Kindergarten 2015 – Big School Excursion and Parent Information Evening
Goonellabah Public School will be having their Big School Excursion for all Pre-School students wanting to experience what Primary School is all about. Students will experience Music, Craft and PE while visiting our school.
The excursion for Pre-School students is on Wednesday, 3rd September from 9.30am – 11.30am. Booking is not essential.
There will also be Parent/Carer Information Evening held on Wednesday night, 3rd September from 6.00-7.00pm. Tell your friends and family about our Big School Excursion and Parent Information Evening. We hope to see you there.

North Coast Athletics Carnival
Congratulations to Brandon and Oren for being selected to represent the Northern Rivers District at this week’s Regional Athletics Carnival. I wish you all the best.

Performing Arts Festival
Students from Goonellabah Public School are performing at the Lismore Performing Arts Festival this week. Below is an outline of the times;
Tuesday 12.00-3.00pm Rehearsals – Choir/Choral and School Band
Tuesday Evening 6.15-6.45pm - Combined Band
Wednesday Evening 6.15-8.00pm - Choir/Choral and School Band
Thursday Matinee 10.30am – 12.30pm - School Band

Creative Thinking
Eleven-year-olds of the world rejoice. It seems MINECRAFT has “the potential to teach kids creative thinking, geometry, and even a little geology”. Read the review to help you make an informed choice. Find out more:
http://www.commonsensemedia.org/game-reviews/minecraft

Water safety tips
Beaches, lakes, rivers, creeks and pools are popular spots in summer for people young and old to cool off and have fun. Here are some easy steps you can take to make sure your child stays safe. Find out more:

Mark Spencer,
Principal
Goonellabah Public School would like to thank Richmond/Tweed Library for Stig Wemyss Performance.

Today a special person named Stig Wemyss came to our school. He is an actor, a notorious narrator and a rock star (not). He spoke to us about being a notorious audio narrator and he played some games with us like ‘Sausages’ and ‘Cubby Bubby’. He read us a little story from “Just stupid” by Andy Griffiths and gave some special people each an audio book. Stig Wemyss reads Andy Griffiths, Paul Jennings, Tim Winton and other author’s books as a narrator for audio CD’s. A narrator is a person who reads books and records his or her own voice so other people can listen to the book. Stig Wemyss is a funny man; I would like to see him again one day.

By Sinovai