



CAPE BYRON RUDOLF STEINER SCHOOL

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NEWSLETTER

*May wisdom shine through me
May love glow within me
May strength permeate me
That in me may arise
A helper of human kind
A server of holy things
Selfless and true*

∞ **School's 21st Anniversary Celebrations:**
Come along and enjoy! ∞

Dinner at the Buddha Bar Friday 6th March 6.00pm. Frock up!

If you've missed out on a dinner ticket, you can come along to the Buddha Bar from 9.00pm and enjoy the band while catching up with old friends. Late entry: \$10 each at the door.

Big Day at School Saturday 7th March from 10.00am to 2.00pm

All welcome at school on Saturday with celebrations during the day with great food and entertainment plus tours, a collaborative artwork and historical displays. Official business scheduled for 11am. Please car pool where possible.

Bake a Cake: A la Spring Fair, all families are asked to bake a cake or two and donate to the tea, coffee and cake stall. Please deliver your cakes, biscuits and slices to the stall on the day or to the office kitchen on Friday.

Volunteers are needed for:

- **Setting up on Friday, just turn up after the market**
- **Cooking & serving food on the day:**
Contact Portia Juicepluspo@aol.com
- **Help to direct traffic in the carpark:**
Contact Josie josephinekelly@linknet.com.au

Students and Parents - please put your name down to help for just one hour and feel the love.

SITE REPORT

Repair, Care & Maintenance day is Saturday 21st March, 10am – 3pm. (Sat fortnight)
(see P & F News)

Class 6 students will now be using the HS toilets on a permanent basis.

OUR VISION

Cape Byron Rudolf Steiner School P&F is a vibrant, active group dedicated to nurturing and supporting the heart and soul of our school community by embracing the philosophy of Rudolf Steiner."

AGM: Monday 23rd March 2009 at 6.30pm in P&F Room

- Come along to the AGM for the usual AGM business with nominations and voting on executive positions: Chair, Treasurer and Secretary
- Plus an important vote to incorporate the P&F and accept a constitution (copies available from the office)

∞ **A reminder about Repair, Care and Maintenance Hours**

You will see that the number of RC&M hours per family, has increased this year. This is to reduce the amount of work done by contractors within the school over the year.

"How does it all work?" I hear you ask...

As well as the eight RC&M days scheduled throughout the year, there are many other ways to contribute to the care of the school; ask at the library, speak to the class teacher or at the front office, become a class co-ordinator or take up a role on the P&F Executive. So many choices! Once you have done some RC&M hours, simply complete a green form available from the Office or your child's teacher. Annas keeps a record of all hours completed. You can find more details in the Parent Handbook.

∞ **Mobile Phone Muster** Clear out your old mobile phones, in any condition, with or without chargers and hand in to Rebecca in the Office. You can help save toxins going into landfill plus raise money for the school.

∞ **Shopper Tokens** If you choose to shop at the Supa IGA at Sunrise, make sure you ask for tokens to deposit in the Cape Byron RSS box near the registers.

∞ **School Canteen** Exciting talks have taken place between the school and a canteen operator who proposes to provide the whole school with healthy and delicious snacks and lunches every school day from the new canteen space. The P&F voted to allocate the earmarked funds to enable the canteen to be fitted out for use. Could it have been the promise of excellent coffee and chai available daily from 8am which sealed the vote???

SCHOOL COUNCIL NEWS

IMPORTANT NOTICE

As mentioned in last week's newsletter, the School Council met this week to consider our response to the resignation letter of our Principal, Janet Molloy. The Council has deferred acceptance of the resignation, and will advise of any change to this status as and when it occurs. In the meantime, school business will be conducted on an as usual basis.

All parents & staff are invited to attend the Cape Byron Rudolf Steiner School's next Annual General Meeting Saturday 4th April.

