DATES TO REMEMBER
TERM 3

30 July – Book Fair – Theme (Under the Sea)
30 July – Dental Assessment (Kindergarten Only).
31 July – Tweed District PSSA Athletics Carnival (9.30am to 2.30pm) – Selected Students
04 August – Yr 6 KLA Day Wollumbin
07 August – Spelling Bee Final
11 August – Kids in the Kitchen (4/5/6 10-11am)
12-14 Aug – Class Speeches Due
14 August – Far North Coast Zone Athletics Carnival Byron Bay – Selected Students
18 August – Brain Break (Science)
19 August – Stewart House Concert (Rehearsal in the Day / Evening Performance – 7.00 to 9pm)
20 August – Year 5 Sports Day at Wollumbin High School – (10.00 – 2.00pm) Own Transport
21 August – Our Public Speaking Finals Please note change of date!
22 August – Year 6 Selective Class Test Wollumbin High School
25 August – Kids in the Kitchen (K/1 10-11am and 1/2/3 12–1pm).

UNIFORM COMPETITION WINNER
This week Michael in Kindergarten was the winner of the Uniform Competition and received a voucher to use at the canteen.
A huge thank you to the School Canteen for sponsoring this competition.

BOOK FAIR and GRANDPARENT DAY
Don’t forget this is tomorrow (Thursday) and we have a fun filled day planned.
The outline of the day is:

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<td>10:45 – 11:00 am</td>
<td>Pack up and Fruit Break</td>
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<td>11:00am – 11:30am</td>
<td>Recess Morning Tea (Grandparents / Parents only in library)</td>
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The Book Fair Theme for 2015 is Under the Sea and students are invited to come to school dressed as something from a under the sea, ocean, water etc. Alternatively, students can dress up as their favourite book character. Don’t forget to bring along your favourite book as well.
PERMISSION NOTE and PAYMENT REMINDERS
If you have misplaced your notes or did not receive one please contact the office for another one.

Please make sure you hand your Notes and Money in together for:

ACCOUNTS – Please make sure if you have money owing to the school for your child that you are making regular fortnightly payments.

NOTES DUE IN – Kindergarten Dental Assessment Note. – 30th July
– Year 5 Sports Day – 6th August
– Stewart House Permission Note - 10th August
– Stewart House Ticket Sales - 12th August

ENROLLING NOW FOR 2016
If you have another child starting in 2016, please make sure your child’s details are on file at the office.

Please if you know any other families who wish to send their children to Crystal Creek School in 2016, ask them to either call into our office or phone the school on Ph: 0266 791 223 to obtain an enrolment form.

P&C TREASURER POSITION VACANT
The P&C is seeking a volunteer to fill the role of treasurer as Fiona will be retiring soon.

Please contact Ellie Beck on 0413 515 015 or contact the office if you are interested.

P&C CANTEEN
We need assistance to keep our canteen open and functioning. If you are available to volunteer your time either a full or half day please contact Ellie Beck on 0413 515 015 or Sam on 0407 375 878.

All volunteers are provided a free lunch and your children love to see you in their school.

UNIFORMS
Don’t forget winter uniforms have arrived at the school.
Beanies - $8.00, Jackets - $29.00, Tracksuit Pants - $20.00, Shirts - $17.00 and Hats $8.00.

STEWARD HOUSE CONCERT – 19th AUGUST

All students should have received a letter with regard to the purchasing of tickets for the concert. If your child did not get one they are available at the office.

Please be aware that there are no ticket sales at the door.
All tickets must be pre-purchased and paid for by 12th August.

We require a parent helper to help set up at Murwillumbah High School on the Tuesday 18th August at 3.30pm. If you are able to help please see Miss Purkiss.

A permission note can be found on page 7 with regard to the rehearsal on the 19th August. Please make sure that you get this note back to school by the 10th August.

Page 8 also has information about the costumes required for the day.
NAIDOC CELEBRATIONS 2015

NAIDOC is a celebration of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cultures and an opportunity to recognize the contributions of Indigenous Australians in various fields.

Every year, NAIDOC celebrations are held around Australia including Crystal Creel Public School to commemorate the history and celebrate the culture and contributions of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people. The National NAIDOC theme for 2015 is:

*We all Stand on Sacred Ground: Learn, Respect and Celebrate*

This year the theme highlights Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples’ strong spiritual and cultural connection to land and sea. The theme is an opportunity to pay respects to our country; honour those who work tirelessly on preserving land, sea and culture and to share the stories of many sites of significance or sacred places with the nation.

Last Friday (24/7) students joined in NAIDOC celebrations Australia wide. Students enjoyed a variety of activities, including:

- Dreamtime Story ‘Tiddalik the frog’. Students enjoyed colouring in a Tiddalik picture using texta or colouring pencils.
- Cooking traditional Aboriginal damper with butter or honey.

