Dear Parents

**IMPORTANT DATES:**

**AUGUST:**
- Wednesday 12th: Kindy Orientation
- Friday 14th: Zone Athletics
- Tuesday 18th: Tuckshop—Therese West
  - School Banking
- Wednesday 19th: Kindy Orientation
- Thursday 20th: Special P & C Meeting at 1:30pm
- Friday 21st: Assembly
  - EAGLE Publishing Deadline
- Tuesday 25th: School Banking
- Wednesday 26th: Kindy Orientation

**SEPTEMBER:**
- Tuesday 1st: Tuckshop—Bev Finnigan
  - Red Cross Performance at Dyraaba Hall at 10am
  - School Banking
- Wednesday 2nd: Kindy Orientation
  - School Anniversary Morning Tea
- Friday 4th: Assembly
- Tuesday 8th: School Banking
- Wednesday 9th: Kindy Orientation
- Monday 14th: Casino/Kyogle Performing Art Concert
- Tuesday 15th: Tuckshop—Jess Bresnan
  - School Banking
- Wednesday 16th: Kindy Orientation
- Friday 18th: Last day Term 3
  - Assembly

**PVC TRANSPORT:** Transport for NSW has been reviewing PVC Subsidy claims for accuracy because it has introduced a new computer system and this has caused a delay.

This has also deferred for a short time, the attendance days collection process for all schools.

We understand this overall will lead to a delay of several weeks compared to the usual processing time.

Transport for NSW has advised us they are apologetic for the inconvenience.
WOOLWORTHS EARN AND LEARN: Woolworths Earn and Learn has commenced and will continue until the 8th September. Our school is this year is participating. This will allow our school to choose Mathematics and other resources.

Remember to let your family and friends know to collect their stickers. These can be given to the school or dropped into the box at Woolworths. Each family received a sticker sheet, once this is full, return it to the school. Please pick up another one from Woolworths or the school or bring your stickers in anyway. Thank you.

LIBRARY: Library is held each Wednesday afternoon. Please send any Library books back to the school on Wednesdays.

SCHOOL BANKING: School banking day is Tuesday, please bring bank books to the office in the morning.

FUNDRAISING: We have all our chocolates being sold. If you have any money outstanding for sales of chocolates, can you please bring them in, once all sold.

KINDY ORIENTATION: Kindy Orientation will be held each Wednesday. This will continue throughout Term 3 and into Term 4. We look forward to welcoming any new Kindy students. Orientation will commence at 9:00 am and can be a half day or full day depending upon parents requirements. Please let parents around the area know.

P & C MEETING: We will be holding a special P & C meeting to discuss the School Birthday Morning Tea. This will be held on Thursday 20th August at 1:30pm and should go for about ½ an hour.

SCHOOL BIRTHDAY: This will be held on Wednesday 2nd September at 10am, which will include a morning tea. We are asking parents to provide an item or two for visitors to have with a tea and coffee i.e. cakes/slices/biscuits/muffins.

ZONE ATHLETICS CARNIVAL: The following students will represent the school at Zone on Friday 14th August at Riverview Park in Lismore commencing at 9.00 am, please make sure you arrive by 8:45am.

Jaydah Burston—10 year Girls 100m, PP6 Relay reserve
Calem McGregor—11 Year Boys 100m, 200m, Long Jump, Shot Put, Discus, PP6 Relay
Daniel Tones—12 Year Boys 100m, 200m, 800m, Long Jump, Shot Put, PP6 Relay
John Burston— PP6 Relay
Brayden West PP6 Relay

Please find attached the carnival program.

ASSEMBLY: Assembly will be held every second Friday at 2.45 pm in the new classroom commencing Friday 21st August.

P & C FUNDRAISING: We have a chance to purchase some Christmas gifts and support the school. The Chalk, Parent Direct and Educational Experience catalogues have been given out with this newsletter.

If you would like to have extra catalogues to show family and friends please see the office.

The school will benefit from each purchase. For every dollar spent, 20c in resource vouchers will be provided for the school.
Please have all orders and money in to the school by Tuesday 20th October. If writing a cheque, please have it made out to the company on each form.

CLASS NEWS

This is Week 5 and we are very busily preparing for a number of performances and a busy learning time. The students are researching an island in our region and producing a brochure. So stay tuned for some fabulous graphic artwork.

We are planning props for the Red Cross/Birthday performance which will take place in Week 8.

This Friday is the Zone Athletics and we wish our athletes all the best for the day. Hopefully the weather will be fine and they all have a great day. Good Luck.

We have introduced Targeting Early numeracy in class each day, which focuses on Arithmetic Strategies. It involves learning mental calculating by using dominoes, cards and dice.

Barbara Walsh
Principal

THE EAGLE

The third issue of the Eagle is fast approaching, please make sure all articles, news etc. are at the school by Friday 21st August. Your $5 annual subscription is also due so to ensure you receive your copy of the next Eagle please pay before the due date. Many Thanks.

Lennie

TUCKSHOP

The special for Tuesday 18th September will be:

   Devilled Sausages
   Plus Popper of your Choice
   Cost—$4
   NO OTHER TUCKSHOP ITEMS AVAILABLE.

Therese West will be on tuckshop duty.

Please fill in and return order below and money on Tuesday in attached envelope.

TUCKSHOP ORDER - NAME: ________________________________

Devilled Sausages _______________ Popper ____________
I hereby give permission for my child/children to attend the Presentation at Dyraaba Hall on Tuesday 1st September at 10.00am, leaving Doubtful Creek School at 9:30 am and returning at 11.30 approximately.

Transport will be by Mrs Walsh, Maria Tones and Therese West’s vehicles.

Signed _______________________________ Date ____________________

Parent/Guardian