Hall

Tuesday 4:30—5pm
Thursday 9:30—10am

Fun creative classes with Yogi Kath

$7 per child

Web: www.samadhiflowyoga.com
Facebook: facebook.com/SamadhiYogaandHealth

Get Started—Round 4 funding closing soon

Queensland families are being urged to get cracking with applications for the Queensland Government’s ‘Get Started’ vouchers, to help children stay active and healthy through sport and recreation.

The initiative provides kids who can least afford joining a sport or recreation club with vouchers of up to $150 to help with club membership and participation fees.

More than 65,000 vouchers have already been issued across the state, and local sport and recreation clubs have joined the cause with 3500 clubs registered to accept the vouchers.

Applications for this round of the program will close on October 15. More details can be found at www.nprsr.qld.gov.au.

Free children's dental program

Metro South Oral Health provides free dental care to children throughout the region for all students in Prep through to year 10

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