HIGH SCHOOL

Swimming Carnival-

The High School Swimming Carnival will be held on Thursday 19th March at the Mullumbimby Swimming Pool from 10.00am to 2.00 pm. All parents and Friends are welcome to support the students. Any parent who would like to assist on the day would be more than welcome. Please give Ric a call and leave your name and contact details at the office.

Congratulations!

Liam Davie competed in the Combined Independent Schools Regional Swimming carnival on Tuesday 24th Feb and came home with some excellent results. 10th in 50m Freestyle, 8th in 50m Backstroke, 6th in 50m Breaststroke, 7th in 50m Butterfly and 7th in 100m Freestyle. Next year we are hoping to have a larger contingent of competitors from the school in this event. Well done, Liam!

Netball-

Our school currently has a class 5 netball team and a class 7 netball team that have begun training on Friday evenings 2.50pm to 3.30pm in preparation for the community competition that is held in Mullumbimby on Saturdays. We would like to wish these girls all the best for the coming season.

Steve Richards (Ric), PDHPE Teacher

HELP!! HSC STUDENT SEEKING 1930's POSSESSIONS

I require 1930's antique items, clothing, furniture and household objects for a film set that I wish to produce in this particular era. If anybody has any of the above and is willing/kind enough to lend me their items I'd be most grateful – every item will be treated and cared for with great respect. My name is Jasmine Moston and I'm a year 12 pupil making a movie for my English Extension 2 Major work. I intend to film in April over a three day period.

If you can help or have any queries please call me on the number listed below. Thank you for your consideration.

Jasmine Moston
Ph 6687 8767

PRIMARY SCHOOL

Class 1 French

Class 1 has 30 minutes a week of French on Mondays. The children are totally immersed in French language simply because no English is spoken. They are learning the alphabet and the numbers in French as well as the names for some animals, colours and body parts. They are also learning some verbs such as, assis (sit), debout (stand), frappez des mains (clap your hands) and many more. Last Monday class one played a game for the first time called "around the world" it was so much fun. The class is also learning a popular French song called "Frere Jacques".

I make a point of keeping the lesson fun which keeps the children interested while they learn.

Francoise

KINDERGARTEN NEWS

We anticipate moving back into our newly renovated Kindergarten later in the Term. When we move, and there is more space available, Jana will have room for 6 more children to attend part-time. A child, who turns 5 before the end of July, is eligible to commence school in our part-time first year of Kindergarten. They will continue the following year in the full-time program. If you know of any family who may be interested in enrolment, please direct them to the Front Office staff who will assist them with their enquiries.

We are enthusiastic about our wonderful School and the Kindergarten in particular, and would love to see more children have the opportunity to join us.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Adult Eurythmy will be held on Monday 7.45-8.45 am at Ewingsdale Hall.
Cost \$50/term to cover hall costs & pianist.

Parents and friends who love to sing (or would a like to give it a try) are all welcome to join us for weekly morning singing. We will sing together in the library from 8- 8.30am on Thursday morning starting week 2. Childcare is available \$2. Make Thursday your singing morning and then catch the Farmers Market in Byron afterwards! Love to see you, Loani.

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CLASSIFIEDS

FOR SALE CLASS SLIPPERS now available at Nature's Child. New colours include Green, Pink, Purple and Blue with many new designs.

Preschool, Primary school and Adult Sizes Available.

Prices start at \$30 EFTPOS accepted. Nature's Child is located at 1 Banksia Drive, Arts and Industry Estate Byron Bay NSW 2481

Accommodation wanted – quiet self-contained studio, granny flat/cottage etc. Would consider house sitting also. Contact Ben Mackenzie 0401 820 864.

