KD - Kindergarten
Class Teacher: Mrs Diane Jones
In Literacy we are focussing on sustainability and have been looking at the books ‘Lester and Clyde’ and ‘Lester and Clyde Running Scared’. These books have led us to look at man’s impact on the environment and the life cycles of frogs. We read a factual book about a frog’s life cycle and then the children drew and labelled their own. The children also wrote some frog facts.
Frogs are green - Emma
Frogs are wet - Frogs like water - Maya
Frogs are green. They swim - Milena
We have also been learning about nouns. The children chose 3 nouns from their readers then drew and labelled them. They then used them in sentences.

KD class news
DIARY DATES
Tuesdays
Uniform Shop 8.30-9.30
Wednesdays
Student Banking
Fridays
Canteen
(NO CANTEEN TOMORROW)
Assembly 2:30pm

TERM 3
Thursday 28 & Friday 29 August
Life Education K-6 $5

Thursday 4, 11, 18 September
Kindy Orientations

Monday 1 - Wed 3 September
Y3-4 Tyalgum Ridge excursion

Wed 10 & Thurs 11 September
SCHOOL MUSICAL

Friday 12 September
CYBERSMART Presentations
Parents 1.30-3pm

Friday 19 September
Last day of Term 3
Odd Socks Day

TERM 4
Tuesday 7 October
First day of Term 4
Monday 10 November
“Hunchback of Notre Dame”
Wednesday 17 December
Last day of school for students

‘Mouse Bingo Teddy’
Brown Teddy is cute. Bingo is smart. Brown Mouse is funny. Lili R

In Mathematics we have started using the iMaths resource and have been focussing our work on Goldilocks and the Three Bears. We have sequenced the story and looked at groups of 3. We have also used the comparative language big, bigger, biggest, small, smaller, smallest and middle-sized. We also planned a morning tea for the Three Bears and designed an invitation for the three bears from Goldilocks. In KD we do Crunch n Sip news everyday. This week Hugo gave a powerpoint presentation of his trip to America. We are trying to have more vegetables so that we can eat 5 vegies and 2 fruits everyday.
Dear Parents
The students and teachers are extremely busy preparing for our school musical. Thank you so much for your extra support at this time as we work together to provide the students with an authentic performance opportunity.

Cybersmart @ Bangalow PS
When: Friday 12 September
Parents 1.30-3pm in the School Hall
Please come along!

As part of its Cybersmart Outreach program, the Australian Communications and Media Authority delivers free internet safety awareness presentations for parents, teachers and students. Presentations provide valuable information, tools and tips to help make internet experiences safe and positive.

Topics include:
• the ways children use the internet and emerging technologies
• potential risks for children online, such as cyberbullying, illegal content, inappropriate contact, identity theft, grooming and predatory activity
• tips to help children stay safe online.

Bangalow Aussie Hoops
Thank you so much to the Byron Bay Basketball Association who have donated two basketball hoops to our school. The association runs Bangalow Aussie Hoops outside our School Hall on Tuesday afternoons to teach 5-8yo basketball skills. Feel free to contact the school office for details and costs.

School Awards
Each week at assembly three different types of awards are presented:
• Merit Awards
• Quality Work
• Citizenship Awards
Over the year we shall ensure all students will receive at least one of these awards.

Parent Action Symbol!
If you see this symbol next to an item, then it is something that you may either have to action or note in your diary.

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AWARDS

Congratulations to the following students who will receive an award at Friday’s assembly tomorrow at 2.30pm.

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TERM 3 ASSEMBLIES

All families and friends are welcome to come along to our Friday Assemblies at 2:30pm

Please be sure to sign the Assembly Visitors book at the Hall. Thank you

NOTES SENT HOME THIS WEEK

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Kind Regards
Susie Boyle, Principal

Bangalow Public School Newsletter Ph: (02) 6687 1434 www.bangalow-p.schools.nsw.edu.au
Belated Thanks!

Earlier this term some of our talented Bangalow students participated in the Lighthouse Valley Dance Festival at Ocean Shores. It was a fantastic experience for all involved. The certificates will be handed out at assembly on Friday. I would like to thank all of the parents who helped with costuming and transport. Special thanks to Anouska Gammon for teaching the 3 - 6 dance group, Mrs Polak and Mrs Boyle for assisting with the matinee and evening performances and to the students for dancing so well.

Don’t worry if you missed the festival because the dance groups will be performing in the school musical in week 9. Years 1/2 will need to bring their black tights/shorts/leotards/shirts and the 3 - 6 group will need their bright colours to wear for the performance. This is in addition to their class item. Thank you all.

Rikki Croft - K/1R Teacher

Byron Bay HS Tour

Mrs Pearson (Deputy Principal) will be conducting another tour of the school for interested parents of Year 7 2015 students. The tour will take place on Wednesday, 27 August at 2pm.

High School Enrolments

Parents of Year 6 students attending Byron Bay HS in 2015 are required to complete a new enrolment form. The "expression of interest form" completed at the beginning of this year is not the enrolment form.

The form is available on the Byron Bay HS website, from the office, or by phoning Byron Bay HS (66858188) and having it emailed to you.

