

MOOLOOLAH STATE SCHOOL



Principal
Michele Brown

Administration
Pam Day
Elizabeth Fitzpatrick

Tuckshop Day
Friday

Student Banking
Tuesday

Uniform Room
Tues 8.15– 9.15am

After School Care
5494 7491

P & C Meetings
20th Nov 6pm

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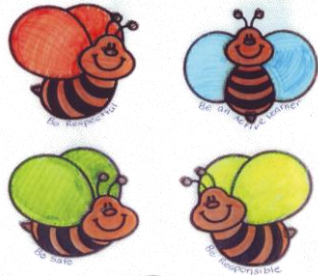
Fax:
5413 6300

**Student Absence
Telephone Number**
54136360

Please telephone this
number on the day your
child is unable to attend
school and leave a
message.

Email:
the.principal@
mooloolahss.eq.edu.au

Website:
www.mooloolahss.eq.edu.au



At Mooloolah State School, the 4 B's enable
all of us to take pride in our achievements

- Be Safe
- Be Responsible
- Be Respectful
- Be an Active Learner



This term we are focussing on the whole matrix and particularly "The 4 B's"
This week we are focussing on: * Put litter in bins * Encourage hygienic practices

Date 14th November 2013 Week 6

FROM MICHELE'S CHAIR

What's happening at our school?

GRANDPARENTS' DAY

What a wonderful response we had to Grandparents' Day last Friday. Thank you to Mrs Aspinall who organised the event for us and to everyone who participated.

Grandparents hold in their memories the stories of our families. They are the history keepers and with their knowledge of the past are able to create a future for our children. We have a book in our library about a grandparent who created a garden for his grandchildren. In the garden he placed the *Think and Thank* seat to teach his grandchildren about gratitude; the *Let Go* log to share with them the value of forgiveness; *Cross Over Corner* where they could learn to be courageous and the *Dream* table where he talks to them about generosity. The book is titled 'I grow in Grandad's Garden' and was written by Brian Andrew with his granddaughter Ellie.

In time, I hope to have such a garden in our school. Let me know if you would like to play a part in its construction or if you would like to help with the murals I spoke about in the last newsletter.

COFFEE WITH CHAPPY

Our Friday morning coffee chats are continuing to grow. We have a couple of Dads who drop their children off on a Friday morning and head on over to have a coffee. It's a great way to end the week and solve the problems of the world. Chappy Mark is becoming very adept at foaming the milk and creating lovely little designs on top. Despite the fact that she doesn't work on a Friday, Dalhleen Cuthbert manages to stop by with a freshly baked tray of something delicious. So come on over each Friday morning and spend some time chatting under the tree in front of the school.

VOLUNTEERS

Thank you to the wonderful volunteers who have supported us throughout the year. Schools cannot function without their volunteers and the people who support us here at Mooloolah do such a fantastic job. We have those who participate in fundraising, those who listen to the children reading, those who are active on the P&C, June who does such a great job in the tuckshop, those who drive our children to special events and those who do everything and more. Words cannot thank you enough for the wonderful gift you give us - your precious time.



IT'S A DATE!

We've got some important dates coming up. Make sure you highlight these on your calendar so that you don't miss any of the events.

Wednesday, November 20 6pm P&C Meeting
Thursday, December 5 Swimming Carnival
Monday, December 9 Beerwah SHS transition day
Monday, December 9 6pm Year 7 Celebration
Tuesday, December 10 6pm Christmas Extravaganza & Fireworks

Michele

RESOURCE CENTRE

Many thanks to all the students and parents who have made purchases from the Bookfair this week. We will be able to select more books for the library because of your support. We would not be able to have the Bookfair without parents to run it. So many thanks to Lisa West, Leigh Dickfos, Karen Cormack, Tiffany Nutt, Michelle Lencz and Niki Pearson for their help.

A special mention must also go to Kiara Chapman in Year 5 who has helped every morning with the Bookfair.

Because of the Bookfair I will not be sending home Bookclub brochures this time but if anyone would like to have a look they are available on my desk in the library. Orders and payment would need to be back at the office by Monday 25th November.

Next week ending Friday 22nd November will be the last week students will be able to borrow from the library with all books due back by Friday 29th November. Once again the first class to get all their books back will receive an ice-block. I wonder which class it will be this year.

Happy Reading
Jenny Wilson & Kerry



Grandparents Day



Public Opening Hours

Current as of September 2013

Monday	5:30am to 6:00pm	
Tuesday	5:30am till 11:30am	3:00pm till 6:00pm
Wednesday	5:30am till 9:30am	3:00pm till 6:00pm
Thursday	5:30am till 10:00am	3:00pm till 6:00pm
Friday	5:30am till 12:00pm	3:00pm till 6:00pm
Saturday	7:00am till 5:00pm	
Sunday	10:00am till 5:00pm	

*Please Note times are subject to change. Cowan Taylor Aquatics will endeavour to provide adequate notice of change in public opening hours.

2014

If your child is not returning to the school in 2014, please phone or email us at the office to let us know. It is important that we are aware of the reasons that students leave our school so that we can continue to improve the climate for those who remain and for incoming enrolments.