OTHER THAN SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

A past Cape Byron Rudolf Steiner student, Anna Kuhlmann, has recently returned to the area after having many interesting and challenging experiences in the big wide world, including her role as a coordinator for volunteer Overseas Action programs in both Nepal and Kenya. She has many interesting stories including, negotiating a meeting with a group of Maoists in the middle of nowhere, a scenic helicopter rescue out of the Himalayas back to Kathmandu when a group member had serious altitude sickness, and malaria in Kenya with visions of zebras and giraffes galloping towards her! What she remembers most though is the kindness and generosity of the people and the childrens bright smiles, she says "I am really happy to be back in this lovely area, we are really so lucky here. I was nervous about finding the kind of job I wanted so I have created my own business called Creative Conversations – Making sense together. It is Creative Arts Therapy business and I see Multimodalities such as movement, voice, art and writing to explore lived experience and help people make sense of where they are at in their lives. I really love the creative process and have facilitated many workshops in both Melbourne and Brisbane. I have learned so much from this process and am excited to be sharing it with other people now!" Anna holds a BA in Theatre/Media, post graduate in Arts Therapy and is currently completing her Masters through Melbourne's Institute of Experiential and Creative Arts Therapy. She is available for one on one sessions's on Wednesdays from her office space in Byron and will also be facilitating a series of workshops around the area. To contact her for further information or to make a booking, email anna.creativeconversations@gmail.com or phone 0401740432.

Byron Bay Football Club (Soccer)

Junior sign-on days - this week
at Byron Bay recreation grounds.
Sat 28th Feb -8am -noon
Thu 5th March -4pm -6pm
Sat 7th March -8am -noon
Registrations taken for all
players aged 5-16. Any new
players must provide original
proof of age documents.
Cash or cheque accepted. Fees 6-
9's \$90, 10-16's \$120.
Registration queries email
kerrynorthcott@iinet.net.au

Cape Byron Steiner School—Class 7 Room

Singing & Performance
4 Kids & Teens

Term Fee \$10/hr Pay term up front or Casual Rate: \$12.50/hr
Tuesdays & Thursday 3:15—4:15pm

Bookings: Julia 6680 4071 or 0412 201 736

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☼Harmonies & Parts ☼Colour & Control
☼Performance Techniques ☼Microphone Technique
☼Build Confidence ☼Rock,pop,jazz,gospel & lots more...

'ART' by Yasmina Reza is being performed in The Mullumbimby Civic Centre by the Byron Bay Theatre Company on the Thurs 12th, Fri 13th and 14th March at 6:30pm. Saturday matinee 2pm.
(The play will be held in conjunction with an art exhibition by the Lismore Regional Art Gallery.)

Tickets can be booked by calling Rosemary Chance 66 84 2994/ 0400 975 099.

\$20 for students \$25 adults or \$15 for groups of 5-10 students.

INFORMATION ABOUT THE PLAY...

The play 'ART' opened in Paris in 1994 and was an overnight sensation. The play has won the Molière awards for best author, best play, and best production and, in an excellent translation by Christopher Hampton, went on to win the 1998 Lawrence Olivier Award for best comedy and the 1998 Tony Award for best play.

In an incisive and comedic way, ART explores issues of individuality and friendship which touch us all. How willing are we to be moulded by our friends' expectations and how keenly do we expect those friends to accommodate our view of them?
When Serge buys a controversial and very expensive artwork, his easy friendship with Marc and Yvan topples into uncertainty. Does he have the right to do such a thing? Should he have consulted his friends???

But through debating this painting--this blessed and damned painting--all this and more comes out; that "more" including suppressed hostilities, frustrations, insecurities, and the various other perverse subtleties that can inform deep friendships. The central metaphor provided by the painting--and the trio's reactions to it--is so loaded that the play can be debated as hotly by attendees as the canvas is debated onstage.

Director Sandesh has secured the rights for a March 2009 production at the Civic Centre in Mullumbimby, with a cast including talented local actors Avikal, Rick Collings and SimEon, it's 'chic, short, and wickedly, perceptively funny, it's a perfect play.'

