PALLY NEWS

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Ms P's UPDATE

WOW, what a year!

Today marks the end of another incredible and successful school year here at PPS. We bid farewell to the familiar routines, the laughter, and the friendships that have been forged within this school. Today is also a time of celebration, as we reflect on the growth and achievements we have experienced together.

First and foremost, I want to express my deepest gratitude to our dedicated teachers Ms Palmer, Mrs Hazell and staff Ms Penfold, Ms Phillis, Ms Hodge and Deano. Your unwavering gratitude to student education and well-being has been truly remarkable. You have not only imparted knowledge but also inspired the students to aim for high expectations and success.

To you the students, you have come along way since the beginning of this school year. You have faced some challenges, overcome obstacles, learnt and grown in many ways. This was evident at our Coffs Harbour school camp. You have discovered new talent such as film making and acting in a short play, and your English and Mathematics. You have explored new interests with drumming on Tuesday afternoon and using our walk and talk track for fun and exercise, you have embraced new perspectives. Each one of you has contributed to the vibrant and fun atmosphere of our school and for that you should all be proud of yourselves.

The knowledge of hard work determination and perseverance has led to great achievements. You have all embraced curiosity and you've never stop learning.

As we say goodbye to this school year, I would like to express my gratitude to our hardworking small P & C and all that they do for PPS. And I also wish to express my gratitude to our families. You have been pillars of support cheering us on every step of the way. Your support and encouragement make your child's learning journey possible. In closing I want to congratulate each and everyone of you students for your accomplishments this year. Whether it be academic, sporting, artistic or personal growth, you have all achieved success in your own unique way. Let this be a stepping tone toward a new big and better year next year.

Thank you all, and may we continue to strive for excellence in everything we do. We are a small school but big in heart!

To all our Pally school families, students and staff have a fantastic and safe Christmas and Happy New Year. See you all on Thursday 8th February!

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PRESENTATION DAY

All Students participated in our Amazing Presentation Day ceremony last week. They performed to: "The Little Drummer Boy" & "12 Months of Christmas" and sang and danced their hearts out to Oue Sera.

I think we have some budding stars on our hands! Thank you to all our parents and community members who came along and supported the students on the day. Also Thank you to Mr Mills-DEL who came and presented awards on the day, as well as presenting certificates to the students who had 95% attendance rate and above. A very big thank you to our tirelessly working small P & C committee who go above and beyond to support our students.

Congratulations and well done to you all. Pallamallawa War Memorial K-2 Citizenship Award: Charlotte Pallamallawa War Memorial 3-6 Citizenship Award: Ruby K-6 Library Award for Consistent Borrowing: Lincoln Sue Barwick Award for Use & Love of the Library: Annabella Highest Students Attendance: Indy-Rose Stitch N Pally Creative Arts Award: Leah Mayoral Award for Achievement in STEM: Aiden Highest Achievement in Mathematics Lions Club Award: Phoenix &

Premier Sporting Medallion: Lincoln Sportsmanship & Encouragement Award: Ebony Champion of Champions Trophy: Sophie School captains: Sophie & Nevaeh School Leaders: Ruby, Aiden & Amelia

Congratulations to you all, you all have put in 110% during 2023!







AIDEN'S Poem

We would like to share with you a beautiful poem that Aiden wrote last week during a christmas craft session.



SCHOOL RESUMES FOR STUDENTS ON THURSDAY 8th FEBRUARY

We would like to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Safe and **Happy Holidays!**























K-2 SANTA LETTERS

K-2 class wrote letters to Santa and then walked to the Post Office to post the letters and ring Santa on the Santa phone. Students can ring on any Telstra payphone and talk to Santa's workshop by dialing '#464646['].













SAVE THE DATE WEDNESDAY 14TH FEBRUARY Combined Swimming Carnival at Warialda Pool