Life Education Visit
Greg, Harold and the Life Education Van will be visiting SIPS this week. Thank you to parents for your response with prompt payments. The grade appropriate sessions cover many topics included in the Health and Personal Development strands of our NSW syllabus. We are fortunate in receiving subsidy from Westpac Bank to help keep costs to a minimum for our students - $5.00 per student. All classes will be attending with their teacher. It is an important opportunity for our students to participate in fun and informative sessions.

ANZAC Day
Sussex Inlet Public School staff and students will be remembering ANZAC Day in the first week of Term 2 as the 25th April falls in the last week of the school vacation. We have been invited to participate and to sing at the community ANZAC Day service on Friday 25th. Students who would like to march as representatives of our school are asked to let Mrs Jenkinson or Ms Coyle know before Friday 11th April. Details of times will be provided when received from the RSL.

School Photos
Please return all photo orders to the office by Friday 4th April. If you would like a family photo taken please collect the order form from the office.

Junior Dragon Tag
The Junior Dragon Tag Gala Day is scheduled for 9.30am Friday 28th March at Thomson St – weather permitting.

Easter Hat Parade
On Wednesday 9th April at 12.00 o'clock our Easter Hat Parade will be held outside the infant’s classrooms. At the conclusion of the parade parents are encouraged to stay and have lunch with their child. The canteen will be having a Meal Deal which will be advertised next week.

Dates to Remember

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CLASS AWARDS
KD – Sam McNeil & Payton McDonagh
K/1H - Torlea Blume & Ewan Greenwood
1M/N - Bella Lord & Blake Jones
2/3N - Finn Lohmaier & Keeley Penrose
2B - Cooper Jurd & Olivia Crehan
3/4C - Jasmine Blundell & Izaak Clifton
4/5C - Alex Chatfield & Lachlan Hollier
5/6D - Shea Petersen-Flinn & Lilli Boyton
6R - Brett Young & Riley Jarrett
Sports - Blayden Robertson, Mia Cook, Jasmine Greenwood & Hollie Miles

STARFISH AWARDS
PSSA Netball
On Friday 14 March, Eleace Davidson, Meleah Halligan and Emily Gillon went to the Wool Lane Netball Courts at St. Georges Basin, for the South Shoalhaven PSSA Netball trials and selections. After playing 3 games our selector Kathy Rembisz had to pick 9 out of 25 to move on to the next round. We are very grateful to have been selected to proceed onto the next round at the Shoalhaven Netball Courts.
Meleah Halligan

Three Billy Goats Gruff
On Friday 21st March one of 3/4C’s reading groups presented the play Three Billy Goats Gruff. The play featured Kaitlin Sargood as the narrator, Tessa Miriklis as the little billy goat gruff, Billy Packam Jordan as the second billy goat gruff, Mason Cheshire as the big billy goat gruff and Thomas Dobell as the mean and ugly troll.
Chorus: Jasmine Blundell, Elizabeath Sloan, Kalvin Bown, Daniel Johnson, Gabby Christiansen.
After lots of rehearsing, everyone performed very well. The three billy goat’s gruff managed to out smart the troll and get across the bridge to the fresh green grass. The audience loved the play and gave a huge round of applause at the end.
Well done everyone in the play.

Harmony Day
Last Friday 21st March, Sussex Inlet Public School celebrated Harmony Day and recognised the National Day of Action against Bullying. We all wore something orange, and made an amazing display of Harmony Day balloons which looked very colourful and exciting, representing unity. Our school captains, Charlotte and Bronson made a very powerful presentation at the whole school assembly , reminding us of the importance of working together in Harmony and taking a stand against bullying. Our captains demonstrated how each of our FISH values ensures that we achieve a harmonious, safe and enjoyable learning environment for all. Remember at Sussex Inlet Public School, we say BULLYING NO WAY!
6R Students
6R Assembly Speeches

Today is a very special day that brings awareness of unity, multiculturalism and social cohesion. The message of Harmony Day is Everyone Belongs. It is a day to celebrate Australia's broad diversity. It is a day of cultural respect for everyone who calls Australia home – from the traditional owners of this land to those who have come from many countries around the world. Thank you to all the students who have come in support of the day wearing something orange, you all look fantastic. Orange is an active colour that represents celebration and unity. Here at Sussex Inlet Public School we have been involved in Harmony Day activities, learning and understanding how all Australians from diverse backgrounds equally belong to this nation and make it a better place. To me, Harmony Day means unity and working together to achieve all our goals as one.

Spoken by Charlotte Walker and created by 6R

Today is also National Day of Action Against Bullying. Here at Sussex Inlet Public School we say Bullying, No Way! (What do we say?) Bullying and violence at our school is not okay at any time. So what is bullying? Bullying is a repeated action that deliberately hurts somebody and can make them feel unsafe, scared, nervous, anxious and belittled.

During this term we have been focusing heavily on anti-bullying through our PBS values. We know everyone must be treated fairly and with respect to ensure everyone feels safe and valued and included. We know it is important to report bullying type behaviours honestly and the important role of the bystander. Bullying is everyone’s responsibility. At Sussex Inlet Public School we love to learn in Harmony.

Spoken by Bronson Saward and created by 6R

Regional Tennis

Last week I represented the school in the Regional Tennis Round Robin Tournament in Ulladulla. Kids from Wollongong to the far South Coast were competing for a spot in the team to go to state. This was my first time. I won a fair few games but didn’t go through to the next round. I’m glad Mrs Gregg encouraged me to go in it. It was a good experience.

Pat Gregg’s Farewell

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P & C News

School Disco Fundraiser
The P & C will be holding a disco next Friday 4th, April. The disco will start at 5pm - 6.30pm for K - 2 students and 6.45pm - 8pm for years 3 - 6. There will be a flyer going home later in the week with further details. If anybody is able to help out in any way with the disco, please come along to the disco meeting on Friday 28th at 9am in the uniform store. Any help with such things as selling glow sticks on the night would be greatly appreciated.

Tracey Solari

Canteen Roster

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Volunteers are required from 10.00am until approximately 1.30pm. If you are unable to attend please call Chris Parth on 44412921.