Dear parents and carers,

Thank you to everyone who supported the Trivia night last Saturday. It was a great opportunity to sell more of the raffle tickets for the fundraiser and to enjoy the community spirit. Joe Weller, as the enthusiastic organiser, was thrilled with the support that the Trivia Nights have brought to the fundraiser and the generosity of everyone involved, including the support of the Candelo Bowling Club.

The realisation of the fundraising to raise $2600 for iPads for the stage 2 and 3 classrooms is achievable, however it does take the whole school to get behind it.

ALL raffle books must be returned ready for the draw tomorrow. Good luck!

Thank you to the many parents who have organised to attend our Bookweek concert, Book Fair and Book Character Parade tomorrow, remember it starts at 11.00am.

BOOKWEEK
“Connect to reading ~ Reading to connect”
Friday 22nd August from 11am- 3pm.

- 8:45-11 Morning Bookfair display - Bookekte Books
- 11:00 Performing Arts display to showcase class items and performing arts items (all children)
- 12:30 Book Fair in library for students and parents
- 1:00 Lunch, $3 per person, and Red Cross Cake Stall just 50c per serve
- 1:45 Book Character Parade (dress up as a favourite character from a book recently read)
- 2:45 Draw for the P&C raffle (all books need to be returned for the raffle draw)

Today the children viewed the Book Fair books and made a wish list. We hope that they have done lots of “jobs” at home so they can earn some book fair money. (There will be some second hand books also available at affordable prices).

Friday: Red Cross morning tea (K-2 bring cakes, slices and biscuits to the canteen before school).
Lunch (Years 3 – 6 will each be asked to bring a plate of delicious finger food to the canteen before school).
The cost will be $3.00 per plate for lunch – the proceeds will support the Stage 3 excursion program.

2.45 P&C RAFFLE draw! You could win a holiday to Sydney valued over $2000!

Families are asked to make a fun day by inviting parents and grandparents, preschool children and families as well as community members and neighbours.

SASS celebrations this week enabled us to reflect on the wonderful work of our support personnel in the school. Thank you Ros, Amanda, Allan and Penny for your work in the office to provide effective communication with parents and support for students, especially in the sick bay. Thank you to Jenny, Wendy and Kacey who make such a difference every day for so many children in each class. The individual support for each child is made possible with your help!

Attachments:
Year 5 / 6 Excursion note.
The SCLC DVD orders are well underway however we received a message from Ross Mannell, who has caught a nasty bug, that the delivery will now most likely be early next week. Please make sure that you have ordered your DVD by forwarding $10 to the office.

Kindergarten Enrolments and new enrolments for 2015 are asked to contact the office for enrolment forms and information booklet about the school. Ms Johansen will invite the preschool children to visit us along with their parents so new families can become familiar with the school as part of our transition program. Do you know a young family who needs this information? Please invite them to come to the school to meet us and extend an invitation to our Book Week program on Friday 22 August.

AASC
There are still spaces available for cricket with Dave Allen and Sophie Martin for the next two Monday afternoons after school. The next session of Lawn Bowls will be held on Wednesday afternoons. A healthy afternoon tea is served each week so come along and have fun and learn some new skills.

SPORT
- AFL skill sessions for each class will continue this Monday and next Monday during fitness time.
- Stage 2 Tag Footy Gala Day is planned for Wednesday 10 September at Bega Fields (parent drivers please).
- Premiers Sporting Challenge continues for the next 2 weeks of term 3. The children will complete their cards each week for each 20 minute period of activity to try to reach their Diamond award.

PERFORMING ARTS
- Hallway Gallery – A brand new display to show work from the children in preparation for Book Week. Come along and visit the Hallway gallery in the admin building.
- An in-school Public Speaking Competition for Stage 2 and Stage 3 students is being planned for Wednesday 3 September. We will need to select two stage 2 students and two stage 3 students to attend the Small Schools Public Speaking Challenge on Thursday 11th September (venue tba). **Stage 2 topic** - 'The Power of Fingers’ a 3 minute monologue and a 1 minute improvised talk on a random topic. **Stage 3 topic** - ‘The Value of Neighbours’ a 4 minute monologue and a 1 minute improvised talk on a random topic. **Children will need support to research and prepare for their speech** for the in school challenge on Wednesday 3 September during the morning session. Two children will represent the school at the Small Schools Challenge Thursday 11 September.
- Children in performance groups will be asked to perform at Book Week on Friday 22 August. (Students in Recorder, Dance and SCLC Choir) as well as class and band items. Costumes and full school uniform (to include the school jacket) is required for the presentation. Children in dance who are yet to pay the $10 fee for materials will be reminded this week.
- SCIP program each Wednesday - the children will need to bring their instrument each week, check the timetable for their lesson and make sure they practice each day.
- Premiers Spelling Bee finals will be held at Sunshine Bay PS Batemans Bay Wednesday 10 September.

**STUDENT WELFARE**
- Congratulations to Lana, Amelia, Jez, Annabelle and Angus who have reached their Silver Award.
- At our next term assembly we would like to invite parents to nominate their child to showcase a performance piece. We are aware that some children have private music or dance lessons and may have a special piece at performance standard, for our very appreciative audience. Could you please contact the office and Mrs Bourke to discuss the nomination.
- Have you visited the DEC news articles available at our website – they are up to date and address many concerns that parents have (see more at www.candelo-p.schools.det.nsw.edu.au).
- Stage 3 Jindabyne excursion (Wednesday to Friday 5-7 November) Expression of Interest will come home today. Deposits are due by August 30.

