STUDENT EXCELLENCE

Achievement Awards:

Achievement Award K-2: Abbey for fantastic improvement in her fine motor skills and reading. Well done!!!

K-2 Fish bits winners: Angelo and Kaii

Lexia awards K-2: Congratulations to the following students for successfully completing a new level – Elijah Level 3, Angelo Level 4 and Eden Level 8.

Achievement Award 3 – 6: Melody for an excellent poetry slam performance.

Team of the Week ... TBA Well done everyone!

Beach Safety Day
This Friday 11th December we are having our end of term Beach Day at Sawtell Beach. Travel for this excursion will be by private transport and we encourage parents to come along and enjoy this day with us. All permission notes to be returned by tomorrow please.

Students will need to bring:
- swimmers, swim shirt (or ordinary shirt that can be worn in the water) and hat
- sunscreen
- dry set of clothes to get changed into afterwards
- Recess snacks and BIG bottle of water

Students will participate in the Surf Education Australia Program (SEA Program) run by life guards. This means students will be in the water learning about how to swim safely at the beach. This program is suitable for students K-6 and activities will be modified to suit the various swimming abilities. The school will provide lunch for the students and will pay for the cost of the day.

Till next week,
Liz Arnold

2015 Presentation Night Awards

The End of Year Presentation Night will be held on Tuesday 15th December. This is always a fabulous culmination of the school year so we welcome everyone along. As in previous years, there will be a supper after the performance and award ceremony. Could everyone please bring along something to share for the supper. The Presentation will begin at 5.30pm. There will be school as normal on Wednesday 16th December which is the students’ last day. Teachers’ final day is Friday 18th December.
Week 10, Term 4

Mon, 7\textsuperscript{th} Dec
Fri, 11\textsuperscript{th} Dec

START day (Kinder 2016)
Surf Safety Awareness and Beach Fun Day, Sawtell Beach

Week 11, Term 4

Tues, 15\textsuperscript{th} Dec
Wed, 16\textsuperscript{th} Dec

Presentation Night 5:30 pm
Last day of term for students

OUTSTANDING ACCOUNTS

If you have an outstanding account either with the school or the canteen could you please arrange payment before the end of the term so that we can finalise our accounts. Thank you.

CANTEEN

Tomorrow will be the last canteen day for the year. We have the following items available to order – lamb & potato pies, cheese & spinach triangles and hamburgers.

BUNNINGS SAUSAGE SIZZLE

We have been allocated \textit{Saturday 13\textsuperscript{th} February 2016} as our fundraising sausage sizzle. We would like a commitment from parents to spend a little of their time on Saturday 13\textsuperscript{th} February helping out at the sausage sizzle. All money raised goes to supporting your children at Orama. The sausage sizzle will be operating between 9:00am and 4:00pm with a little extra time beforehand setting up and cleaning up afterwards at the end of the day. If you can spare a couple of hours during the day, please let Irene or Rachel Browning know the time you can do so a roster can be prepared. We are hoping that a parent from each family is able to help on the day in some way. Please ring Rachel on 66558776 or 0400244633 for more information. Thank you.

ABSENCES

A short note of explanation is required when your child is absent from school. This is for legal purposes. Phone calls may be made to explain absences but a follow up note is also required. Please see the bottom of the newsletter for a proforma which can be used.

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Record of Absence

Student’s Name: ..............................................................

Date of Absence/s: ............................................................

Reason for Absence: .........................................................

Signed: ...........................................................................

Date: ...............................................................................