Dear Parents,

Our Year 5 and 6 students enjoyed their trip to Ballina last week and many of them proudly returned with signed copies of books. Thanks to Mrs Newberry for organising this and to Mrs Hogan for accompanying them.

Both our boys and girls soccer teams made it to the final of their pool. The girls played well against a bigger Alstonville team. At half time it was 2-1 Alstonville way and then in the second half Grace scored to make it 2 all at full time. The game then went to extra time and Alstonville scored to be the winners. The boys played Wyrallah Road and were also 2-1 at half time however a skilled Wyrallah Road team came out firing and at full time the score was 6-1 Wyrallah Road’s way. Congratulations to all the students who played and thank to the parents who transported and supported the students. A very special thanks must go to Rod Menzies our coach who did a great job in training the students. Good Luck to all of our students who will be heading to Lismore on Friday for the Northern Rivers Athletics Carnival.

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Wednesday 3.15 - 5.30pm
Thursday 3.30 - 6.00pm
Friday 3.30 - 5.00pm
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Email:-
thedancingtutu@outlook.com

KEEP THE DATE!!!!
Year 6 Farewell
Our farewell will be held at the Yamba Golf Club on Thursday, 10th December.

ZUMBA for kids
Friday’s 4pm $5 per child
Starting August 7th
@ Yamba Uniting Church 3 Premium St
Music and Exercise for the whole family.
Great fun for all ages.
5yrs to 10yrs

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Family Referral Workers help families to identify their most important needs, and connect them with the best services for them.
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- Any service that works with children and families including:
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  - Non-government agencies
  - Doctors and health professionals
  - Child Sciences
- Family support
- Referrals can be made by telephone or email, or in person at our Tweed, Lismore and Grafton offices.

MINECRAFTEDU
AFTER SCHOOL MINECRAFT GROUP
Students will discover armed with ancient civilisations, graph quests, meet famous historical characters, and collaborate to build themed projects.
Students earn experience points, gain levels, find sacred areas, collect items, and gain coins and riches as they complete quests and learn about history.
$5 per session. All funds go to P&C.
Every Wednesday Afternoon
3pm-4:30pm
Email: rob@yamca.com.au
to book, places are limited.

Your link to support
1300 338 774
Tweed residents call 02 6623 2780
support@familiesnorth.org.au

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BYRON BAY WRITERS FESTIVAL

On Tuesday, 4th August, 55 lucky Yr5 and 6 students attended the Byron Bay Writers Festival. Terry Denton and Andy Griffiths gave a very funny presentation about some of their books. They answered a lot of our questions about why they became writers.

Some responses from students:-

“I thought the authors were hilarious and the pictures they drew were awesome”. - Toby

“It was really funny how Terry Denton kept drawing silly pictures of Andy while he was talking. I was lucky to get a selfie with Terry Denton”. - Tyeka

“It was mad!” - Max C

“Duncan was chosen to draw a picture of Shrek while Terry kept bumping him and drawing on him”. - Zahri

“It was exciting because we got to see Andy Griffiths and Terry Denton. We were lucky to get our books signed by them”. - Heather

You’re invited to our
BOOK FAIR!

10th - 13th August at YPS Library
CANBERRA EXCURSION PAYMENT INSTALMENT
22 - 27 NOVEMBER
COST $515 PER STUDENT

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CASCADE EXCURSION PAYMENT INSTALMENT
21 – 23 OCTOBER
COST $130 PER STUDENT

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LAKE AINSWORTH EXCURSION PAYMENT INSTALMENT
19 - 23 OCTOBER
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ONLINE PAYMENTS NOW AVAILABLE AT YAMBA PUBLIC SCHOOL

We have launched a new online payment portal linked to the school’s website to make it easier for you to pay for school related expenses. This is a secure payment page hosted by Westpac.

What expenses can be paid online?

- Voluntary School Contributions
- Excursions
- Sport (excluding PSSA)
- Creative and Practical Arts
- Sales to Students

How?
Log onto the school site at www.yamba-p.schools.nsw.edu.au. Click on “Make a Payment” and follow the prompts to make a payment via Visa or Mastercard.

YPS HOSTS A CHESS COMPETITION
Yamba Public School will be celebrating the 25th ANNIVERSARY of the opening of the new school on Friday 28th August, 2015. The school was officially opened in April 1991 but the school commenced its first teaching day on the 28th August 1990.

On that day 25 years ago, the students, staff and parents walked from the old school (on the Yamba Bowling Club site) to our new site on Angourie Road. It was a memorable day with so much to celebrate and look forward to in the new surrounds.

To commemorate the occasion we would like to invite past students, teachers and parents to re-enact the walk, along with the present school population.

The program will be as follows:
9.30: Assemble in the undercover area.
9.35: Welcome to Country, Smoking Ceremony.
9.45: Commence the walk along the footpath, over the back bridge and along Coldstream footpath, past the skatepark and down to the intersection of Coldstream Street and Yamba Street. Turn left and proceed along the Yamba Street footpath to the round-about into Wooli Street, walk along Wooll Street footpath to the Angourie turn off. Walk along the footpath to school.
10.45: Gather in the undercover area for speeches, tree planting and the cutting of a commemorative cake.
11.05: Recess (special guests and staff to the library for morning tea).

Your presence will be warmly appreciated by the school.
The walk will follow the town footpath and not the road.

Yamba Public School 25th Anniversary Committee.
Contact: Jill Newberry, Barb Roberts, Sue Gould and Lynne Eke
Yamba Public School
School and Community Newsletter

RELIEVING PRINCIPAL
Debbie Woods

ASSISTANT PRINCIPALS
Ian Clifford
Mark White
Belinda Vidler
Mikylla Cook

SCHOOL CAPTAINS
Zahri Berry
Jay Adams

PARENTS & CITIZENS’ ASSOCIATION
Meets—Second Tuesday of each month.

Lou Johnson
PRESIDENT

Julie Coulter
CANTEEN SUPERVISOR

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