Principal’s Report

I am so proud of our students and staff for the wonderful Concert last Thursday evening. It was a magical evening with our students shining on stage. They did a fantastic job. Thankyou to all who helped make this such a terrific concert, including the parents and community who were a fantastic and supportive audience.

I know many of you took photos. We would love you to send some to us to share in the newsletter and to show the students how great they really were. I would appreciate if you could send photos to me at kathleen.johnston@det.nsw.edu.au.

Thankyou to parents who have already responded to assist with the Yr 6 Farewell. It promises to be a wonderful evening.

Nimbin Central Yr 6 Orientation ‘Taster Days”
On Tuesday, some of our Yr 6 will attend their first of three orientation days at NCS. We wish them well.

Intensive Swimming
This week our students commenced their Intensive Swimming Week. This is a wonderful opportunity for students to develop this important life skill. The program also caters for more proficient swimmers as they undertake important life saving survival and rescue skills. A huge thank you to our parents who volunteered to assist with you younger students.

FOR SALE
White melamine sewing table/writing desk size 133cm X 71cm. Drawers & side cupboard. GOOD CONDITION. $20. Those interested can telephone Lyn on 66897315
Recycling Roster Term 4

Thank you to all Recycling volunteers for this term, especially those who offered again. Here is the roster so far:

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<td>7 - 19th Nov</td>
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<td>10 - 10th Dec</td>
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As has been customary for many years at BVPS, we will hold a special dinner for our departing Year 6 students on Tuesday 15th December which will essentially be catered for by parents of our Year 5 students. The dinner is for Years 5 and 6 students as well as parents of Year 6 students.

The dinner will be held in the school Hall commencing at 6.00pm. Following the dinner and official proceedings, the Year 5 and 6 students will enjoy a disco. We ask that parents of Year 5 students (and any other parents who may wish to help) indicate below how they are able to assist. I would also appreciate a volunteer who may wish to help co-ordinate the arrangements for the evening. Thank you.

Year 6 Farewell Catering

I am happy to supply the following (Please circle and provide details if needed) :-

Cheese or 'nibbles' platter

Salad        Green    Potato    Coleslaw    Pasta    Rice    Other ......................

Hot dish     Vegetarian .................. Meat dish ......................

Lasagne      Meat        Vegetable

Cold Meat    Ham        Chicken      Other...............

Other ...................... Dessert ......................

Fruit Platter

Name ...........................................................................
The World According to James

Performing It's a Big Small World

Presented by Musica Viva in Schools

Musica Viva has been inspiring students throughout Australia for over thirty years. More than thirty groups from all genres of music tour to over 1000 schools each year. This year there will be a performance at your child's school by The World According to James.

The World According to James produces the undeniably cool sound that jazz is famous for; smooth, toe-tappin' and finger snapping. Fronted by Australia's leading jazz trombonist, James Greening, the quartet is among Australia's most respected jazz groups. The World According to James takes students from the rainforests of Australia to the streets of Buenos Aires, exploring styles as diverse as free jazz and modern tango along the way. This performance offers real opportunities for students to get creative; they'll dance, play body percussion and help the group create improvised compositions. Never before has music education been this cool.

This performance is part of your school's learning program and builds on preparatory work done in the classroom utilising The World According to James resource kit. The kit's teaching resources are linked directly to the music curriculum as well as other curriculum areas, especially literacy and numeracy.

We would be delighted if you could come to the performance. There is no charge for parents/carers and community members.

When: Thursday 3rd of December

10am

Where: BVPS Hall

Cost: $5 per student

I give permission for my child/children to attend the Musica Viva In Schools concert It's a Big Small World by The World According to James and enclose $           (per child)

Signed

Parent/Guardian
FREE Community Concert featuring
The World According to James

The World According to James: fronted by Australia’s leading jazz trombonist James Greening, the quartet is among Australia’s most respected jazz groups.

Saturday December 5, 2015
3-4pm
Northern Rivers Conservatorium
(Corner Keen & Magellan Streets) Lismore
FREE EVENT!