Principals Message

This week is a busy one with Mr Fleming visiting for a science day on Thursday and Monday is the Queen’s birthday long weekend. Don’t forget Boomi is hosting the Bakers Cup on the 25th June. Please note the Life Education Van has been postponed until the 14th August.

This term will see the following events take place – JUNE

- Science Day - 5th June
- Regional Cross Country at Coolah - 13th June
- Bakers Cup - 25th June

August

- Life Ed Day - 14th August (please note date change due to van breakdown)

As always if you have any concerns please come and see me at the school.

Kind Regards  Mick Collins
NOTICES

Primary Class News

1. The primary class have decided at our last class meeting to run a Baby photo guessing competition. All the students in 3-6 are invited to bring in a suitable photo of them to put in the guessing competition. I will photocopy the original and then send it back home. Once I have set all the photos up people will be invited to come and have a guess. All funds raised will help with the excursion. **We have had around ten photos brought in so far. It would be great to be able to start this next week.**

2. At our class meeting the children have requested that the primary class start fruit break similar to what the infants do each day. I am asking that every primary student be sent to school with a piece of fruit so as this program can be a success. We will commence Fruit break on Thursday. **We have commenced fruit break. I ask that every child be sent with a piece of fruit or vegetable.**

3. We will be commencing our Write a Reader Entries this week and will be working on them for several weeks. This year the theme is ‘Farming Families’. Without doubt some of the students will be asking if they can take photos of certain things that happen on their farm or a farm where a parent works etc. Please support your child if they request this as in the past 4 years we have had books selected for publication every year and the kids really get a lot from the competition and are very proud of their book that they end up writing.

4. **Several students in primary are interested in starting a book club on a Monday where they are able to swap books from home with other students on a loan basis only for a period of a week. This will commence on the 16th June.**

FRIDAY SPORTS
Now that Cross Country is completed we will start our athletics training on Fridays in preparation for the Bakers Cup and Border Sports.

LIFE EDUCATION VAN
The life education van has been postpone until Thursday 14th August. There will be a cost of $5 per child.
SCHOOL EXCURSIONS
After going through excursion surveys and having staff discussions it has been decided the primary class will be having a Gold Coast excursion this year and the infants will be having a local day excursion. The Primary class will stay at Runaway Bay and travel to Australia Zoo, Dream World, Outback Spectacular, Ten Pin Bowling and a few other little surprises. This will take place on the 1st – 5th September. I will need to know in the next week if your child from 3-6 will attend as I need to make definite bookings as we end up paying for people who do not end up going. I am estimating the cost to be around $400 a child. This covers transport, food and accommodation entry fees etc. **People are invited to start making part payments if they wish. I may have room for a parent or two to come along on the excursion. If you are interested please let me know. There are no guarantees!** A big thank you to BATS who have just donated some funds towards the excursion.

BOOK CONTRIBUTION - REMINDER
The school supplies the majority of books, stationary etc. This is covered through the **school book fee of $50 per child or $90 Family.** It would be appreciated if this fee could be paid ASAP. We would like to have all money in by the end of term.

HOMEWORK/ HOME READERS
These are required back each Friday

P&C News
At the recent P&C meeting there was some concern about the amount of lollies/icecreams etc children were buying at the tuckshop. Those at the meeting decided that there will be a limit of two treats per child to be sold on tuckshop day. Could you please let your children know and if you are on tuckshop please limit treats sold to two per child. Thankyou Ruth Hickson President
STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Primary

Congratulations to Montana for trying hard in all areas and Lilly for always being a great helper.

Arrabella for working well in the new literacy boxes and Jordan for excellent high jump results.

**Spelling Groups** - Congratulations to James for moving up a spelling group.

**Infants**

Ruby for learning her golden sight words and Lily for consistently listening and working independently in class.
SCHOOL HATS
It is a requirement that students wear a wide brimmed hat to school. Each child has had their name put in the hat. We will not be giving any more free hats out. Any hats required from now on will need to be purchased from Donna for $10

Reminder notes

COMING EVENTS 2014
TERM 2
JUNE
5th Science day
13th Regional Cross Country at Coolah Golf Course
25th Baker Cup Athletics - Boomi & Garah at Boomi
End of Term Friday 27th June
TERM 3
Monday 14th July First day for Teachers
Tuesday 15th July first day for students
14th August - Life Ed Van (please note change of date)
End of term Friday 19th September
TERM 4
First day of Term 7th October
End of Term 17th December for students

UNIFORM
Donna Adams is the Uniform Convenor
Polo Shirt-$28, Jackets$40, Jumper $44, Library Bags $10
Any inquiries ring Donna on 67535302 Mob 0427535276.

SCHOOL FRIDGES
I would really appreciate if you remind your child to put their lunch etc. in the fridge if they have food that requires refrigeration. The school does not supply plates, spoons etc. so please send these in with your child if required

ABSENT NOTES
If your child is away please remember we will need a note explaining the absence when returning to school. These notes can be sent to school in advance if you know they will be away before the event.
BUS TRAVEL
If your child is not catching the bus as per usual for some reason please let the school and bus driver know. This is particularly important if your child is going to the pool after school, has swimming lessons or dance lessons etc

Community News

CLAIM THE DATE
Boomi Junior Tennis Tournament - Sunday 6th July.
Boomi Open Tennis Tournament – Sunday 3rd August.

ECUMENICAL PRAYER SERVICE
for Boomi residents ROS CARLILE, MICHELLE BENDER, MAX MOLONEY AND CAROL SCOTT who are not well at present.
Michelle Bender has been the Anglican scripture teacher at Boomi School for many years
This service will be held on Sunday 15th June, 10am at the Boomi Hall followed by a morning tea.
Could people please bring a cake slice etc to share.

Any queries please call Wendi Carrigan on 67535220

BOOMI FISHING CLUB
Many thanks to those who supported our recent raffle night and to Rick and Di for allowing us to sell tickets.

After our AGM the following people were elected onto the committee -
President - Fred Hobday
Vice Presidents - John Oates and Lee Carlile
Secretary - Mick Collins
Treasurer - David Oates
SHOP NEWS
The Shop will be open from 11am to 5pm over the long weekend (7th – 9th June)

More Boomi Shop News
There will be no Goondiwindi run on Wednesday 25th June. The run to Goondiwindi will take place on Thursday the 26th instead. Please note that this change is for that week only.

FOR SALE
Pot Plants, 2 Garden chairs, BBQ, Other household items
Contact Emie Oliver on 02 67535281 Mob 0407705387

HOME NEEDED
If you are looking for a rooster please give Wendi Carrigan a call on 02 67535220.

BATS 2014
Presents: ONCE UPON A CRIME
Friday August 22nd  Saturday August 23rd
Friday August 29th   Saturday 30th
Friday September 5th  Saturday September 6th
Ticket Bookings for cast Sunday 28th July
Open to public Monday 29th July at 9am

GIVE AWAY
To Good Homes
1x white male Merena Sheep Dog 2yrs old – great with kids and
1 x male black and tan cross pup – 6 months old
Phone Nicky Yarnold 0428 936935