



NANA GLEN PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Term 4 – Week 1

17/10/19	Thursday - Swimming for sport	25/11/19 to 6/12/19	Intensive Swimming Program –
18/10/19	School Colour Fun Run		No School swimming for Sport.
24/10/19	Thursday Swimming for Sport K-6	3/12/19	Year 6 High School Orientation
25/10/19	OVLC Summer Carnival	5/12/19	Principals Big Day out with Year 6.
29/10/19	Orara High School Taster Day	12/12/19	School Presentation Night
1/11/19	Friday Swimming for Sport K-6	13/12/19	Friday Swimming for Sport K-6
8/11/19	Friday Swimming for Sport K-6	16/12/19	Year 6 Dinner / Family Fun Night
15/11/19	Friday Swimming for Sport K-6	17/12/19	School Big Day Out
22/11/19	Friday Swimming for Sport K-6	18/12/19	Last Day of school for students 2019
	OVLC Maths Enrichment Day - Stage 2/3		

Welcome to Term 4, Week 1.

I would like to thank Mrs Lessells and the whole staff for the fantastic job they all did in running the school in my absence at the end of last term. Thank you to all those parents who have sent in their well wishes to my family for the arrival of our grandson. This is lovely and very much appreciated.

A busy week already to start the term. **This Friday is our School Colour Fun Run.** Students received sponsorship forms back in term 3 and were asked to gather sponsors for them to either donate a nominal amount or donate per lap. This year with the support of the P&C we have made our Fun Run into a Colour Fun Run. Students will need to wear clothes to school on Friday that will be allowed to get covered in colour powder. It is a cornflour powder but could stain the clothing. **Students will need to bring another set of clothes to change into after the run so that they can return to class.** This year we are encouraging parents and community members to come along and participate if you wish. You do not have to run, you may wish to walk your lap/s, however to participate you must have at least one sponsorship. Forms are available at the office for parents, family members or community members to participate. **The run will start at 12:10pm and finish at 1:30pm.** The P&C have coloured headbands and fun glasses for the day that can be purchased as a pack for \$6. These can be purchased before the day from the canteen or on the day. Limited stock available. Please remember, if your child is an asthmatic, to bring Asthma puffer and masks are available from the office if they would prefer or is recommended to wear.

Each Year we ask for feedback from our community in regard to our school. We greatly appreciate this feedback and use it for our evaluation of the school as well as for our future planning. So far we have had 2 responses from our whole community and would like to hear from as many parents as possible. Every voice is valued! We ask, could you please completing the Tell Them From Me Survey using the following link. [Tell them from me survey](#)

Last term a note went home for the **Year 4/5/6 camp** for the beginning of 2020. At the moment we have had 6 definite participants who have also paid their deposit. The closing date for the definite interest in this camp is Tuesday 22 October, 2019. If we don't receive sufficient numbers this camp will have to be cancelled and there will not be a major excursion for years 4/5/6 in 2020. If the camp is cancelled due to insufficient interest, deposits will be returned.

I would like to **congratulate Mrs Tania Daniel** on receiving the 2019 Coffs Harbour Australian College of Educators World Teachers' Day Award. We like to celebrate the success and achievements of our excellent staff members and am sure the community join us in congratulating Mrs Daniel on her outstanding work as a caring and dedicated educator in our school. Thank you Mrs Daniel for the hard work you put in and know that you are genuinely appreciated.



Swimming for Sport starts this Thursday. Please note the dates on the term calendar as the first two weeks of term we are swimming on Thursdays, then we move to our usual Friday swimming times. Sport is a compulsory element of every students program and school experience. It is essential that all of our children not only learn to swim but hone their skills and strength in the water. Three more of our staff trained in the Austswim accredited program this year to develop skills in this important area. To support this sport program we are subsidizing the school program and the **total cost to every child for the whole term for swimming is \$8**. The remaining costs will be covered by the school. Please complete the note sent home today and return your child's \$8 this week. Don't forget all of your swimming gear this Thursday for swimming. Intensive Swimming is a separate program that will be ran over weeks 7 and 8 and separate costing and note will be sent home in the coming weeks.

