Dear Families,

**FEDERAL FILM NIGHT**
Thank you to our wonderful P&C members who did a fantastic job on Saturday night catering for the Federal Film Night. By all accounts it was an enjoyable night. Thank you one and all.

**P&C AGM**
The P&C’s Annual General Meeting will be held at Federal Park next Tuesday 23rd February at 5pm. In the event of wet weather the meeting will be held at school.

**READING IS RAD DIARIES**
In last week’s newsletter I asked for students diaries to be returned to school so I could forward data to Sydney. It is extremely disappointing to have no diaries returned. This initiative will be reviewed by staff and personnel as to continuing it into 2011.

**STAFF TRAINING**
This week school staff completed mandatory *Keep Them Safe Child Protection 2010 Annual Updates*. This is important for both teaching and non-teaching staff. This annual training is to improve the safety and wellbeing of children and young people.

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**Happy Birthday**

**Marlin**

18th February

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**SWIMMING TEAM**
Yesterday our P6 Relay Team participated in the Zone Swimming Carnival held in Lismore. Our team of Cass, Tom, Carson and Pele showed true small school spirit and are to be congratulated for their efforts. Special thanks to Matt Corbett for providing the transport and to and from the carnival.

“In standing with U.C.C's tradition of great team/relay performances, the team all swam their best and finished 3rd (of 3 teams) by only 0.53 of a second. They were very competitive, leading the field for half the race and weren't that far behind the winners (Corndale) and a finger behind second (Urbanville).”

**Matt Corbett**

**Our Zone Relay Team**

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**EXPLORING GROWTH & CHANGE**
Part of this semester’s students learning we are investigating living things and how they can change indifferent ways over time, life cycles and the interconnection and change within ecosystems. Kick starting this for our students in Years 4, 5 & 6 will be their attendance at the Rous Water Congress to be held at Rocky Creek Dam in the coming weeks. We will also continue our involvement in data collection for our water catchment.

**HOMEWORK/HOME READING**
Congratulations girls and boys on your enthusiastic efforts.

*Jenny Cason*  
Principal
Text Books
Please find attached to this week’s newsletter an account to-date 2010. Please contact the school if you should require assistance.

SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

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Term 1
12/03/10  Crazy Hair Day
17/03/10  Water Watch Congress
26/03/10  Young Leaders Brisbane
01/04/10  Last school day

After many months of waiting two wheelie bins have arrived at our school. One for Landfill and one for Recycle.

FEDERAL FILM NIGHT

AGM
The P&C will be holding this year’s AGM on the 23rd February at Federal Park starting at 5pm. A short P&C meeting will follow.

COMMUNITY NEWS

WOODENBONG
Yowie Country MARKET
LAST SATURDAY EVERY MONTH
8am-3pm Woodenbong Hall & Grounds
NEXT MARKET SATURDAY 27th February
Contact: Carey 0266351176
Share Your Thoughts on Parenting

Share your thoughts and ideas about your concerns as a parent. Tell us what you think are the most important issues for parents today. This research will help in the development of new parenting programs to help parents with specific topics and concerns. The project is conducted by the Parenting and Family Support Clinic (PFSC) at the University of Queensland. We are looking for parents of a 0-15 year old child to complete a brief survey. The study is available online at: https://exp.psy.uq.edu.au/parenting.

Course 9070 Skills for Work & Training (Career Education and Employment for Women). This General Education course will suit women who have been out of work for some time and who would like to explore vocational options, undertake work experience and develop job seeking and study skills in a friendly, supportive environment. It will be run within school hours on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays for 16 weeks from 24 February 2010 (excluding school holidays).

For more information please contact Kaylene Chamberlain on 6623 0284.

Kind regards

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Eureka & District Soccer Club

Sign on days

Saturday 13th February 9:30am - 12:30pm
Saturday 20th February 1:00pm - 4:00pm
at
Eureka Primary School

Please bring birth certificate or passport if your child is playing for the 1st time.

Boys & girls of all ages & abilities welcome.

For more information, contact
Richard: 6688 4056
Christian: 6684 9120
Jenny: 6688 4051

MULLUMBIMBY BRUNSWICK VALLEY FC (SOCCER)
( Formally Mullumbimby Junior soccer club)
FINAL SIGN ON

Saturday 20th February 2010
Pine Avenue Fields Mullumbimby
8.00 am - 11.00 am
Tell all your mates to sign up