

**MANNING
GARDENS
PUBLIC SCHOOL**



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GRAPEVINE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Term 1 Week 3 15 February 2018

Principal's Message

A very warm welcome to all our new students and families! We have had many new enrolments at the start of the year and this has been very exciting. We also have 27 kinder students starting at our school in 2018. This is one of the largest kinder enrolments we have had in over 5 years. We have a great perception of our school and we would like to think that the community perception is also changing. You cannot judge a book by its cover and you cannot judge our school via gossip and negativity from people who really don't know our school. We love the Gardens and we hope you do too!

Our school beliefs, apply to everyone. We will not tolerate abusive behaviour or violence directed towards our staff. We will report all inappropriate behaviour to the Police.

Stay Strong! Paul Sortwell



Class Changes In Mainstream

This week we will be making some class changes, due in part to the large increase in our infants classes. At the start of the school year, classes are always fluid for a number of weeks. Students in our mainstream classes will transition to their new classes on Tuesday and we will be employing additional school staff to help students with this process. As always, the best interest of students are driving these changes and we thank you for your cooperation.



Happy students



NRL Footy Clinic 2 Feb



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I'm going to the Gardens!
Manning Gardens PS: A quality Public School in Taree.



School Swimming Carnival

Our school swimming carnival was a huge success last Wednesday. We thank all parents who attended for your support. Parents are always welcome at all our school events.



Lower Manning Small Schools Swimming Carnival

We have 22 students representing our school at the LMSS Swimming Carnival this Thursday at Wingham PS. Our school will compete against Mitchell's Island at this event. All parents are welcome to support their children. We love a big cheer squad!



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School Attendance Policy

When a student is away from school for more than 2 days, class teachers will try to contact parents to enquire about the absence. We are required to do this. It is the responsibility of parents to advise the school when their children are away from school.



Fun at Wingham Pool

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Our Facebook page is always full of important information and great photos. We also have a Skoolbag app and a great school website, with key links and school information. We encourage all parents and community to access our social media pages to stay up to date with all the latest news and information. Like our Facebook page today!

