We had a fantastic day at the swimming carnival last Thursday! The weather could not have been better and the races were all well contested. It is always exciting to see records fall and we saw a few go on the day. Well done to Jared and Sienna on their achievements. It is always exciting to see the children pushing themselves and challenging themselves at the carnival. Many came to report that they had completed a race for the first time or had improved their time. Their enthusiasm and commitment was first class, many thanks to the parents who assisted with the time keeping. It is a long hot day, often in the sun, and all kept at it all day. Without your help and support, the day would not run as smoothly as it did. A special thank you to Mr Bourke who coordinated the day to ensure that it ran smoothly and to the teachers and the various roles they had.

This Wednesday evening we will be holding our “Meet the Teacher” night. This will give you the opportunity to come and meet your child/ren’s teacher and they will give you a rundown of how things operate in their classroom. Please remember that this is a general information session and not a time to get updates on your child/ren’s progress. If you would like to discuss this with your teacher, please make an appointment at these meetings.

It would be great if all parents could attend this very important afternoon. The meetings have been scheduled as follows, trying to cater for parents with children in different stages within the school:

- **1C, 1S, 2H & 2F**: 5:15 – 6:00
- **4/5C, 5/6T & 6B**: 6:00 – 6:45

We look forward to seeing you there.

Bruce Coote  
Principal
Cundletown Public School P&C and Canteen AGM will be held Tuesday 15th March 2016, in the staffroom.

Canteen at 6.30pm
P&C at 7.00pm

All Office Bearer positions will be declared vacant.

Newcomers most welcome. Please come along and support the school community.

P & C News

- Donations for the Easter Raffle
- Clothing Pool open 9am Fridays
- Volunteers for Bunnings BBQ
  Sunday 20 March 8am –3pm

All Enquiries & donations to the front office

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**Canteen News**

**Roster**

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Come and join the fun, all welcome.

Thanks
Debi

Q: What do you call a shoe made out of a banana?

A: A slipper!
SCHOOL SWIMMING CARNIVAL

Another successful Swimming Carnival has come and gone. The weather was great and the children should be very proud of their performances. Every competitor gave 110% effort while displaying tremendous determination. The children should also be commended for their behaviour and sportsmanship throughout the day. It was the loudest cheering and chanting from all houses that we have witnessed in many years. The banners and colours were brilliant!

A huge congratulations must go to BIRIPI for winning the carnival, again, and being our champion swimming house for 2016. Well done to Ngamba and Worimi who finished 2nd and 3rd respectively.

Also, congratulations to the following age champions:
Jnr Girl – Sienna Agnew
Jun Boy – Aaron Merchant
11 Yrs Girl – Georgia Bosher
11 Yrs Boy – Sonny Easter
Snr Girl – Quedesha Golledge
Snr Boy – Jared Byrne

We have more great news! Jared Byrne has managed to break TWO long standing records. He is now the proud record holder of the SNR 50 m Freestyle and the SNR 50 m Butterfly. He has taken these from one of our previous fish, Kieren Bruner-Evans. I am also delighted to report that a new student to our school, Sienna Agnew, has also broken a record previously held by Hayley Manusu. Sienna is now the proud record holder of the JNR 50 m Backstroke. What an outstanding achievement by both swimmers.

Finally, I would like to thank those parents who gave up their time to act as timekeepers, and in particular, Wendy and Ian Bosher for doing a great job of setting everything up for us and acting as chief timekeeper. The carnival cannot operate without your wonderful support and it is greatly appreciated by myself and the staff.

ZONE SWIMMING SQUAD
Congratulations to the following students who have earned the right to represent our school at the Zone Swimming Carnival this Wednesday at the Taree Aquatic Centre:

BOYS: Jared Byrne, Lachlan Gregory, Aaron Merchant, Oliver Aldridge, Hayden Atkins, Flynn Holman, Noah Lindsay, Cooper Powell, Jacob Proctor, Mason Doel, James Wright, Sonny Easter and Will Eakin.

GIRLS: Georgia Bosher, Sienna Agnew, Tahleah Roberts, Charlie Cross, Kirri Smith, Brooke Hosgood, Cassy Douglas, Danica Potts, Quedesha Golledge and Bibiannah Peattie.

Best of luck to all competitors.

Yours in Sport
Graham Bourke
Cundletown Netball: Registrations are still open!!
For more information please contact ,
Rosie: 0419 195 115 , Lisa 6553 9470 or Maree 6553 9483

Are you looking for a great team sport to play?
Come to Taree Tigers Hockey Club & give Hockey a go.
There is a free starters pack for all new junior players.
It is a great team sport for boys and girls from 5 years of age. Taree Tigers Hockey Club is looking for players in 2016 for both Junior & Senior competitions. No matter what your age or ability we have the junior Boys or Girls or senior team just for you. We have a registration day on Tuesday February 23rd 5.00 to 6.30pm, then a Registration and first training day on Monday February 29th from 4.45pm to 6.00pm at the Taree Hockey Centre. If you would like to just come and try before you decide you are very welcome also. Contact Karl Williams on 0413333383 or Tony Lewis on 0418510986 for more information. So come on, give hockey a go in 2016.