Brighter is Better Giggle Day

The Giggle Day was incredibly well supported yesterday, raising $400 for Camp Quality’s 1000kms for Cancer Ride. The ride saw 35 cyclists riding from Dream World on the Gold Coast to Newcastle. Students were enthralled with the Camp Quality puppeteers who delivered a message about how we can support kids with cancer through knowledge, medicine and the power of positive thinking. The Inverell Public School community were honoured to have this great event pass through our school and would like to thank Camp Quality organisers for giving us a wonderful presentation.

Chess

Last Friday, 15 eager students travelled to Tamworth for a one day chess Tournament. There were 150 students in total competing from a number of schools all over the North West region. Students competed in teams of 3 against other schools. Each of our teams experienced mixed success but came away very satisfied with their efforts and are much improved chess players. Students are eager to participate in weekly games as part of our Chess Club.
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**P&C Fundraiser - Walkathon 2015**

Thank you to everyone who participated in the Walkathon. This is a major fundraising event for our school and we appreciate the sponsorship parents/carers and students have collected. Money and sheets are to be returned to the classroom teachers by Friday 18th September to earn your raffle tickets to go into the prize draw. The raffle will be drawn early Term 4. Thank you to all of the families who came on the day and supported this great event.

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Any queries contact Suzi Mills 0427 254 600 or Madonna Ballinger 0488 248 256. Tickets available from the NAB in Byron St or Inverell Medical Centre.

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4A had an Aboriginal Elder visit their class last week. Mrs Jerrard talked to the class about growing up at Goonoowigall and what it was like to live there. They asked the Elder many questions and really enjoyed the visit.

4A would like to thank Mrs Jerrard for visiting and Miss Jerrard for organising her mum to visit.

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IPS is holding an Open Day this Saturday 12th September for 2016 Kindergarten students from 11am-2pm. Please take this opportunity to visit the classrooms to view the inner workings of a quality educational setting. Teachers will be on hand to answer any questions you may have.