Principal’s Report

Congratulations to the students and staff who have been part of the high quality, entertaining items that Inverell Public School has performed at the Inverell Eisteddfod. I was very proud of our student’s superb presentation in their uniforms, focus on their teachers and commitment to their ‘team’ – all the makings of great performances. I extend a huge thanks to our students who were outstanding ambassadors for their school. Special thanks to Mrs Hare who has assisted with the school choirs throughout the year.

Last week we recognised Science Week. On Friday Mrs Beattie, Mrs Aitken and Mrs Williams organised a terrific practical science day about “Making Waves, The Science of Light”. Children were engaged in science learning activities such as making kaleidoscopes, studying the refraction of light, using light boxes and learning about light, shade and images. Curiosity and problem solving were the hallmarks of a special learning event.

The Early Birds program is in full swing. Our 2016 Kindergarten students are enjoying becoming familiar with the school and school routines. Thankyou to Mrs Griffin who has coordinated the program, and to the Kindergarten team for their enthusiasm and support for our youngest students.

These high quality learning opportunities could not occur without the commitment of time, effort and energy by the Inverell PS staff that takes us beyond the general day to day school operation.

SCIENCE DAY FRIDAY 21ST AUGUST
MAKING WAVES—The Science of Light

Students having an enlightening time during Science Week and Friday’s special activities. Thank you to Mr Gaias and his Year 9 Science students from Macintyre High who contributed greatly to the day!

UP AND COMING
28/8 Regional Athletics Tamworth
1,2,3/9 Early Birds
1,2/9 Fathers Day Stall
3/9 Shine / Strength
8/9 Touch Football Gala Day
9/9 Walkathon
12/9 Kindergarten 2016, Open Day 11-2
18/9 Last Day Term 3
We are once again seeking your support in this annual fund raising event. The children are requested to gather sponsorship. Sponsors may elect to provide a straight donation or donate a set amount per lap of the course completed – the maximum (completed in past years) was 29 laps.

**PRIZE RAFFLE:** Prizes will be in the form of a giant raffle. Your child will get a ticket for every $5 raised. Tickets also for Infants every 5 laps walked and Primary for every 10 laps walked.

**POINTS TO REMEMBER:** Your child’s sponsor sheet should be handed to the class teacher by the day of the Walkathon – Friday 12th September.

**NO MONEY is to be brought to school on Wednesday 9th September.**

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**INVERELL’S GOT TALENT:**
**Friday 23rd October, 2015 in Town Hall.**

Two sections Junior (school years 5 to 8) and Senior Nomination forms available at the school office or Inverell Tourist Information Centre. Auditions/Rehearsals will be held in the Town Hall on Tuesday, 20th October. A Workshop will be held for entrants who wish to attend Sunday, 18th October at Inverell High School commencing at 2pm.

More information - contact Tim Newberry, Phone 67210093, Mob. 0427506874.

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**FATHERS DAY STALL**

The P&C will be hosting a Fathers Day Stall on Wednesday 2nd and Thursday 3rd September

**COST is $5.00 per gift**

(all gifts are wrapped)

**PLEASE BRING MONEY ON THE DAY**

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**CANTEEN ROSTER**

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