This is our last weekly newsletter for 2014. The Term 3&4 Community Newsletter is also attached. We wish everyone a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year! Please have a safe and restful holiday break in preparation for another busy school year in 2015.

Workshop week
Next week we will be having a fun three days of activities including cooking, sports, art and craft. On Wednesday we will also have water play activities, dependent on the weather. A note will be sent home on Tuesday if this is to go ahead.

P&C News
Thank you to parents who attended our last meeting for 2014. The 2015 AGM will be held on Monday 9th February at 8.30am. All parents and community are invited to attend.

Grafton Pool Fun Day
During the holidays students and families are invited to get together at Grafton Pool for a holiday catch up. Meet at Grafton pool from 9.00am on Thursday 8th January. Please note this is not a school activity and parent supervision will be required.

School Uniforms
In 2015 a new rewards system will be introduced for students consistently wearing the correct school uniform. Please arrange during the holidays for students to return in 2015 with the following uniform:
- Teal school shirt
- Black shorts or skirt - knee length
- Long black pants for cooler weather
- Black joggers (best option) or school shoes & white joggers
- White socks
- School hat

@ Grafton Library
Storytime — weekly on Thursdays at 10:30am
Thu 18th Dec 10:30-11:30 am Storytime: Christmas
Wed 7th Jan 10:30-12pm Adventure Mapping (age 7+), Create and draw your own adventure map
Thu 8th Jan 10:30-11:30am Storytime: Holiday Adventure Stories Sat 10th Jan 1-6pm Dungeons & Dragons Delve (age 12+)
Mon 12th Jan 10:30am Author Visit: FATTY THE RAT ROD (all ages)
Thu 15th Jan 10:30-11:30am Storytime: Pirate Adventures DRESS-UP
Fri 16th Jan 10:30am-12pm Animal iPad Adventures (age 7-12), bookings essential
Mon 19th Jan 10:30am-12pm Loopy Loom bands (age 7+), bookings essential
Tue 20th Jan 10:30am-12pm Games Morning (all ages)
Wed 21st Jan 5-6pm Dance Off: PS4 & Xbox1 (age 8-12), bookings essential
Thu 22nd Jan 10:30-11:30am Storytime: Safari Adventure Stories

2014 Presentation Ceremony & Year 6 Farewell Luncheon
Last Friday we held our 2014 presentation Year 6 Farewell ceremony. Thank you to everyone who attended. Our students finished the day with some fantastic Singstar tunes.

Important Dates
- Friday 12 Dec: Reports & School Magazine available
- Carols at Nymboida Hall
- 15,16,17 Dec: Workshop week
- Wednesday 17 Dec: Last day of school for students
- Friday 19 Dec: Last day for staff
- Thursday 8 Jan: Grafton Pool Family Fun Day
- Tuesday 27 Jan: Staff return
- Kindergarten Best Start assessments
- Wednesday 28 Jan: Students return for Term 1, 2015
- Tuesday 3 Jan: Ulmarra & Friends swimming carnival
- Monday 9 Feb: P&C 2015 AGM

Canteen
The canteen will operate on Thursday this week. Thank you to Karen Burt and parents who have helped out in the canteen in 2014.