A huge thank you to all teachers for setting up and coordinating the activities.

Parents: Bec (charlottes' mum), Monique (Max.C mum), Sally (Rayne & Aries' mum) and Jenny (Michael, La’tasha & Eric's mum).
SMALL SCHOOL’S ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

Last Wednesday 15th July eleven students represented Crystal Creek PS in Long Jump, High Jump, Shot Put and 800m. Congratulations to all students that competed and gained a place to the next level at District.

Congratulations to all students that attended and competed at the full day Athletics carnival held on Thursday 16th July at Kingscliff. Students from K-6 participated in 50m, 100m, 200m, discus and relay.

It was great to see the smiles, laughter, cheering and supportiveness that all students showed at the carnival.

Crystal Creek PS won the Senior Champion School trophy
Senior Boys Champion 1st place Jye, 3rd place Lachlan
11 years Boys Champion 2nd place Joe F, 3rd place Ryan

The following students will be competing at Murwillumbah High School in the Murwillumbah/Tweed District Carnival:

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We wish all students the best of luck at the District Athletics Carnival.
CRYSTAL CREEK PUBLIC SPEAKING COMPETITION

REMINDER NOTICE and CHANGE OF DATE

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

This year, class speeches will be conducted during Week 5 (Wednesday, Thursday and Friday). The students will be required to present a speech to their child’s teacher and assessed according to the criteria. Students from each stage will then be asked to participate in the Crystal Creek Public Speaking Competition on Friday 21st August (Week 6) from 9:00am.

One student from each stage will then be invited to represent our school in the Far North Coast Public Speaking Finals on Thursday 3rd September, 2015.

Please be aware that the public speaking rules have changed. They are now as follows:

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<td>Early Stage One/Stage One</td>
<td>Kindergarten Year 1 Year 2</td>
<td>Kindergarten will NOW be able to compete in the Public Speaking Competition. Students will speak for 1 to 1 ½ minutes on a topic of their choice. This could be about their pet, favourite toy etc. It is similar to a news item they may give in class.</td>
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<td>Year 5 Year 6</td>
<td>Students will speak for 3 minutes on a topic of their choice. A bell will sound when time is up.</td>
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The theme for the Far North Coast Public Speaking Competition is Better thinking, talking and listening. However, the topic may be one of the students’ own choice.

Guidelines:

- Students in all sections must begin their speech by acknowledging the chairperson and the members of the audience e.g. Chairperson, ladies and gentleman, boys and girls… or you may start with a quick statement to build intrigue before you open with Chairperson…
- Students shall not begin with “Today I’m going to talk about”.
- Conclude with “Chairperson”. Do not conclude with “Thank you for listening”. Instead say “Chairperson”.
- At no time will scores or comments be given to individual students.
- Speakers must not use props or external aids such as PowerPoint presentations during their speeches or act out scenes or sing not matter how good at it they are.
- Speeches need to have a clear introduction, middle and conclusion.
- Students are encouraged to speak from palm cards and present without the use of microphone. However, if you child is selected to represent our school in the Far North Coast Public Speaking Awards it is recommended to use palm cards to jog your memory – DO NOT READ FROM THEM – points will be deducted.

Additional information about speeches has been attached. If you have any questions about the competition, please see Miss Purkiss. Public Speaking Co-ordinator.
Snack Shack lunch Order
Friday 31st July 2015

We are looking for volunteers to help out in the canteen on the following dates if you are able to help us please put your name and contact number down on the day/days you are free. Even a half day would be great. Lunch is provided.

Friday 7th August __________________________________________
Friday 14th August __________________________________________
Friday 21st August __________________________________________
Friday 28th August __________________________________________
Friday 4th Sept ________________________________
Friday 11th Sept __________________________________________
Friday 18th Sept __________________________________________

Name:___________________________________________ Class:_____________________

RECESS:

___ Water/ Juice popper/ Milk popper - choc/strawberry @ 1.50 $ _____
___ Hot Chocolate Cup @ $1.00 $ _____
___ Raisin Toast Slice @ 0.50c $ _____
___ Popcorn @ $1.00 $ _____
___ Banana Bread @ $1.00 $ _____

LUNCH:

Mini Pizzas on English Muffin @ $2.50

___ Cheese and Pineapple $ _____
___ Ham, Cheese and Pineapple $ _____

___ Toastie @ $3.00 $ _____

Please circle: CHEESE HAM TOMATO PINEAPPLE
WHITE or WHOLEMEAL

___ Water/ Juice popper/ Milk popper - choc/strawberry @ 1.50 $ _____

TOTAL $ _____

AMOUNT ENCLOSED $ _____

Please have your lunch order placed into a paper bag, with your child’s name clearly marked on the front and money enclosed, to the office by Thursday. Thank you.
STEWART HOUSE - REHEARSAL

Stewart House Rehearsal is on the 19th August and all students are expected to attend.