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ENVIRONMENT NEWS
Thank you to Bevan Airey for his kind donation of a range of seeds for the garden. Ms Martin’s garden group as part of the Peer Support group, will be busy planting some of them ready for Spring.

Library: Premiers Reading Challenge (PRC) Students in Stage 2 and Stage 3 should go to https://products.schools.nsw.edu.au/prc/home.html to enter books read. Our goal is 100% participation so teachers and parents are asked to support children in their reading goal. FRIDAY 22 AUGUST is the closing date for the PRC.

School Canteen:
- No Canteen this Friday due to the Book Week Fair. Lunch, provided by Stage 2 and stage 3 parents will be served for all at a cost of $3.00 this Friday. All proceeds go to the Stage 3 Excursion to Jindabyne. Thank you for your support.

Stage 1 News:
We have been busy putting together a little routine for the Book Fair performance tomorrow. Today I’ve sent home a simple ‘dress’ request for the performance tomorrow. School black pants and a coloured T-shirt (long or short sleeve) that would be suitable colours for the season that your child represents in the song. More detail on the note. If you do not have something suitable at hand please don’t worry, school uniform will be fine. I’m very sorry about the late notice! Please bring RED CROSS foods to the canteen in the morning to be sold at lunch. Thanks again for your support and donation.

Don’t forget the class performances and assembly starts at 11:00, followed by a luncheon ($3). Children will then change into costumes after lunch ready for the parade at 2:00pm. Hope to see you all tomorrow.

Awards this Week:
Measurement - Jessica and Jessie
Learning Rule - Ash and Ruby

As I mentioned last week Ms Garden will be taking the reins in the classroom next week while I care for my mother, and I will return on Wed 3rd of Sept. Keep collecting small plastic juice bottles (250–300 mls) for Ms Gardens special class activity.

Till next week, Deb Johansen

Stage 2 News:
Students are looking forward to Book Week activities this Friday where some students will be reciting their poetry at the assembly.

A big welcome to Sophie French who has joined our class this week.

Students in Year 3 and Year 4 are writing and practicing to deliver a 3 minute speech on the Power of Hands. We have brainstormed ideas, could you talk and work with your child on their speeches. Towards the end of next week we will be presenting in class and two students will be selected to present on the 11th September at the Small Schools Public Speaking Event.

Awards this Week:
Measurement: Rebecca and Chase
Goal Setting: Sophie and Chanel
Thank you, Noeleen Lumby

Stage 3 News:
Our HSIE research for the Asian country for the home and school project has been a major learning activity. Being able to meet deadlines and produce quality work was one of the goals and congratulations to the many students who achieved this. Parents can see the work when they visit the library tomorrow.

Which character have the children chosen for the dress up parade? is the next big decision. We will now work to develop a power point or animato presentation due by week 8 to showcase artefacts and music/musical instruments (or pictures); cooking food to share with a small group of students is due in week 10 in an Asian expose for all of the children to visit. The children will need to create the traditional clothing to wear for the display (where possible) for week 10’s exhibition.

Congratulations Annabelle, Angus, Oscar, Jordan, Lachlan and Jazmyn who have recorded 20 PRC books. One day to go children!! Friday.

Other challenges: Premiers Spelling Challenge (Regional Wednesday 10 September), the in-school Spelling Bee Challenge will take place on Tuesday 2 September. Public Speaking Challenge - Year 4 - 'The Power of Fingers and Year 5/6 - 'The Value of Neighbours'.

Our inschool Public Speaking challenge will be held on Wednesday 3 September during the morning session. Small Schools Public Speaking Challenge Thursday 11 September.

See you at the BOOK FAIR this Friday! We are all very excited!

Awards this week:
Great effort in Publishing research work: Daisy, Oscar, Bailey
Achieving goals: Kaiden and Archer

Regards, Suezanne Bourke
Bronze Award Recipients

Deja Dallas Jake
Daisy Bianca James
Lachlan Oliver Zarleigh
Jazmyn Kaiden

Library News:
Congratulations to the following wonderful children who have borrowed consistently from the School Library throughout 2014. Tomorrow at the ASSEMBLY, these children will be awarded their $10 voucher towards buying a book from the book fair. They are: Aidan, James, Lachlan, Carl, Joseph, Lucy, Nyna, Jessica, Brodie and Ruby.
WELL DONE EVERYONE!

P&C News:
Our Sydney Holiday raffle will be drawn tomorrow at the Book Fair at 2:45pm, can all books and monies please be returned to the office ASAP. If you have misplaced your book please see the office to fill out a form. The P&C would like to thank all who have gone out of their way to make the donation of iPads in the classroom possible. Looking for 3 or more volunteers for the October markets as our regular contributors will be away, if you can assist on this day Sunday 5th October it would be greatly appreciated.
Our next P&C meeting will be held Wednesday 27th August from 5:30pm in the school library, ALL welcome, would be great to see more people involved, hope to see you there.
Cheers Joe 0419 013 740

SCIP News:
Band & Aeros: Please remember your instrument and music tomorrow (Fri 21st Aug) as we are performing at Book week.
Term 3 concert: I am planning to hold the SCIP Term 3 concert on the last Wednesday of term (Wed Sept 17) at 5.00pm. Please note this date in your diaries.
Timetable change: Due to the Stage 2 Tag Footy Gala Day in week 9 on Wednesday 10th September lessons will move to a different day that week. I will let you know the new day soon.
If you would like to join SCIP or want further information, please contact me.
Helen Gill 6493 2448

Community News:
Latin Dance Classes
Saturdays 11am – 12:15pm Candelo Hall.
ONLY $10.00 per person
All proceeds to Candelo Public School
Call Paul on 64932338 for more info.