The form and relevant documentation (student’s birth certificate and proof of residential address) needs to be finalised and returned to Byron Bay HS by the end of this month.

FNC Zone Athletics

Congratulations to the students who participated in last Friday’s FNC Zone Athletics in Ewingsdale.

The following students will go onto the next level the North Coast Zone PSSA on Friday 29 August at Riverview Park, Lismore - Bridie B, Kasey B, Freya P & Marlin C, for their individual events. And to Chloe R, Kasey B, Ella B and Freya P for the 4 x 100m relay. Congratulations and best of luck for the next event.

Room to Read project

All students have received a note detailing our involvement in the Room to Read project for Book Week. In 2012 we raised money to help build a library in Siam Reap, Cambodia. This year we are raising money for native language books for libraries in Asia and Africa. All donations great and small will be appreciated, thank you.

Book Week Donation for Libraries in Third World Countries

Please find enclosed a donation to help support Bangalow Public School students’ quest in helping supply books into Libraries across Asia and Africa.

Name and students’ class

Donation
Amount ____________________________
Bangalow Public School presents

Around the World in 80 Minutes

Wednesday 10th September
11.00am Matinee & 6.30pm Evening performance

Thursday 11th September
6.30pm Evening performance

A&I Hall
Bangalow

Tickets available from school office (02) 6687 1434
$7 Child $13 Adult $35 Family
(2 Adults 2 Children)
Matinee entrance by gold coin donation
P and C update
- where the funds raised are used.

So far this year the P and C has committed to:

- $18.8k to purchase teaching equipment in literacy, science and maths, new musical instruments, home reading books, art equipment, sports equipment and library books.
- an Interactive whiteboard for the additional classroom.
- 10 classroom Ipads
- $10K towards further playground improvements. (currently planning)
- purchase a house sports tent
- a new BBQ
- shelving units for storing P and C equipment

Thanks to everyone who gets involved to make this happen.

Cakes are needed for the school musical

Please make a cake for us to sell at our school musical. We will be selling homemade treats to our audience before the show and at intermission.
So please drop off any cakes/slices/treats to the A and I Hall kitchen on:
- Wednesday 10th September from 3pm onwards.
- Thursday 11th September from 3pm onwards.
Thank you in advance.

Pre –loved shelving unit needed - School garden

We are looking for a second hand shelving unit to put our tools and plants on, if you can help with a unit please call Jenny Ph: 0400 420023

Come and join the musical café team

We need people to help cook, cut, foods for the school musical café.
Call Jenny 0400 420023 or email jenny@buncoffee.com.au if you can help.

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Ipad Drive Continues – thanks to the local families and businesses who have donated

Thanks to seven donations from local business and families and the P and C funds, we now have a class set of Ipads for all classes to use.
Should you be wanting to donate funds for us to purchase an Ipad please see Juliette in the office who will organize a tax deductible receipt for the purchase.
Dear Parents,

Internet safety presentation helps children stay safe online

Young people today are immersed in digital technologies. They use the internet and mobile phones to socialise, study, exchange ideas and play. While online activity has many benefits, there are also risks.

To help your children stay safe online, Bangalow PS is hosting a Cybersmart Outreach—Internet Safety Awareness presentation. Designed for parents, teachers and students, this presentation is provided by the Australian Communications and Media Authority (the ACMA) as part of a national program of cybersmart initiatives.

The Cybersmart Outreach—Internet Safety Awareness presentation is thorough and non-technical. It covers a range of issues including:

- the ways children use the internet and emerging technologies
- potential risks for children online, such as cyberbullying, identity theft, inappropriate contact and exposure to inappropriate content
- tips to help children stay safe online.

The presentation is conducted by an ACMA Cybersmart trainer and is free of charge.

Bangalow PS is committed to helping students develop appropriate behaviours when using digital technologies, both at school and home.

The Cybersmart Outreach—Internet Safety Awareness presentation will be held on:

**Friday 12 September 2014 in the School Hall**
Staff: 11-1pm
Y3-Y6 Students: 12-1pm
**All Parents: 1.30-3pm**

To register your attendance, please complete the enrolment form below.

Kind Regards

Susie Boyle
Principal

Internet Safety Awareness
I/we will be attending the Parent Cybersafety Information Session on September 12 2014 from 1.30-3pm in the School Hall.

Name/s ___________________________   ___________________________________

Signed ___________________________
Thank you to

for proudly supporting the school’s Munch & Crunch Program with fresh fruit and vegetables.

