Welcome to Week 9.

Newspapers in Education
We received news this week of our Highly Commended Award from our Newspapers in Education entry. This is the second year in a row that Caniaba Public School has won something in this category. Both stories – from this year and last year – were written by Josie McGovern under the guidance of Mr Osterio. Well done Josie, Mr Osterio and the 4/5/6 class who submitted the entry.

Lost Property
We have an enormous amount of lost property – mostly jumpers etc. from winter, although we still have some swimming gear from Intensive Swimming. None of these items have names. If you are missing anything please come and check before these items are sold as second hand uniforms.

Xmas Tree/Year 6 Assembly
Our annual Xmas Tree night is on Tuesday 16th December beginning with a picnic tea at 5:30 p.m. Our visitor will be arriving around 7 p.m. There is a $10 maximum limit on gifts. These can be brought to the school (clearly labelled) before the night. The Year 6 Assembly and speeches will begin at 11 a.m. on the same day.

End of Year Celebrations
The last day of school for Year 6 students is Tuesday 16th December. The last day of school for all other students is Wednesday 17th December. On this day we will be going to Goonellabah Sports and Aquatic Centre for some fun. Year 6 students will be going to Surfing School in Byron Bay on Monday 15th December as an end-of-year treat.
NRL Skill Development
Yesterday all classes enjoyed a very hot session with the NRL Development Officers. Kel and Milo are wonderful with our students and the skill development is excellent.

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. The items were picked up earlier this week. Thank you everyone who responded to this so well.

Closing Thought:
"And the day came when the risk to remain tight in a bud was more painful than the risk it took to blossom.” -- Anais Nin

Jude Voisey, Principal.

Canteen Roster

Tomorrow
Organiser: Deb Regeling
Helper: Doug Fryer
Supplier: Angela Parsons ($20 option)
Maree Kirkland 0481 043 367
Salina Edmonds 0429 150 088

Next Week
Organiser: Deb Regeling
Helper: Stef Hepburn
Supplier: Vanessa McKenzie ($20 option)
Suzanne Dhesi 0410 545 166

LIBRARY
ALL LIBRARY BOOKS ARE TO BE RETURNED BY NEXT THURSDAY 11TH DEC

PERMISSION NOTE
End of Year Activity Years Kinder to Year 5 – Aquatic Centre

I give permission for my child/children…………………………………………………………………………………………………..to travel to the Aquatic Centre by bus on Wednesday 17th December to participate in water activities. Lunch will be from 10.15 to 11.05 and then the students will depart so they will need to pack recess. The contribution we asking you to make towards the event is $5 per student. This partly covers the Aquatic Centre fee and bus.

Signed: ……………………………………………… Amount enclosed $...............