From the Principal's pen
Dear Parents and Community Members

Policies and Procedures
With a brand new year underway it is timely that we take stock of the policies and procedures to ensure both new and returning families are all on the same page.

Absences: if your child is going to be away, the school as a government run organisation needs either written or verbal reasoning from you (the parent). The absence line (4665 0276) is the preferred method for this as it is checked daily at 9am.

Early Departure: The sign out sheet is now located on the fridge in the lower classroom along with the bus book. Please sign this as you pick up your child for an early departure.

Afternoon Buses: Staff have been advised to put children onto their normal bus unless there is an explicit message stating otherwise. A verbal instruction to your child is no longer simply grounds to change the plan. Please let staff know so we can amend the records.

Parade: Will continue to be Monday afternoons. All are welcome this is the place where weekly celebrations of achievement occur should you wish to attend you are more than welcome.

Hats: With the weather still so warm I ask that you are promoting the importance of your child’s hat. I have and will continue to enforce the NO NIT, NO PLAY policy. Thank you for your cooperation with this.

Over...

6/02/17

Date Claimers

February
8  P&C Meeting @ 6.30pm
8, Sports Club Meeting
8-10 Leadership Camp
15 Leadership Ceremony
15 Errol Bishop @ RTC
18/19 Annual Gun Club Shoot
20 ICPA AGM
22 BMO @ Sports Club
26 Anglican Church

March
4 Yabble Races

Absence Line
4665 0276
Leadership Camp Week
Our school leaders will be travelling to Columboola for the annual cluster leadership camp on the 8, 9 & 10th of February. This is an invaluable opportunity to meet new people and learn new skills. Skills that simply cannot be taught in an ordinary classroom. The camp aims to challenge the students to be courageous, thoughtful, helpful, decisive and caring. With these qualities the students can then return to their respective schools and lead the student body into 2017.

The Leadership ceremony will be held on Wednesday 15th February starting from 2.15pm and will consist of a short presentation and a shared afternoon tea for the leaders and their families.

Kind Regards

JB Mohr

BE SAFE! BE RESPONSIBLE! BE RESPECTFUL!

Awards
Awards this week went to:
Phoebe Hirst for excellent effort in Science
Matthew Conway for making good decisions in the playground
Isabel Adair for helping the new Preps

Congratulations to all the children who swam last Friday.
Bridie Gurner and Khyden Petersen received Age Champions.
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 Abbie Neale for the 7th 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

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

Welcome to 2017!
Our first P&C meeting for the year will be held on Wednesday 8th February from 6.30pm.

Agenda items:
♦ Working bee
♦ Implementation of successful Technology Grant
♦ Pool Equipment
♦ Swimming in 2017
♦ P&C Draw night at the Crossroads
♦ Gun club use of the Pool
Thank you to those who have already returned your P&C membership forms.

Principal’s Report
QGC Grant thank you
2017 3-6 camp?
2017 Budget Overview Report
2017 Strategic plan
Class feedback
Variety Bash Morning Tea (12th August)
Working Bee

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

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.
SPORTS CLUB NEWS
The next Sports Club meeting will be WEDNESDAY 8th February at 7.30pm.
ALL WELCOME

BIN ROSTER
11.02.17 Michael Pevy & Eddie Nolan
18.02.17 Don Cameron & Pieter Fourie
25.02.17 Ken & Michael Giltrow

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

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

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

Moonie Cricket Season 2016/2017
The games this season for Moonie will be:

11th February v Meandarra at Teelba @ 9.30am
v Condamine at Teelba after 1st game
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

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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.

MOONIE VISUAL ARTS GROUP
Club days for 2017
7th March, 4th April, 2nd May,
6th June, 4th July, 8th Aug, 5th Sep, 3rd 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 (Hannaforrd)
27/28th May
14/15th October
Contact Arlie on arlie02@bigpond.com

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.

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 preppsies 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)

GOONDIWINDI JUNIOR RUGBY LEAGUE SIGN ON DAY!!

SATURDAY 18 FEBRUARY 2017 9:00am - 2:00pm @ The Clubhouse
Cost: Under 7's - Under 10's $110.00 Under 11's - Under 16's $130.00
Please bring a copy of your child's birth certificate if this is their first time playing for GJRL.

 Regards  Jess Ogle
 GJRLFC  President
These businesses support us, please support them:

**BROWNING CARPENTRY**
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Carpenter
Mobile 0417 798 125

**Glen Echo**
Phone (07) 4665 0118

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