We look forward to an exciting term filled with many opportunities for our students.

Have a great week.

Mrs Deanie Nicholls

K	Details of Award	1/2	Details of Award
Cooper L	Displaying focus when completing set tasks.	Diezel G	An outstanding response and explanation during our vocabulary lesson
Evie L	Learning to be reflective and accept feedback.	Eva G	Being a resilient learner during numeracy
Jaxon N	Showing co-operative learner qualities.	Sheng Li S	An incredible and well written response to our class read to.
Aria S	Showing kindness by always including others.	Anna E	Dedication towards improving her reading level.
Trez E	Engaging in all aspects of literacy to improve reading and writing.	Sophie B	Her attentive and active listening skills

2/3	Details of Award	3/4	Details of Award
Georgie F	For having a growth mindset during challenging tasks.	Vinnie H	Showing good focus when working independently.
Marley M	Working hard to edit her own writing	Noah F	Showing his working when solving maths problems.
Laura W	Writing every convincing persuasive text on why everyone should have siblings.	Alyssa C	Using better vocab in her writing.
Madison M	Improving her focus during math lessons	Makayla H	Continually developing her decoding skills to allow her to read more complex texts.
Tom M	Consistently trying his best in all areas	Logan C	Showing excellent growth with his reading.

4/5	Details of Award	5/6	Details of Award
Alex C	Great focus during writing activities.	Nico T	Using various strategies to solve worded problems
Zali H	Her rhyming skills during writing activities.	Max K	His fantastic work on class projects
Ava W	A great effort with her homework.	Jules B	Including more Tier 2 words in his writing
Samuel G	His vocabulary discussions and definitions.	Max C	His great sportsmanship
Bodhi P	A consistent effort in all his classroom tasks.	Liam A	His engaging puppet performance

RFF	Details of Award	RFF	Details of Award
Hayden M	His efforts in his speaking assignment	Hunter Z	For her insightful comments and contributions to class discussions during science.
Charlie F	His willingness to teach others	Akira A	For approaching learning with enthusiasm and cheerfulness and a willingness to do her best work.

Marshall J	His outstanding Asia Project	Maya E	Her commitment to her learning and for being a dependable class member.
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Principal	Details of Award	Principal	Details of Award
Amber L	Excellent application to her Art tasks.	Ryan W	Being a positive role model to his peers
Isabella D	A consistent effort in all his classroom tasks.	Isabella M	Being a resilient learner and challenging herself to improve.
Archer L	Consistently displaying a growth mindset in his learning.		

Student of the Week	Details of Award	Student of the Week	Details of Award
Coco A	Commitment to all areas of her schooling.	Maya E	Always having a positive attitude, in and out of the classroom.
Archie F	For his courteous manner to staff and peers	Talan V	Persistence in her painting activities.
Angus B	Working independently to complete his persuasive writing assessment.	Marshall J	His fantastic classroom behaviour.

Name	Bronze / Silver / Gold	Name	Bronze / Silver / Gold	Name	Bronze / Silver / Gold
Makayla H	Gold	Josee P	Gold	Zali H	Gold
Amber L	Gold	Josie M	Gold	Alyssa C	Gold
Keira B	Gold	Laura W	Gold	Sharnie C	Gold
Damien H	Gold	Wren L	Gold	Layla J	Gold
Bridget J	Gold	Chayce X	Gold	Layla B	Gold
Layla P	Silver	Grace P	Silver	Coco A	Silver
Ethan P	Bronze	Saxon B	Bronze	Scarlett S	Bronze
Mason C	Bronze	Josie M	Bronze		

What's Working Well in Class 4/5

At the end of last Term 4/5 combined with 3/4 to look at the camera angles used in movie productions. This was to help prepare us for our very exciting Stem Share Kits arriving this term. We experimented with close ups, mid-range, long shots and aerial views. This term, Year 4/5 are continuing with their design project based on their learning in the unit of Space. Students are designing a moon buggy to retrieve diamonds that have been deposited onto the moon from a meteor that passed through the diamond rain of Uranus. Students are thinking creatively to meet the build specifications and are having to critically evaluate plans before 'funding' is approved for each of their builds. Diamond exploration on the moon is a very expensive business!



