Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome to Week 8.

**NRL Skill Development**
During the week the senior class enjoyed a very hot session with some NRL Development Officers. Next Wednesday the Officers will return again to have a session with all of our students.

**P&C Living Fundraiser**
Congratulations to Connor Duncan who won a $20 ITunes voucher for raising the most money. Please make sure all goods and/or money is returned as soon as possible.

**Rivers P-12 2015 Musical**
Caniaba PS is part of the Rivers P-12 which incorporates 36 schools (Primary & Secondary) in our local area. Next year there are plans underway to involve all of our schools in a production of Aladdin. Please see last week’s newsletter for the attached information sheet which also outlines the opportunity for students to audition for parts.

**Food for Farmers**
We have had an amazing response to the donation of non-perishable food items to support our farmers who are still suffering through drought. Items can still be sent to school until 2nd December and we will make sure they are delivered to Anne Thompson who has been supporting this for many years now. What a wonderful initiative this is – I remember supporting this a number of years ago when I was a Preschool Director.

**Staffing**
Sadly Sally Mansfield has had to take leave for the rest of the year to care for her husband recovering from major shoulder surgery. We welcome Mrs Burley replacing Sally.

**Closing Thought:**
"The truth is, unless you let go, unless you forgive yourself, unless you forgive the situation, unless you realize that that situation is over, you cannot move forward." -- Steve Maraboli

Jude Voisey, Principal.
Canteen News:

I would like to thank everyone for their contributions, their efforts and above all, support for the makeover our canteen has achieved.

The P&C has been fantastic in supporting my 'out there' idea's that have manifested and made Caniaba school unique in some way.

To reflect on the year:-

We have achieved -
* A visit from the Mayor of Lismore 'Jenny Dowell'
* Media attention from the Northern Star, The Echo and a write up in Northern rivers family magazine.
* A huge gift of 3 new fridges from Farmer Charlie's. This has changed our school as parents can now send in much more healthy variety and it stays chilled. In the weather we have had lately 'what a bonus'.
* Healthy eating poster competition, this bought further understanding to our children's thoughts on healthy food.
* An amazing Easter raffle and disco. Supported by the whole school community to raise funds.
*abundant local business support especially 'Pirlo's'.
*Wonderful parent help and supply with the canteen, can't do it without you. Thank you.

It goes on and on and now I'm sure you know why I'm grateful for your support :)

Thank you to everyone!

Next year will see some new exciting events. I promise you that.

Pete for Canteen Committee.