involved and work with your P & C to get action. Get everyone know that we have a problem and how they can help. Get workable solution. Some actions that may be taken are holding a meeting with car and transport companies to discuss the problems and try to find a solution. You may also approach Gosford City Council to join with parents, local police and the Opera House. These opportunities are only possible with the continuing strong support of teaching staff who give up many lunchtimes to practise and coordinate these extra curricular performance activities. Good luck everyone who is performing – enjoy the spotlight!

Reports
School reports go out on the last day of school next week, Friday 27th June. Along with the usual report, there are two other reports that detail achievement in literacy and numeracy or maths. This year they have been integrated into the school report and do not come as a separate document. If your child will not be at school on this day and you would like the report mailed to you, please provide a stamped, self-addressed A4 sized envelope by Wednesday 25th June to the office. Reports will not be handed out earlier.

5 Lands Walk
This term our students have been working on 1500 decorations that participants in the 5 Lands Walk will use to decorate the path from Macmasters Beach to Copacabana on Saturday. We collected the finished products in the staffroom this week and they look very symbolic of the theme of the event – Connecting Communities. Cross your fingers for beautiful weather and come along to see our Stage 1 dance group and Stage 2 Junkyard Orchestra, who will be performing on the morning – very early! Please come along to support them and share in the fun and excitement of this great community event.

This time last year
From time to time I look back at the previous year’s newsletters to get inspiration for the current article. Last year at this time, I wrote an item about how sport is like school when we were watching the World Cup. You know it’s a long time between football (soccer) and hoping the Australian team would qualify for a World Cup. Even Mr Smith, who’s a die-hard rugby league fan, watched it! You know it’s a long time between qualifying last year and playing this year and what the team and their coach have demonstrated is that with the You Can Do It! skills of Confidence, Persistence, Resilience, Organisation and Getting Along and positive habits of mind – you can be in the World Cup! C'mon Aussies!!!

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Performing Arts - Central Coast Dance Festival, Gold Assembly, Kincumba Shines, 5 Lands Walk and Festival of Instrumental Music
This week, last week and after the holidays, five dance groups, a choir, A Junkyard Orchestra and a violin group will take the stage and perform at the Laycock Street Theatre, Kincumber PS hall, Kincumber HS hall, MacMasters Beach and the Opera House. These opportunities are only possible with the continuing strong support of teaching staff who give up many lunchtimes to practise and coordinate these extra curricular performance activities. Good luck everyone who is performing – enjoy the spotlight!

Students of Week 7, Term 2, 2014.

Calendrier

From the Principal

This week:
- If you think that parking was bad last week?
- Performing Arts
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If you think parking was bad last week?
The bad news is - starting this week, Gosford City Council, will be closing the dirt pathway along the school fence on Joalah Road. The good news is – they will be constructing a new concrete path there. It will mean road closures while equipment and trucks move in and out of the area. Short term pain, long term gain. More bad news – starting on Friday, contractors will be removing trees and pruning others, so the dirt car park may be barricaded to avoid tree damage to cars. A simple idea to avoid the traffic chaos is to PARK AT FROST AND WALK ACROSS. Simple solution to avoid road rage isn’t it?

At last Monday night’s P & C meeting, I raised my concerns about parking and parking behaviour and followed up my last newsletter article with the members present who shared my fear of a completely avoidable tragedy. I know it’s hard out the front in the mornings and afternoons but we aren’t going to solve this with continuing bad behaviour. The P & C are going to seek your support to approach Gosford City Council to join with parents, local police and transport companies to discuss the problems and try to find a workable solution. Some actions that may be taken are holding a community meeting, sign petitions, write letters and generally let everyone know that we have a problem and how they can help. Get involved and work with your P & C to get action.

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2K Alexander Lidster
2L Joshua Montgomery
2M Taylor Chateauvert

3K Dray Wilkinson
3H Jackson Matterson
3S Amity Bright
3W Daniel Barry

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June 19, 2014
P & C meet the third Monday of every month, 7.00pm - President P&C: Cherie Castaing
**Class Item by K/1G**

**K/1G Love to Read and Listen to Stories**

- Nicoli and Sophie B—The Ravenous Beast
- Flynn—The Magic Donkey Ride
- Lachlan—Mr McGee and the Perfect Nest
- Koby—Pearl Barley and Charlie Parsley
- Milly—Sunday Chutney
- Jack—Mr McGee and the Elephant
- Olivia—Where the Wild Things Are
- Mia and Lily—The Richest Crocodile in the World

**Kinder 2015**

- Do you have a child starting school at Kincumber Public School next year? If so, please call in at the front office to collect an enrolment package. Kindy Start will be run in the same format this year—Tuesday or Thursday mornings from 9.00–11.00am, beginning on Tuesday 14th October (term 4). If you have neighbours, friends, etc., who are intending to enrol their child in Kindergarten at KPS next year, please ask them to contact the school on 4369 1544.
Central Coast Dance Festival – A little party!

What an amazing night last night! The dancers in the KPS senior dance group looked incredible and danced with supreme confidence, lots of razzle-dazzle and amazing smiles! It was a true joy to watch them on stage – all their hard work and practice paid off and I was so proud of their commitment to excellence! There were a few spontaneous ‘high fives’ coming off stage and grins from ear-to-ear! Well done to all the dancers, and to all the parents who have probably been listening to the song on repeat for the last 3 months! Mrs Peters was delighted to be in the audience for the 2nd show of the evening and agreed that the performance really was "something special". In our opinion, the best was definitely saved for last! The Central Coast Dance Festival was a perfect illustration of You Can Do It in action: well done to all dancers on their confidence, resilience, persistence, organisation and getting-along skills. Congratulations, one and all!

From Mrs Wardlaw

Excerpt from an email from Mrs Currell

"I just wanted to say a big congratulations to the girls who danced in CCDF last night (and of course to all the schools). My daughter, Ella has never danced in one before, she had the biggest smile on her face throughout her performance and had an amazing time! …We look forward to next year, when our whole household can learn a new song and new dance moves! A little party, never killed nobody, especially in our house".

From Elyse Currell

"Wow, what an incredible evening of Dance… not only were we proud parents tonight but also in awe of the obvious commitment, dedication and absolute fun the children had on stage in which you had a major hand in. (Our daughter) is so proud to be part of the dance group and tonight proved to us just how much confidence and pride she has in herself… Looking forward to next year".

Kind regards
Proud mum and dad
(Tracy and Daniel Scott)

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NICU Helping Hands Angel Gowns is a community organisation of volunteers who hope to touch the hearts of everyone who has suffered the tragic loss of a baby. From donated wedding gowns, seamstresses lovingly hand craft “Angel Gowns” which are then gifted to Neonatal Intensive Care Units and Hospitals all around Australia & New Zealand. www.angelgownsaustralia.com

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