Looking forward to Term 4 we are finalising our Haiku poetry and dinosaur puppets for our class presentations. The students have put in such a focussed effort with their creations.



We are all very excited for a busy Term of sport with swimming at the pool, the colour run and softball carnivals.
Corrine Happ and Tasmyn Lessels

P & C News

We have a new canteen manager starting this term. Thank you for all your time and effort Kelly and welcome to the role Krystie.

Canteen will be open Monday and Friday for Term 4.

A new canteen roster is being finalised this week and will be available in next weeks newsletter.



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WEEK 1 COMMUNITY NEWS

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Advertisements, will run for a maximum of five weeks, unless prior arrangement with the school



Education

High Performing Students Team

Applying for Year 7 entry to selective high schools

in **2021**

Thinking of applying for
a government selective
high school for Year 7
in 2021?

You must apply online at:

education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/selective-high-schools-and-opportunity-classes/year-7



Key Dates

Application website opens:
8 October 2019

Application website closes:
10 pm, 11 November 2019
You must apply before this deadline.

Test authority advice sent to all applicants:
27 February 2020

Selective High School placement test:
12 March 2020

Placement outcome information sent
overnight on:
4 July 2020

**Please read this booklet carefully before
applying.**

Parents should check the website at
education.nsw.gov.au/shs-oc regularly
throughout the application and placement
process.

Please check the website for information
before you contact the Team.

The Selective High Schools placement process for Year 7 entry is administered by the
High Performing Students Team*.

Contact Details:

High Performing Students Team, NSW Department of Education
Email: ssu@det.nsw.edu.au
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Postal Address: Locked Bag 53, DARLINGHURST NSW 1300
Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/772251106301086/>

Please Note:

* In this document, the High
Performing Students Team is
referred to as the Team.

'Parent' is defined under the
Education Act, 1990, as a
'guardian or other person
having custody or care of a child'



Coffs Harbour High School

YEAR 7 2020

<i>Principal</i> <i>Ms Patti Kearns</i>	<i>Year 7 Deputy Principal</i> <i>Mr Connel Field</i>	<i>Year 7 Advisor</i> <i>Mr Kai Lawson</i>
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IMPORTANT DATES

Parent Information night – Thursday 14th November 2019 – 5:00pm – 6:30pm

- This is your chance to learn more about the school, our programs, structure and activities, as well as a chance to meet key staff. Afternoon tea provided
- Tours of the school commence at 5.00pm with the Information Session from 5:30pm in the school hall
- If parents would like to purchase **uniforms** or **book packs** the canteen will be open from 3:30pm to 5:30pm
- Parents will be handed an Orientation Information Pack
- 2019 Year 7 students are welcome to attend

Orientation day for ALL students - Tuesday 3rd December 2019

- Please ensure students come dressed in their Primary School uniform
- Please ensure students bring morning tea, a drink, (lunch is provided) and covered shoes
- Students will engage in activities with their peer support teams and have sample lessons
- Parents are welcome to join children from 9.00am – 9.30am in the hall
- Students may be collected from 3.00pm or go home on the bus from 3.20pm

1st day of attendance for Year 7 students – Wednesday 29th January 2020

FAMILY FUN • MUSIC • FOOD + DRINK



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Presenting White Water ♦ Bang Bang ♦ Pauline Stephens Band
Sara Louise Band ♦ Sawtell Ukulele Group ♦ Max's Pipe Band
Smile Squad Children's Show (plus all day roaming performances)

12pm - 10pm Ulong Exservicemen & Womens Club, 60 Pine Ave, Ulong NSW

Camping Enquiries Carol 66545320 Festival Enquiries Alan 0407968788

• *Free Admission* •