Dear Parents/Carers

Maive McKenzie
Kinder/Year 1

Other Assembly Award Recipients
Madison Thomas, Kohan Vidler, Lily Jung, Oskar Dale, Kaden Collier

School Bus Service
Last Friday 22nd February, Bruce’s Bus Service was advised by the SES not to run the service due to the impending torrential rain and gale force winds predicted by the Bureau of Meteorology. Announcements came over the local radio stations from early Friday morning.

When I arrived at school parents were already driving their children to school. Many parents thought they had missed the bus. At no time did the SES or the Bus Company contact the school with this information before school commenced on Friday morning.

I spoke with Bruce’s Bus Service later during the day and we discussed ways in which we could improve communication in future situations so we can be better informed at school and communicate with parents accordingly. Thankfully these types of situations are rare.

We had many calls from parents throughout the day enquiring about whether the bus was running in the afternoon. I sincerely thank those families who so readily stepped in to ensure their students arrived at school and were collected in the afternoon.

I would also like to thank the wonderful staff of Caniaba who went over and above the ‘call of duty’ to ensure all students were cared for – even to the extent of transporting students home when parents were unable to pick them up. I have the very great privilege of working with a team of people who are caring and professional at all times. Certainly they are one of the best teams I have ever worked with.
School Photographs – Tuesday 26th March
Information and ordering envelopes from the Photographer have been attached to this newsletter. Whilst this is still more than 3 weeks away I am sending them out now to give you notice considering the financial outlay.

These need to be returned by the day with money included if you would like your child to be included.

Sally McPherson, School Admin Manager.

North Coast Zone PSSA Swimming Carnival
Seth Geurts, Samantha Light and Chad Pethers-Morrissey represented us at the Northern Rivers PSSA Swimming carnival today. Seth and Samantha have successfully qualified for Regional at Coffs Harbour. Well done to all our students.

Closing Thought:
"Nothing is impossible. The word itself says 'I'm possible'!" -- Audrey Hepburn

Jude Voisey, Principal.

Canteen Roster

Tomorrow
Organiser: Jenny Alldis
Serve: Bernie Huxtable 0403 581 432
Supplier: Julie Sparke ($20 option), Pat Huxtable, Rebecca Owens 6662 7573

Next Week – Friday 8th March
Organiser: Mandy Hurley
Serve: Johneen Pethers
Supplier: Traci Duncan ($20 option), Janelle Shackel 0468 688 376, Jennie Ireland 0432 200 918

Organisers: Please ring your servers and suppliers during the week as a gentle reminder of their turn on roster.
P&C Information

Next Meeting
The first meeting of the Caniaba Public School P&C Association will be held on

TONIGHT - Thursday 28th February
School Library
commencing at 7pm.

This first meeting of the year is an introduction/getting to know you meeting and not the Annual General Meeting.

We encourage and welcome all families to attend. The P&C meetings are a wonderful way to keep in touch with what’s happening in the school and a great opportunity to have input into decisions concerning our children.

Hope to see you there,
Deb Da Fre, President  Enquiries 6663 1327 AH.

COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Caniaba Group Fitness
Thursdays 6pm at the Hall $10
Due to unforeseen circumstances these classes have been postponed for a couple of weeks. I will notify you when they recommence. I regret any inconvenience.

Linda Hart 0423 956 585