KITE & BIKE FESTIVAL

Part of the Kites and Bikes Festival in Brunswick Heads on March 21st & 22nd is the Country Energy Kite Record Attempt. Registrations are now open for our attempt to break the Australian or world records for the most number of kites flown simultaneously on March 22nd. Local charity "Our Kids", which fundraises for equipment for local hospitals to keep kids local, will be the beneficiary of this big community effort. Enter as an individual, or round up your teams of 10. Groups of 50 or more will be eligible to go into a draw to win a prize. Registrations can be made on line via the website www.kitesandbikes.com.au or at the Brunswick Heads Visitor Centre in Park St. The \$10 entry fee includes a kite making kit. Upon receipt of the registration number, kite kits can be picked up from the Visitor Centre and be made up at home (or perhaps at school if your class can get together a group?) Contact Brunswick Heads Visitor Centre for further information on 6685 1003.

Begin a new direction in life & join this unique & powerful men's workshop!

This will benefit you, your partner, your children & your community. During this unique & very special workshop you will explore & transform the way in which you communicate & play out your life. You will explore & discover new, more authentic & more meaningful ways to live your life.

Sunday 29th March 9.15 am – 6.00 pm Byron Bay, NSW

A \$225 investment for a much better future

(Includes lunch, morning & afternoon teas & workshop materials)

Book NOW – Limited to only 12 men A (non-refundable) deposit of only \$75 will secure your place

To reserve your place contact Adrian Hanks directly on 0400 424417

Email: adhanks@bigpond.net.au

Counselling & Psychotherapy

(Based on Rudolf Steiner's Psychosophy) Addressing all life questions & issues

Suite 8, 9 Fletcher St, Byron Bay Phone Adrian Hanks 0400424417

(Adv Dip Psychophonetics counselling & psychotherapy) www.psychophonetics.com.au www.consciouslifedevelopment.com.au

Bangalow R.F.C. Play Rugby in 2009!

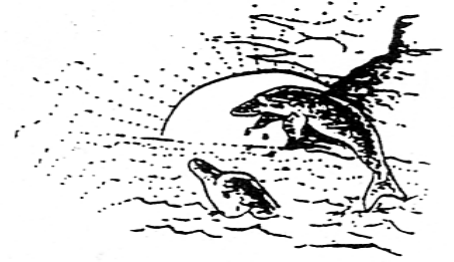
Bangalow Rugby Football Club is looking for players aged up to 15 years to join our successful and growing Junior Club for the 2009 season. Games are played on Friday evening.

Sign on day 7th March 2009, 2.00pm -4.00pm at Moller Pavillion

For details see www.bangalowrugby.com

Contacts: Dave Phillips (0412 080 614) or Paul DeFina (0400 572 028)

CAPE BYRON
DELTA STEINER
SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



You and your friends are all invited

WHAT'S ON

- 10.00 Class 3 / 4 choir
10.15 Class 5 orchestra
10.30 Ensemble
- 11.00** **Welcome / Opening**
Welcome to country, Delta
Councillor Simon Richardson
Principal, Janet Molloy
School Council Secretary, Trina Minter
Blessing on behalf of the Byron Community, Gary Priest
- 11.30 – **Create a flower to add to the collaborative felt garden**
2.00 Outside Class 3 – all ages welcome
- 11.30 Cape Byron Community Choir
11.45 Domini Forster
- 12.00** **School Tour** – starting at Tea/Coffee Tent
12.15 Jacob Zinman-Jeanes
12.45 **School Tour** – starting at Tea/Coffee Tent
- 1.00 The Brandolinis
1.15 Ava Bell
1.30 **Jam session for ex students and teachers led by Tom including Simone Stroet and Shea O'Toole**

ALL DAY

HISTORICAL DISPLAY IN LIBRARY
ALUMNI BOOK FOR SIGNING IN LIBRARY
BOOK DISPLAY – donate a book to the new library

REFRESHMENTS **Pasta & Pizza – Tea/Coffee –**
Cakes – Cold Drinks