13/02/17

From the Principal’s pen

Dear Parents and Community Members

With the mercury still rising and not looking to reduce for another few days I remind you to stay cool. In hot weather, ensure you drink plenty of water, reduce physical activity, stay in the shade and watch for signs of heat stress.

Author’s Visit
Thanks to the girls at the RTC there is an author (Errol Bishop) visiting and he is going to give the Year 6 students some hints and tips on short story writing. Thursday the cluster has organised for an author (Phil Kettle) to run a whole school workshop on writing techniques.

Leadership Ceremony
The leadership ceremony will now be Wednesday the 22nd February. This event will start at 2.15pm and run until 3.00pm. Afternoon tea will be provided for the leaders and their families.

2017 Timetable
There has been much debate around the numbers and class splits for 2017. Thank you to all those who have provided feedback, these decisions are never easy and are always made with the students at the forefront of my mind. Please see the Term 1 timetable of events and information regarding days I need to be away.

Over...
**Come & Try Day**

Next Thursday, 23rd February will be the ‘Come and Try’ Day for children born in 2005, 2006 and 2007 at Meandarra. This is for selection in the Tara and District Touch, Soccer, Rugby League and Netball teams. Please return all forms ASAP!

Kind Regards

JB Mohr

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**Awards**

Awards this week went to:

**Jack Kubas:** Principal's Award for his outstanding effort during science

**Jayden Pressey:** for improving your attitude in a science lesson.

**Jack Conway:** a huge effort with his homework.

**Abbie Neale:** for knowing her sight words

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Our January/February birthdays:
Cormac Murphy, Dacoda Schutt and Abbie Neale.
Missing from photo - Tayleigh Sullivan
SWIMMING
P - 2  Wednesday 2 - 3pm
3 - 6  Friday 2 - 3pm
Ensure your child/ren has a sun shirt, towel and
togs.
Sunscreen is supplied by the school, but please
provide if you need your own.

Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday to Suzanne Blair for the
20th February

Tuckshop News

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Swimming Club
Thursday afternoons from
3.00pm
Please phone Melinda White if
you have any queries -
4665 0139

Moonie Phone Books are available at the school for $5.
Please contact the office if you have a change or would
like to add number/s.

Could notices for The Weekly please be faxed,
emailed or phoned through by 2.00pm on a Monday
afternoon.
Fax - 4665 0239;   email - kneal16@eq.edu.au

For anyone who wishes to pay by
direct deposit to the P & C,
Account details are:
MOONIE SS P&C
BSB  064412   ACCOUNT 10144751

Library
P - 2  Friday
3 - 6  Friday
Please remember to bring your Books and
Library Bags.

School Banking is every Thursday

Moonie Weekly Charges
$15  Printed copy
$5   Email copy
Payment is now due for 2017
Could we please have payment by
the end of term
School families do not have to pay

Meandarra ANZAC Memorial Museum

Anzac Day 2017

5.30am: Meandarra Dawn Service
Breakfast will be available in the School of Arts Hall
at the conclusion of the service.

9.30am: Official opening of the
new museum exhibition
‘The Light Horse’

10.30am: Commemorative Service
with the march commencing at the school.
Lunch will be available in the hall at the conclusion of the service
Cash bar available.

Anzac Day is Open Day at the museum
Free entry to the museum all day from 6.00am
Everyone welcome!
SPORTS CLUB NEWS
The next Sports Club meeting will be WEDNESDAY 8th March at 7.30pm.
ALL WELCOME

BIN ROSTER
18.02.17 Don Cameron & Pieter Fourie
25.02.17 Ken & Michael Giltrow
1.03.17 Patrick Nolan & Eddie O’Connor

Club Bookings, meeting agenda items or general club enquiries, please contact: Georgina Baker
mooniesportsclub@gmail.com.au or 4665 1068

Moonie Clay Target Club
3rd Sunday of the month
Enquires to Donald Cameron
4665 0141

Details of the bank account for
anyone who would like to directly pay are:
Moonie Sports Club
BSB: 084675  A/C: 814604647
Use your name for reference please and state reason for payment

Please support as many of these cricket games as you can:

Moonie Cricket Season 2016/2017
The games this season for Moonie will be:
19th February v Condamine at Condamine @ 9.30am
26th February v Condy & M’darra at Condamine @ 9.30am
Grand Final 12th March at Meandarra @ 9.30am

Moonie Annual Gun Club 2 day shoot
18th & 19th February 2017
ALL WELCOME to come to the DINNER on
Saturday night 6.30pm
2 course dinner & Nibblies
$20 per person.

