Welcome to week 6

It certainly is hard to believe that we are half way through the term already. Where is the year going too?

We had a very busy week last week with some students participating in the Hunter Inter schools Public speaking competition in Singleton over two days. Congratulations to all the students who participated, your speeches were excellent and you all demonstrated great skill and confidence to talk in front of such a big audience. I had some lovely feedback from the organiser Mrs Kylie Stafford, who commended our students, skills and uniform. Well done Belltrees!

It was some very tough competition, however the students efforts and enthusiasm made me as their teacher and I know their parents very proud. Congratulations Jessica, Skye, Eddie, Emily, Hayden, Lachlan and Emma.

Science Fun Day at Murrurundi – the weather was perfect and the students were all very excited as we embarked on our Science fun day with our small school friends. We were all given some time to meet and greet each other, followed by everyone moving into their stages and participating in the events. We had a free Science show given by the University of Newcastle Education team where we learnt all about the three primary colours of light and how our eyes see light. We had some very creative art sessions and some rival sporting matches took place in the playground.

It was certainly loads of fun and it was a great day for the schools to mix and learn together. Thank you Murrurundi for hosting our Belltrees students.

Photos to come!

Zone Athletics – Friday 31st saw four of our Belltrees students enter the Zone Athletics Carnival held in Scone. Our students participated in individual events and also in the small schools relay. It was a fantastic experience for our students and hopefully one we can partake in each year.

Have a lovely week everyone!

Mrs Johanna Teague – Relieving Principal
Book Week- 2015- UNDER THE SEA

It has arrived, 2015 Book Week and the theme for this year is Under the sea!

Come along to our book week assembly and join us for lunch

When: Thursday 20th August, 2015

Where: Belltrees school and office

Time: 12:30pm assembly, followed by 1pm lunch and book fair.

So come along, dress up if you dare and join in our book fair!
It’s coming...

The Croods

movie night hosted by the Scone Neighbourhood Centre. Shown on our 6 metre outdoor screen!

Saturday 19th September

At Scone Park, Hill Street, Scone.

$15 family of 4.
$5 extra per additional child.
Expected time of start: 7pm

For more info contact 6545 2562.
Dungog & District School Horse Sports Day

Hosted by: St Joseph’s Primary School, Dungog
and supported by Dungog Pony Club

FRIDAY, 18\textsuperscript{th} SEPTEMBER 2015

8.30am START

Gear Check by Team Manager \textbf{PRIOR} to the First Event

Dungog Showground, please use Chapman Street entrance

All forms available on the school website below:

\url{www.dungog.catholic.edu.au}

ENTRIES CLOSE FRIDAY, 4\textsuperscript{th} SEPTEMBER 2015

Entry Fee: \$20 per rider * (See conditions of entry)

Age Groups: 8yrs, 9yrs, 10yrs, 11yrs, 12yrs, 13yrs, 14yrs, 15yrs, 16yrs, 17yrs & over

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For further information please contact:

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Enquiries: Lindsay Hopwood: younglindsay1@yahoo.com.au
Mob: 0428 888381

For Wet Weather Contact either Nicole Osmond or Lindsay Hopwood

ALL ENTRIES ARE TO BE FORWARDED TO:
Dungog & District School Horse Sports Day
C/- Nicole Osmond
PO Box 43 Dungog NSW 2420

Facilities:
Canteen – Will be available all day from 7.30 am
Camping – Available if required $10 per night per site