NAPLAN
Well done to all of our Year 3 and Year 5 students for a fantastic effort in your NAPLAN tests this week. We won’t know the results until much later in the year, but the feedback that I have received from teachers is that everyone did their best – and that’s all we can ask. A special ‘thank you’ to the volunteers who supported students this year with the Numeracy test. We really appreciate your efforts which will have made a huge difference to the children and helped them to achieve their very best.

Disco / Parents Information Evening
On Thursday 29th May we are hosting a DISCO evening for all students between 6.00-7.00pm. Kindergarten – Year 2 will be dancing in Mrs Witchard’s classroom, whilst the Year 3 – Year 6 students will be having a boogie in the school hall.

Between 6.00-6.30pm Mr Scotton & Mrs Abeleven will be offering an information session in the Library to explain all about our Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) program in school. The canteen will be open to students and parents/carers selling hot drinks and snacks. Menu to follow.

Working Bee Saturday 24th
We are holding a Working Bee at school on Saturday 24th May between 2.00pm -4.00pm. It’s only for a couple of hours to work on our garden beds (weeding, spreading mulch). Please come along and support – many hands make light work! If you have a spade/wheelbarrow please bring them along, otherwise just turn up, there’ll be plenty to do.

P&C Bunnings BBQ
On Sunday 1st June the P&C will be running the Bunning BBQ in Lismore from 8.00am-5.00pm. If you can spare a couple of hours, please let the school know. This is our biggest fundraiser in the year and your help is needed. Every child benefits from the money raised, so please come along and do your bit for our lovely school.

Next P&C Meeting
Our next P&C Meeting is on Wednesday 28th May at 7.00pm in the school staff room. Please come along and have your say in what happens at our school. One of the agenda items for the next meeting is school uniforms. Everyone welcome.

Aboriginal Team Meeting / Yarn-Up
Parents and staff have been involved in putting together plans for this year’s NAIDOC celebrations at school. As well as sending a large number of students to this year’s NAIDOC day event at Lismore Show Ground, we are planning for a special assembly which will include Welcome to Country by an Elder, tree planting, poetry readings, Aboriginal dancers and an extensive Art Exhibition. We are also planning an afternoon of Aboriginal games/activities. We are planning to hold these events in the last week of term, further details to follow.
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The Rainbow Snake by 1/2R

At last week’s assembly class 1/2R recounted the Bundjalung story about the Rainbow Snake and the creation of the Bungawalbin River, the Evans River, Pelican Island, Snake Island and the hill known as Goanna Headland.

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