BEERWAH STATE HIGH SCHOOL

2014 Enrolments for Year 8 are now open. Please return enrolment forms as soon as possible to ensure placement. New 2014 Junior Secondary School Uniform for ALL YEAR 8 STUDENTS. Uniform shop 5494 0960

Open Monday to Friday

2013 7:45am - 9:00am 11:45am - 12 noon 1:30pm - 2:00pm

2014 from 20 January Monday - Friday 9:00am - 3:00pm

See website for further details: www.beerwahshs.eq.edu.au

RAFFLE TICKETS

Please keep on bringing in your sold tickets don't miss out on your chance to win this fantastic holiday.

Congratulations to all Gold Award Winners:

Emerald Stewart	Olivia Gray-Christison	Dallas Muller
Kale Deasy	Maverick Young	Mack Goulter
Peter Scott	Jett Tibkaeo-Weekes	Cambell Luck
Nate Ashurst	Kiara Chapman	Jalea Hamatz
Shanelle Wilson	Bailey Dwyer	

CLASS ROOM NEWS

Year 1CH

The children have just finished writing their PROCEDURE TO CREATE A LIGHTHOUSE and what a fantastic job they have done.

Having the help of Grandparents and family on Friday was a real plus! Feel free to come in and see some of our creations.

Just a reminder to be looking for BLACK CLOTHES to attach our stars to for our CHRISTMAS SHOW. Some help to cut out 250-399 stars would be greatly appreciated.

Keep an eye out for an invitation to come and have a CHAT in week 8 (Nov 25-29). I would love an opportunity to share and show you some of your child's work samples and creations. REPORT CARDS SOON.

By the way we think we have grown the BIGGEST Zucchini ever! Please remember your child is welcome to harvest some leaves or herbs for the family dinner.

Chris Hansen

Year 1/2CC

A reminder to all parents, please help your child organise his/her science toy and information for our toys sharing day next Wednesday, November 20. All children need one toy and their report ready to share with the class on this day.

DATE CLAIMER - I am looking for parent helpers for the children's Toy Making Day on Thursday November 28 (note yet to come home). This will be similar to our Orchestra of Sound Science Day which was hugely successful - your help would be GREATLY appreciated.

A Class Christmas Show note is being sent home today - please fill in the response slip and return to me ASAP.

Finally....

Thank you, to the wonderful volunteers in our class this year. We hope you enjoyed your special afternoon tea today.

Catherine

Year 2DA

Congratulations to the following students who have had 100% attendance this term. Our goal is to have no more than 2 days off in term 4. Thank you: Caitlyn, Hayley, Alyssa, Cooper, Abby, Axel, Tamsyn, Tom, Ieasha, Jett, Lilly and Maddy. Every day counts.

Kind Regards, Donna Aspinall

Year 5,6,7CL

Wow! The year has certainly flown and it won't be long before it will be over. We are certainly busy completing assessment items, practising dancing and singing for the Christmas Show extravaganza, presenting Science experiments, training for League Tag, completing our Healthy Living presentations and on top of that continuing with the everyday learning in all subject areas.

By now grade seven parents should have received information about the end of year Presentation Evening and the League tag players should have brought a permission note back. Thank you to all parents who are helping in any capacity to bring all the end of year activities to culmination. It is certainly appreciated.

Hope to see you all at the Christmas Show night.

Chris Lowe

NEWSLETTER ADVERTISERS

A big thank you to all our wonderful school newsletter advertisers this year. Please support their businesses as they make this newsletter possible. Thank you once again.

DATE CLAIMERS

P&C Meeting Wed 20th Nov 6pm
Swimming Carnival Thurs 5th Dec
Year 7 Celebration Night Mon 9 Dec
Christmas Show Tues 10 Dec



SCHOOL CELEBRATES MOOLOOLAH'S BIG 150

The Mooloolah 150th Anniversary organising committee wishes to thank the Mooloolah State School and P&C for participating in and supporting the big events. Thank you to those families who attended the celebrations. Many of our children went "back to school" in the old schoolroom at the Mooloolah Community Centre to discover slates and pens and many rules.

Interesting photos were enjoyed by many at the Historic Photography Exhibition held at the hall.

In the afternoon it was great to see Mooloolah State School children (and teachers!) up and dancing to all those traditional tunes. What a great time those children also had participating in the egg and spoon, three-legged and sack races and tug-o-war. The splendid fireworks finished off a fine evening. Many thanks also to the tireless cooks around the food tent who fundraised for our school.

To see photos of the events please visit www.mooloolah150years.org

School Re-enactment in the original school



BEERWAH HIGH SCHOOL AWARDS EVENING

The following are results for Academic & Sporting for ex-Mooloolah students who attend Beerwah High.

Kristanna Sutton - Yr 12 Cultural award, Academic Excellence award, Senior Mathematics A, Humanities-Tourism, Geography, Pinnacle award (5 years of Academic Achievement at awards evenings)

Rowan Sutton -Yr 10 Sporting award, Academic Excellence award, Junior Sportman 2013, Most outstanding athlete in athletics 2013, U15 (2nd State Long Jump) 5.97m, Boys 1st State Triple Jump 14.19m New State record.

Max Storer - Yr 9 Academic Attainment award

Taylor Keuning - Yr 9 Academic Excellence award

Daniel Macey - Yr 11 Academic Excellence award

Tahlia-Loffel Stadthagen - VET Certificate

Kia Harding - Yr 12 Academic Attainment

Congratulations to you all very well done.