Imagination Art Show
Bangalow Community Children ’s Centre
Ak 1 Hall  - Friday 22nd August  7pm  - ADULTS ONLY $10 inc nibbles
Saturday 23 August 9am to 12 noon OPEN to all including families and children
Gold coin donation
All pieces created by children.
You will be able to buy the children’s art and there will be an auction of the larger group works of art made by each room
It is a very social and enjoyable evening.
Door Prize: (1) Massage (2) Pedicure

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS
Are you a non-profit organisation or offering a service that would directly benefit our students? Opportunities exist to promote your activities in our newsletter (certain criteria must be met and conditions apply).
Newsletters are distributed in full colour hard copy, via email, and on our website. Please contact the school office on 6687 1434 or email us at bangalow-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

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BUILDING A LEARNING FOUNDATION TOGETHER
The school has established two tax deductible funds to enable families, community members and local businesses to make donations. The building fund will be used to provide technology centres in all classrooms, Wi-Fi, permanent shelving and storage cubicles. Our long term goal is the construction and development of an all-weather, multi-purpose sports area.
The Library Fund seeks to provide all students with updated printed and digital literacy resources. Our long term goal includes classrooms being outfitted with class sets of laptops and tablets.
You can visit our website to download and complete a donor card. Your support is sincerely appreciated.

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR SCHOOL
Call out for focus group participants

Are you a parent of children 12 years and under?
Are you the main person responsible for shopping, planning and cooking meals in your family?

If you answered YES to both questions – then join us for a focus group discussion being conducted as part of a joint Council education program at the following locations and dates:

**DATES and LOCATIONS:**
- Thursday 21st August: Suffolk Park – 7pm
- Tuesday 26th August: Lismore – 5.30pm
- Thursday 28th August: Casino – 11.30am
- Tuesday 2nd September: Grafton – 11.30am
- Wednesday 3rd September: Kyogle – 11.30am
- Tuesday 9th September: Lennox Head – 10.30am

**TO BOOK**: Linda Tohver 0427 770 198 or linda@newaste.org.au

Each participant will receive $50 for attending the focus group and light snacks, tea and coffee will be served.

* Bookings essential

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**String Ensemble for Bangalow Public School**

Following the visit of the Australian Youth Orchestra String Quartet, Bangalow Public School in association with Northern Rivers Conservatorium of Music is looking to form a String Ensemble.

The ensemble will rehearse Wednesday mornings and is open to students who play violin and cello. Under the direction of Mr Michael McCabe, the group will play pieces from a wide variety of musical styles focussing on skill areas including reading, musicianship, ensemble and posture.

To enrol, go to [www.nrzac.edu.au](http://www.nrzac.edu.au). Choose the Music in Schools page and click enrol. Under “Tuition Details” choose ‘String Ensemble’

Enquiries can be made calling the NRC office on 02 6621 2266 or emailing admin@nrzac.edu.au

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**Roadworks around Bangalow**

for information about the roadworks, please phone
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1800 882 787
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www.bangalowswim.com.au
swim@bangalowswim.com.au
168 Binna Burra Road, Bangalow 2479
All students are expected to attend the Life Education Van, which will be visiting our school from Tuesday 26 to Friday 29 August. This activity is an integral part of our Health, Physical Education and Personal Development Curriculum. Life Education is a not for profit, registered charity that relies heavily on the raising of funds within the community to assist in the delivery of the service.

The following Healthy Harold merchandise will be on sale to support this community fundraising:

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If your child wishes to purchase any of these items, please send the correct money in a clearly labelled envelope on the day.

Here is a brief outline of the range of programs in which the children will be participating:

**Kindergarten**
- **Clued Up**: Healthy lifestyle, personal safety, safety with medicines, body knowledge and self-assertion skills
- **Harold’s Surprise**: Healthy food choices, importance of physical activity, safety

**Year 1**
- **Harold’s Mystery Tour**: Body workings, safe use and storage of medicines, peer pressure and coping strategies, safety, decision making

**Year 2**
- **Harold’s Heroes**: Environmental Health issues, emergency procedures, individual needs for medicines and safe use and storage

**Years 2-3**
- **All Systems Go**: Function of body systems, peer pressure, second hand smoking, safety with medicinces

**Year 3**
- **Harold’s Diary**: Friendship, resilience, expressing emotions, coping strategies, healthy food choices, active lifestyles

**Years 3-4**
- **bCyberwise (NEW)**: Explores cybersafety through animation, vox pops of children, relevant scenarios, discussion and problem solving

**Year 4**
- **Mind Your Medicine**: Safe and unsafe situations, medicines and consequence of misuse, peer influence and friendship, positive communication

**Year 5**
- **On The Case (NEW)**: Short and long term effects of smoking, effects of passive smoking, laws, peer influence, and refusal skills

**Years 5-6**
- **It’s Your Call (IMPROVED)**: Definition of legal drugs, decision making, emotions, peer pressure, risk taking, problem solving, safe and appropriate use of communication technology

**Year 6**
- **Think Twice**: Consequences of alcohol use and misuse, stay safe situations and refusal skills, laws controlling purchase and use.

This program addresses many of the components and objectives within the NSW PDHPE Curriculum. The cost is $5 per child - please send this in with the permission slip below.

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**Life Education - Week 7 2014**

I give permission for my child/ren ___________________________________________ in class ____________

_________________________________________ in class ____________

_________________________________________ in class ____________

to attend the Life Education Van in the Bangalow Showground, under teacher supervision, between Tuesday 26 and Friday 29 August 2014. I enclose $5 per child for this activity.

Signed ___________________________________________ Date _______________________

Name ___________________________________________