Positive Awards System
Congratulations to the following students who have progressed through our positive awards system and have been recognised by their peers and teachers for a great effort.

Assembly Awards
HB1 Libby K, Dane S
HB2 Ben R, Riley S
HB3 Jake S, Malise K
HB4 Kurt G, Tilly W
HB6 Scelai T, Abby V
HB7 Ava J, Noah L, Toby R, Joshua P
HB8 Adam B, Kiara S
HB9 Marhee T, Tyler G
HB10 Darian D, Bailey T
HB11 Ricky S, Michael P
HB12 Ray R, Monique A


4C's Award Winners
"Together we learn and achieve in a caring, cooperative, courteous and committed environment"

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Coming Events for Term 3 2014
02/09/14 North Coast Athletics - Lismore
04/09/14 KHS Transition @ Kempsey High
04/09/14 to 14/09/14 Spring Into Art Exhibition of Student Works – Gladstone Art Gallery 10.30am to 4pm
05/09/14 Blokes Breakfast 7.00-8.30am
05/09/14 HB4 Assembly 12.15pm
08/09/14 P & C Executive Meeting 6pm
Fete Planning Meeting 6.30pm
11/09/14 MECS Chess @ East Kempsey P.S.
Year 2 Sleepover
12/09/14 Careers Fun Dress Up Day
HB 1 and 2 cooking
18/09/14 Aidavilla Spring Spectacular Fete
19/09/14 BSG Rewards Day
Last day of school for Term 3
07/10/14 Students return to school

Blokes Breakfast
When: Friday, 5th September, 2014
Time: 7am - 8.30am
Who: All Aldavilla students, parents, grandparents and friends!

Book Week Photos:

Photo above L to R: Kurt, Kalani, Bodhi & Rylan
Absent: Tymarnah & Jayden

Photo left: Savanna M
Photo right: Miranda W
Community Partnerships
Parenting ideas by Michael Grose
With Father’s Day coming up, the following is timely advice on being a Dad. Here are seven ideas to help you form close relationships with your kids, and maximise your effectiveness as a parent and a partner:

Find something in common with your kids: Dads need something in common with their children. They relate better when they have a shared interest or shared passion with their kids. A common interest is a great help for fathers who live apart from their kids who are looking to maximise the time they have with them.

Spend time with your sons: A dad can do little wrong in the eyes of a young boy. From around the age of five years a boy thinks his dad is like superman. Ironically, he may give his mum a hard time at this stage. Dads need to spend as much time with their sons in these impressionable years as possible. They just need to be careful not to push their sons too hard or turn every game into a lesson. That’s when boys turn off their dads.

Don’t wimp out on discipline: Dads are traditionally the kings of play, but they can go missing when it comes to discipline. They get their kids excited in a game before going to bed, then expect their partner to settle them down. It helps if both parents can take their share of managing children’s behaviour.

Treat your daughters well: There are strong links between close fathering and the healthy development of girls. Dads teach their daughters strong lessons about how they should be treated by males. So dads need to treat their daughters respectfully so they learn to expect this treatment in their future relationships with men.

Say goodbye Superman, hello Clarke Kent: Adolescent boys are programmed to challenge their fathers. It’s part of the growing up process. A dad at this stage needs a sense of humour as well as a willingness to stand back and allow other mentors in to his son’s life.

Support your partner: Fathers may play an integral part in the lives of their children but they also have a profound effect on the quality of mothering that children receive. There is little doubt that a woman who can share the emotional and financial burdens of child-rearing with a supportive partner is more likely to be a loving, affirming mother. Supportive fathering is one of the keys to better mothering.

Change as your child changes: Kids grow up at the speed of light and change before you know it. They’re kids one day and teenagers the next. They can catch many fathers unaware. The most effective dads are those who change their parenting to suit the needs of their kids at each stage of development, rather than stubbornly hold to outmoded ideas of how they think their kids should be.

A selection of Parenting Ideas information sheets can be found in the school foyer, so please have a look next.

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Working with Children Check
The Department of Education now requires volunteers at schools to provide 100 points of identification if you haven’t volunteered before or during the last 6 months. This is part of the change being introduced under the “Working With Children Checks”. Please see the office staff if you are a new volunteer at our school.

Spring into Art Exhibition at Gladstone Art Gallery
Thursday 4th September to Sunday 14th September
The Spring into Art exhibition of Macleay students’ Visual Artworks from K-12 will be held at Gladstone Regional Art Gallery from 10.30am-4pm Thursday, 4th September until Sunday, 14th September.

Please take your child/ren along for a look at the artwork on display from our talented students.

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We have welcomed three chicks into the world in HB2 from the incubator and students have experienced the life cycle from fertilised egg to chick (from candling to hatching). All students are very excited about the whole hands on experience.

REMEMBER
Trading table every Thursday to support the SAKG Program, offering the sale of fresh produce from the garden and fresh eggs from our own chooks.

We would love to see you at our weekly cooking and gardening classes. Just a reminder that the gardening helpers are not required to do any heavy lifting or digging, it is more a support role for the students.

If you can assist as a volunteer with cooking or gardening classes, please call Gaye 0427 625 156.

Mulch and cow/horse manure wanted for our gardens.

Photo above: Ryley M, Alec D-M, Rico D

Clothing Pool
Your unwanted school uniforms are needed for the school’s clothing pool. In particular, school shirts. If you have any items that no longer fit your child, please bring them into the school office.

The 2014 Spring Spectacular Fete
18th September, 2014
Class stalls will be operational from 1pm

Fete opens to the general public 3pm
Closing time 7pm.

If you are able to assist on the afternoon/evening of the fete, class stalls would really appreciate your help.

Donations are also required for the class stalls – see a summary of what each Home Base requires in the recent edition of the P&C Publisher. Wristbands were also sent home with every child requesting a donation.

The P & C will operate several food stalls at the Fete. Please let the committee know if you can help out.

Canteen news:

This fortnight’s Special:

Slow cooked Asian inspired beef with steamed vegetables and rice $5

Yummy! Please support your school canteen.

Community News

Nulla Cricket Club
Junior Cricket commences 11/10/14. Matches played Saturday morning. Training is Tuesday afternoons from 4-5pm. Registration days Tues 2/9 or Wed 3/9, 4pm-5.30pm at the Kempsey Bowling Club in Austral Street. Registration fees are U10 $45, U12 $55 U14 $65. Registrations close 21st Sept. Enquiries to Sam 0458567214 or Kristy 0467623272.

MILOin2CRICKET
Monday afternoons Term 4, 4 - 5.30pm. This program is sponsored by Cricket Australia and is run by qualified Level 1 Coaches. The program is an excellent introduction to learning how to play cricket.

All participants receive a MILO starter pack with a backpack, bat, ball, hat, t-shirt & MILO giveaways. Cost is $65. Registration days Tues 2nd Sept & Wed 3rd Sept, 4pm-5:30pm at Kempsey Bowling Club, Austral Street, Kempsey. Enquiries to Sam on 0458567214.
Week 8 Term 3 2014

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