Principal’s Report

Today we held our Mothers Day Luncheon, Thank you to all of our visitors that joined us for a delicious lunch of tomato and basil soup with indian flat bread. We were entertained by our students performing their poems for two and Mrs Warnock also recited a beautiful Mothers Day poem she wrote for her Mother. Thankyou to everyone for coming along, we have attached the recipe to this weeks newsletter for you to try at home!

We also celebrated Stewart House Day today with an out of uniform day, we collected a gold coin donation, we will be adding this to our milo money from this term to send to Stewart House, we will let you know the grand total at the end of the term!

NAPLAN will be held next week, our year 3 students will be completing these assessments each morning on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Further information about these assessments are attached for our year 3 students.

Narrabri Zone Cross Country will be held on Friday 22nd May, Student who are turning 8 or older this year are eligible to attend this carnival. The carnival will be held in Bellata and will begin at 10 am. Students wishing to attend will require transport to and from the carnival, we will require parents that will be able available to assist the operations on the day, if you are able to help out please ensure you fill in the attached permission note and availability form. This needs to be returned to school by Wednesday 13th May.

The Narrabri District Community Aid Services have kindly organised for us to again experience their Interactive Crocodile Encounters Program. We will be attending this program in Narrabri on Thursday 21st May. More information regarding costs and travel will be handed out next week. NDCAS Protective Behaviours workshops began this week, our students enjoyed working with Sharon and Jackie from NDCAS on feelings and early warning responses. Students were excited to share some of the stories and were all excited to come home and demonstrate to their families the balloon analogy.

This week we have had painters in our school, this work has been completed as part of our routine building maintenance.

Mrs Rebecca Langdon, Director NSW Public School Barwon network will be visiting our school on Tuesday this week we are excited to show Mrs Langdon some of the things we have been upto.

Our afternoon tea roster has now begun for afterschool tennis, this week the Calsena Family will be providing us with a lovely healthy afternoon tea.

A P&C meeting will be held this Tuesday. 12th May at 6pm in the library.

Happy Mothers Day to all of our Mothers and Grandmothers, We hope you enjoy the day on Sunday in appreciation for all that you all do for us, Thank you.

Have a wonderful week,

Rebecca Smith
**Calendar**

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**After School Sport Afternoon Tea**

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**P&C RAFFLE**

to be drawn at Jazz up the creek June 13th 2015

1st Prize Trailor load of fire wood
2nd Prize painting by Judy Nobilo
3rd Prize Massage by Happy Days With Helping Hands

**WANTED**

We are after volunteers to come along and help out in the library, this would involve covering books and putting library books away. Come and see us in the office or call 0267944502 for more information.
Recipes from our Mother's Day Luncheon

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**Tomato & Basil Soup**

**Ingredients:**
- 1 medium onion, diced
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 2 tbsp olive oil
- 2 cups chicken broth
- 2 cups fresh tomato juice
- 8 oz canned tomatoes, drained
- 1 tbsp dried basil
- 1 tsp dried oregano
- Salt and pepper
- 1/2 cup heavy cream
- 2 tbsp fresh basil leaves, chopped

**Instructions:**
1. In a large pot, sauté the onion and garlic in olive oil until soft.
2. Add the chicken broth, tomato juice, and canned tomatoes.
3. Bring to a boil, then reduce heat and simmer for 20 minutes.
4. Add basil and oregano, and season with salt and pepper.
5. Puree in a blender or food processor until smooth.
6. Return to the pot and stir in heavy cream. Heat through.
7. Garnish with chopped basil before serving.

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**Indian flatbread**

**Ingredients:**
- 2 cups all-purpose flour
- 1 tbsp active dry yeast
- 1 tbsp sugar
- 1 1/2 tsp salt
- 1 cup warm water
- 2 tbsp vegetable oil
- 2 tbsp milk

**Instructions:**
1. In a medium bowl, combine flour, yeast, sugar, and salt.
2. Stir in warm water, oil, and milk until a dough forms.
3. Knead on a floured surface until smooth and elastic, about 10 minutes.
4. Cover and let rise in a warm place until double in size, about 1 hour.
5. Preheat oven to 450°F. Roll out the dough to desired thickness.
6. Bake for 5-7 minutes, or until golden brown.

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**Prep time:** 15 minutes  2 servings