SAKG Gardening & Cooking
In the garden last Friday, we planted a green manure crop, cleaned up our old corn stalks and collected climbing bean seeds for next season. We harvested corn, beans, Jerusalem artichokes, parsnips, leeks, shallots, lettuce, herbs, zucchini and tomatoes. In the kitchen we cooked potato and Jerusalem artichoke rostis, lettuce, walnut and orange salad with dairy free ranch dressing, honey parsnips and carrots, and zucchini and carrot cakes. Thank you to Julie Connor and Gail who volunteered this week.

Year 6 Students – Old clothes – this Friday 4th April
Could Year 6 students please bring old clothing this Friday 4th April as they will be oiling our school fence during gardening, weather permitting.

WHAT’S ON FOR TERM 1

WEEK 11
Thursday, April 10th  
Easter Hat Parade & Term 1 Assembly

Friday, April 11th  
Last Day of Term 1

Term 1 School Holidays
Friday 18th April – Monday 21st April Easter Weekend
Friday April 25th – ANZAC Day March – 10.40am – Dorrigo

WHAT’S ON FOR TERM 2

WEEK 1
Monday, April 28th  
Staff Development Day

Tuesday, April 29th  
Students Return for Term 2

Notes and Money due:
- Term 1 SAKG Contribution
- Workbook Fees
- ANZAC Day March Consent Notes
Easter Hat Parade & Term 1 Assembly
This Thursday 10th April – 2.00pm
We will be holding our Term 1 Assembly, annual Easter Hat Parade and egg hunt this Thursday 10th April at 2.00pm. The students will make their hats at school. We would love as many parents as possible to come along to watch the student’s parade and enjoy afternoon tea together.

Holiday Dates
The last day for Term 1 will be this Friday 11th April 2014. Staff will return on Monday 28th April for a Development Day. Students will return on Tuesday 29th April 2014.

Easter Weekend is during the holidays this year. Friday 18th April is Good Friday Public Holiday and Monday 21st April is Easter Monday Public Holiday. Anzac Day is Friday 25th April.

We hope all families have a nice, relaxed and safe holiday break. See you all back at school well rested for Term 2. Happy and Safe Holidays!

ANZAC Day March – Friday 25th April (During the Holidays)
The Dorrigo RSL Sub Branch has invited staff and students to march as a School Group in the Dorrigo ANZAC Day March and Wreath Laying Service on Friday 25th April, this falls during the holidays. We need to assemble outside the front of the RSL club at 10.40am, ready for step off at 11.00am. Light refreshments will follow the service for our marchers at the Dorrigo Bowling Club.

Young marchers are encouraged to wear their families’ medals and decorations. Parental transport and supervision before and after marching is required. Please return the consent note attached last newsletter to indicate if your child/ren will be attending as soon as possible. To look our best, full school uniform (school sports shirt) and navy hat must be worn on the day. If it is a hot day, students may wish to bring a bottle of water with them to sip from.

Term 1 SAKG Weekly Contribution - Due Now
If you have a payment slip attached for Term 1, please pay the amount before the end of term.

2014 Workbook Fees
Workbook fees for 2014 remain the same - $30.00 per student. These fees help towards the costs of student items provided by our school e.g. exercise books, pens, pencils, glue etc… Invoices attached. Thank you those families that have paid already.

Premier’s Reading Challenge
It’s time again for us to take on the Premier’s Reading Challenge. The challenge requires K-2 students to read 30 books and 3-6 students to read 20 books by the 22nd August. The K-2 class will complete their reading challenge as a class at school. The 3-6 class will read at school but will be required to read some books at home as their book list contains picture books as well as novels. These books will be sent home this week and can be returned once read and new books will be re-issued. Students can keep track of the books they read by completing their reading log which will be kept at school.

Invitation - Model Railway Display – Sunday 15th June
We have received an invitation from Mr Bruce Block inviting teachers, students and parents to visit his model railway display on Sunday June 15th. The display will take place from 2 to 4pm at Lower Bielsdown Road, 'Tallowood Ridge' and will include a variety of model trains to look at as well as afternoon tea. The Coffs Harbour Model Railway group will also join Mr Block for the afternoon. Please contact the school for more information or to let us know if you would like to attend.

Make an Offer
We have a number of used student desks, printers, laminators and photocopiers in storage at school. If you would like any of these items, come in and make an offer. It all has to go!

P&C News & Community Notices
P&C Easter Raffle
Our Easter raffle will be drawn this Thursday 10th April at our School Easter Hat Parade. Please return tickets sold or unsold to school by this Wednesday 9th April.

For Sale – Lounge
Blue 3 seater lounge and armchair. Good condition.
For sale - $100 Phone Abby Not on 66578 058

Creative Kids in the April Holidays
Morning (9.30—12.00) and afternoon (1.00—3.30) sessions. Small groups - $25 per child per session
Monday 14th Claymaking
Tuesday 15th Claymaking
Wednesday 16th Puppetmaking
Thursday 17th Printing and painting

All sessions involve some outdoor playful active time and the opportunity to draw using a variety of mediums. One-to-one remedial sessions in clayfield and guided drawing are available during term time.

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