DATE: Wednesday 19th August
VENUE: Murwillumbah High School
TIME: Leave School: 9.15am
       Return to School: 1.30pm approx.
TRANSPORT: Bus
COST: $3.50
BRING: Students are to take their recess, lunch and a bottle of water
COSTUMES: Please bring all costumes

This is a whole school event and all students are expected to attend. There will be no supervision at school this day.

Please complete permission slip below and return with money to school by Monday 10th August

STEWART HOUSE- REHEARSAL

Dear Parents / Caregivers,

I give permission for my child ………………………………………………… of class …………..

to attend the rehearsal at Murwillumbah High School on Wednesday 19th August, leaving school at 9.15am and returning to school by 1.30pm approx.
The students will be all travelling by bus.

I have enclosed $3.50 for the excursion.

Signed: ………………………………………………………………………………… Date: …………………
(Parent/Caregiver)
Dear Parents/Caregivers,

The Stewart House Concert is soon approaching and the students have all been working extremely hard with the dance and learning the songs.

This year, the student will be doing a hip hop dance.

The students are therefore asked to wear either of the following items:

- Blue denim jeans
- Blue denim overalls
- Blue denim jacket
- Hip hop cap, flat cap etc.

Our school will be providing the white t-shirts that will be worn. We may need some parent helpers to assist us with washing and ironing the shirts before the event.

The students will also need to wear their full school uniform for the singing. After the singing, the students will get changed into their costumes.

If you have any questions, please see Miss Purkiss.
The students made two recipes in their KIK sessions. The recipes are below in case any of our budding chefs would like to make them at home as well.

**FRIED RICE**

**Ingredients:**
- 2 cups cooked long grain rice
- 1 egg, beaten
- 1 clove garlic
- 50g lean leg ham
- ¼ brown onion
- ¼ red capsicum
- ¼ cup tinned corn
- ½ zucchini
- 1 stalk silverbeet
- ½ carrot
- 1 spring onion
- 1 tablespoon oil
- 2 tablespoon soy sauce
- 1 tablespoon oyster sauce
- ½ cup freshly squeezed orange juice

**Utensils:**
- Chopping board
- Knife
- Large fry pan or wok
- Wooden spoon
- Measuring cup
- Measuring spoons
- Fork
- Spatula

**Method:**
1. Wash all vegetables.
2. Dice carrots, capsicum, zucchini, brown onion, spring onion and ham. Shred silverbeet.
3. Peel and dice garlic, then crush with a fork.
4. Crack egg into a cup and lightly beat with a fork.
5. Lightly spray the heated fry pan with oil.
6. Pour egg into fry pan to make a thin omelette.
7. Cook until set, transfer to chopping board and slice thinly. Set aside.
8. Put oil in pan, cook onion, garlic, ham and carrot for approx. 4 minutes.
9. Add capsicum, zucchini, silverbeet and corn, cover and toss well for several minutes.
10. Add rice, spring onion, soy sauce and oyster sauce. Stir until rice is heated and sauce has mixed through.
11. Fold in sliced omelette, Serve hot.

**COCONUT FRUIT SKEWERS**

**Ingredients:**
- ½ cup desiccated coconut
- 1 kiwi fruit
- 2 bananas
- 2 strawberries
- ¼ pineapple
- 1 slice watermelon
- ½ cup freshly squeezed orange juice

**Utensils:**
- Chopping board
- Skewers
- Sharp knives
- Butter knife
- Measuring cup
- Pastry brush
- Plate

**Method:**
1. Peel and chop fruit into large chunks.
2. Thread fruit onto skewers, finish with strawberry.
3. Brush with orange juice and roll in coconut to coat.
4. Serve immediately.
WOOLWORTHS EARN & LEARN 2015

When your Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker Sheet is complete, the Sticker Sheet can be dropped into the Collection Box here at the school or at your local Woolworths.

At the end of the promotion, we’ll be able to get some great new equipment. The range is extensive and offers lots of items ideal for our students – including resources for Maths, English, Science and some fantastic fun supplies for Arts & Craft, Sport and for our library. If you’d like to know more visit woolworths.com.au/earnandlearn.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

CABARITA BEACH
S.L.S.C.

NIPPER SIGN ON 23RD AUGUST

9AM TO 32 - New Members need Birth Cert.
Back Up Volunteers Needed - Go To Our Website
www.cabslsc.org.au
For more information email nippers@cabslsc.org.au

Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker Sheet

CHILLINGHAM VILLAGE MARKETS
SUNDAY 9TH AUGUST
AT THE CHILLINGHAM COMMUNITY CENTRE
1469 NUMINBAH RD CHILLINGHAM
8.00AM TO 1.00PM
LIVE MUSIC ROLAN WHEEL
10AM TO 12 MIDDAY

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