Principal’s Message:

STOP PRESS! Our preschool under the leadership of Aunty Donna and Uncle Ron has ben rated as “EXCEEDING” – the highest standard possible for preschools across Australia. We are very proud of this achievement – as this recognises that we provide the highest quality early childhood education in Taree - if not the mid north coast of NSW!

Congratulations Aunty Donna and Uncle Ron!
Stay strong!
Paul Sortwell

SCHOOL RESUMES FOR TERM 3 ON TUESDAY 15 JULY

Have a happy and safe Holiday!

We turn 30 this year!

Our 30th anniversary celebrations will take place on Friday 17 October (Term 4 Week 2).
We hope everyone will help us celebrate this momentous occasion!
If you know former students and/or staff - tell them about our big birthday bash!

Happy 30th Anniversary

Still the one for award winning preschool education!
Nationally consistent collection of data on school students with disability – 2014

Our school is participating in the collection of nationally consistent data on school students with disability.

We will be collecting information already available in the school about the support that is being provided to students with disability. Better data will help the Government plan for students with disability.

The data collection will have no direct impact on your child and they will not be involved in any testing process.

The NSW Department of Education and Communities will provide data to the Australian Government from all NSW public schools in such a way that no individual student or school will be able to be identified. In this way, we will ensure the privacy and confidentiality of all students.

All information is protected by privacy laws which regulate the collection, storage and disclosure of personal information. Information about the Australian Government’s Privacy Policy can be found here: http://education.gov.au/condensed-privacy-policy. Information about the NSW Government’s privacy policies can be found here: http://www.ipc.nsw.gov.au/

If you do not want your child to be counted in the data collection you must complete the attached form and return it to the school before the end of Term 2, 2014. A decision to exclude your child will not affect the support they currently receive.

If you have any questions about your child being included in the data collection please contact the school.

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Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability – 2014

I/we __________________________________________________________

Name of parent/carer

do not wish my child ______________________________________ to be counted

Name of child

for the purposes of the collection of nationally consistent data on school students with disability.

Parent/Carer signature: ____________________________ date: __________

WHAT'S HAPPENING?
WHOLE SCHOOL NAIDOC DAY AT
SALTWATER ON FRIDAY 1 AUGUST

CELEBRATING A SPECIAL MILESTONE!

PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS
We will be offering parent teacher interviews on Monday 21 July (Term 3 Week 2) so that you can discuss your child’s report with their teacher.

A note went home earlier this week – an interview time must be arranged in advance!

30 YEARS - STRONG AND SMART!