RTC Roster 2017
18 Kaylene Paschke
19 Sonia Taylor 25 Dawn Brown
26 Annie Duffield Apr 1 Laine Neale
2 Gary Ryan 8 Catherine Baker
9 Mim Hirst 14 Denise Gooderham
15 Rhonda Urquhart 16 Sonia Taylor
17 Dawn Brown 22 Kaylene Paschke
23 Dot Ryan 25 Heather Sullivan
29 Lynelle Urquhart 30 Kay Bishop
Mar 4 Dot Ryan 5 Margaret White
11 Heather Sullivan 12 Gayleen Lindsay
18 Kay Bishop 19 Catherine Baker
25 Kay Neale 26 Dawn Brown
Working Bee
Thursday 23rd February from 2pm

We have a big list of items that need attention around our wonderful school, so please come along and help get our grounds in top condition.

Battery drive
Your old batteries are hot property! Dick See is kindly allowing his place to be a collection point again so please bring up any you have lying around and put them on the palette near his workshop. Thanks Dick.

Footy Season kicks off again in early March

This year the ‘Crossroads’ is running the footy tipping competition.

We will have full details in the ‘Weekly’ next week

THE WOLF
WEST OF LEICHARDT TIE

MOONIE YABBIE RACES

| 4TH MARCH 2017 | SATURDAY |

You are invited to attend our Pre-Race Luncheon and enjoy the hospitality of our Moonie Sports Club members.

TIME: 1pm - 2pm
COST: $40 per person
ADDRESS: Moonie Sports Club, cnr Moonie & Leichhardt Hveys, Moonie QLD
INCLUDES: Entry to Yabbie Races, cocktail-style lunch, beer, wine & champagne
RSVP: By 23rd February 2017 to Elizabeth Cameron Ph: 0427 427 664 or book online at www.moonieyabbieraces.com.au

Enjoy lunch with Channel 7’s HOUSE RULES Winners, Luke & Cody

To see all Program, Competition & Race Day Information visit www.moonieyabbieraces.com.au
**COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Defibrillator**
There is a defibrillator at the Moonie Sports Club.
Keys are available from Moonie Crossroads or the Rural Transaction Centre.

**Moonie Kindy**
is at the Moonie Sports Club
**WEDNESDAYS, 9.00am - 2.45pm**
for children AGED 3 YEARS AND UP without a parent.
Children under this age can attend from 9-11am for Playgroup also, parents must be in attendance for Playgroup.

**CATHOLIC CHURCH**
Mass is held at 9:30 am. On the 1st, 2nd & 3rd Sundays of every month.
No Church on 4th & 5th Sundays.

**ANGLICAN CHURCH**
The February Anglican Church service will be in Tara on February 26th at 8am with Bishop Cameron Venerables taking the service.

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**MOONIE VISUAL ARTS GROUP**
Club days for 2017
7th March, 4th April, 2nd May,
6th June, 4th July, 9th Aug, 5th Sep, 1st Oct, 14th Nov
Club days are held at the Moonie Sports Club 9am until 3pm. Tea and coffee are provided/shared morning tea/bring your own lunch.
Bring whatever project you are working on.

**Workshop Weekends 2017**
18/19th Feb (Hannaaford)
27/28th May
14/15th October
Contact Arlie on arlie02@bigpond.com

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**MOONIE PLAYGROUP**
Moonie Playgroup has restarted!
Meeting at 9am on the last Friday of each month at the Moonie Sports Club.
All parents and little ones welcome!
BYO morning tea.

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Show your support and come to the AGM of the ICPA at the Moonie School (somewhere in the air conditioning) at 3pm on Monday the 20th Feb
General meeting will follow.
Any questions about you child's education in Isolation - from prepps to TAFE Apprentices.
Melbourne cup Luncheon is this year so we need your ideas
And yes there will be cake!
RSVP if you wish to me (Penny)

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Community Warning!!!
Be aware of a 1994 Dual Cab Hilux with a dog box on the rear
Registration is 168-VPO
This vehicle has been spotted/stopped on numerous occasions poaching & trespassing on different properties around the area
Family Fun

The Moonie Yabbie Races is known for its unique day out for families, and this year is going to be no different, with...

- Face painting,
- Giant Slide and Jumping Castle,
- Fashions on the filed prizes,
- Scott Bridle Lolly Drop,
- Austbikers Foot Races, and
- Fireworks

For more program times visit www.moonieyabbieraces.com.au

RAFFLE PRIZES WORTH CHEERING ABOUT!

Thanks to the continued support of our sponsors, once again we have two great raffle prizes on offer. For your chance to win either the Newport Mooloolaba Holiday or Tara Rural Supplies $1000 (or shop voucher), please buy or sell your books of tickets and return money or unsold ticket to Georgina Baker (or leave at the RTC) as soon as possible!

We would appreciate it if everyone could have their money & sold tickets back by 2nd March 2017.

*Remember unsold tickets need to re-distributed so the sooner you get them back the more we can sell!!*
Don't forget our AUTHOR VISIT this WEDNESDAY from 9.30am. Morning tea provided.

Please RSVP to moonie rtc@wdrc.qld.gov.au or call us on 4665 0189. Bookclub to follow afterwards.