Term 1 – Week 5 – 25.02.2016

BOOMI & SCHOOL COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

Principal’s Message

Congratulations to the students who swam in Moree last Friday. Doyle and Lewis were successful and will represent the Moree Zone at Armidale on Monday March 7th. The students enjoyed the performance at Garah on Monday. A great history lesson of Australia.

Next week we are having a visiting Apiarist come to the school to talk to the students about native Australian bees.

Friday the 4th March is Clean Up Australia schools day. If you would like to join us, we will be cleaning around the town at about 10am. Please don’t hesitate to contact the school if you have any concerns.

Jody Kilpatrick
Principal

Maddison was awarded Good Manners Award from the canteen this week.

BOOK CONTRIBUTION

The school supplies the majority of books, stationery 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 before the end of the term please.
What's Happening in Infants

Infants had an exciting trip to Garah to watch the performance “Federation and Beyond”. They met up with their Garah friends and really enjoyed watching the performance.

This week’s sounds are bl and a-e. The children brainstormed words using these sounds and completed activities to reinforce what they have learnt. This week’s spelling activities include the use of blocks, play dough, typing the words on the computer and exploring the differences between the vowels and consonants of their words. This week’s focus in maths has been subtraction where children have used concrete materials, songs and activity sheets to reinforce this strategy. This week’s goal in writing has been the construction of writing a paragraph.

Kindergarten have been very busy revising the name, sound and action of the letters, a, i, s, t with the introduction of the new letters ‘p’ and ‘n’. Ask your child for the action of each letter, they will show you some fun movements! The number 0 – 5 have been the focus this week.
COMMUNITY NEWS

No triathlon for March, see you all again in November.

FOOTY TIPPING
The Pioneer hotel Boomi will be hosting its 2016 NRL footy tipping competition. Entry fee is $50. All entries must be in by 2nd of March. Kid’s entries are most welcome and they will be catered for in our end of year BBQ. If interested please contact Di on 0417624316 or Rick on 0428681872.

BATS AGM
Sunday 28th February 5pm ‘Daylight Savings’ at the hall.
All Welcome. Any enquires contact Dot 67535263 or Claudia 67535230

ANZAC DAY COMMITTEE MEETING
The AGM and Ordinary Meeting for the Anzac Day Committee will be held on Monday the 29th Feb, 7pm at the Hall.
Any queries, please contact Sam Hickson 67535314

SHOP HOURS
Monday-Friday 9am-6pm
Saturday-Sunday 11am-6pm

POOL AGM
Boomi Pool AGM 2nd March at 7pm at the pool.
If you or your children use the pool please consider coming to the meeting and show your support. ALL WELCOME.

WORLD DAY PRAYER
Friday March 4th at 10am Catholic Church Boomi
All Welcome.
Service written by the people of Cuba. This year Jenny Mitchell is our guest speaker. Please come along and join us.
If you would like to bring a plate to share for morning tea it would be welcome BUT NOT NECESSARY.
Contact Wendi Carrigan if you would like any more info – 67535220
BOOMI CO-OP EASTER RAFFLES
Boomi Co-op Easter Raffles 7pm Friday 11th March at the Boomi Hotel. Meat trays and Easter goodies. All money is to go to improving Community facilities. We are seeking donations of Easter Eggs from Co-op members which can be left at the shop or contact Donna Adams 0427535276.

BOOMI COMMUNITY WORKING BEE
Sunday 20th March 8am-1pm
Pool, tennis and Co-op area needing some TLC.
Bring your gardening tools. Many hands make light work.
Bring a salad and some meat for a BBQ lunch afterwards.
Everyone is Welcome. Donna Adams 0427535276.

CLEARING SALE
Murki Boomi NSW
Saturday 19th March
On-farm, commencing 10am.

MOREE HOCKEY ASSOCIATION
Moree Hockey Association will be holding its Annual General Meeting on Monday 29th February 2016 at 6:00pm at the Moree Golf Club.
All interested players are welcome to attend.
Parents of junior players are urged to attend the meeting.
For any enquiries please contact
Matt 0447422827    Carol 0428523044
PCYC MOREE
MOREE PLAINS YOUTH COUNCIL
RUN4KIDS COLOUR RUN

EARLY BIRD TICKETS!
$50 Adult
includes T-shirt, Glasses & Sweat Band!
FREE Under 17
Packs available for purchase $25 each

MUST BE REGISTERED BY FRIDAY
MARCH 31ST.

Any Registrations after this date are $60 per adult and no pack is guaranteed.

SATURDAY APRIL 16TH
2PM
Moree District Services Club

The event involves running/walking through colour gauntletts placed throughout the course. The event will be followed by;

LIVE ENTERTAINMENT
NOVELTY EVENTS
ICE-CREAM VAN
SNOW-CONES
PHOTOBOOTH

DON’T MISS OUT ON THIS FANTASTIC FAMILY EVENT!

All participants will be required to complete a PCYC Membership form as a waiver on the day. This will be free of charge. For more information regarding the event please contact the PCYC on 02-67523741
Please see below for information regarding the upcoming Autumn Comp and registration details:

Commencement Date: Friday, 11\textsuperscript{th} March, 2016

Duration: 9 Weeks, finishing Friday, 27\textsuperscript{th} May 2016 (excluding holidays)

Format: Teams tennis for established players (Silver & Gold Divisions)
Hot-Shots Leagues singles tennis for new players (this division was previously called Bronze Group but has been renamed Hotshots Leagues in line with the Tennis Australia program for developing players of that level). For the information of returning players, it will continue to be run on Friday afternoons in the same format as Bronze Group in previous years

NOTE: HotShots for beginners is to continue but is no longer being run in conjunction with Comp and Hotshots Leagues, it will be on Wednesday nights and parents should contact Margie Buckley Tel: 0407521450 or Jamie Honour Tel: 0429835653 for further information and nomination

Registration: Wednesday 24\textsuperscript{th} February, 2016 and Wednesday 2\textsuperscript{nd} March 2016 at the Clubhouse from 3:30pm-4:30pm or during business hours at Stephen Sparke Jewellers, Heber St, Moree until 5pm on 4\textsuperscript{th} March 2016. NO LATE REGISTRATIONS OR FEES CAN BE ACCEPTED.

Grading for New Players only: Wednesday 24\textsuperscript{th} February, 2016 from 3:30pm at the courts but grading will take place on Wednesday 2\textsuperscript{nd} March if necessary.
If unable to attend grading on 24\textsuperscript{th} February please call ASAP to make an alternative appointment for 2\textsuperscript{nd} March or another time.

Cost: $25 competition nomination fee per child
$35 club membership fee (for 2016 calendar year)
$145 family membership fee (2 adults plus children for 2016 calendar year)

Further information Comp players: Kate 0427524679, Felicity 0448648600, Melita 0427526124
Use hygienic practices for food safety (SITXFSA101)
Safe Food Handling – Level 1

This course is for all staff, involved in the preparation, storage and service of food and beverages, including volunteers with Service Organisations, and is an important qualification for anyone looking to work in the hospitality and tourism industry. This is a practical course which will enable you to follow correct workplace hygiene procedures, and identify and prevent hygiene risks. The course also stresses the importance of personal hygiene practices, which are especially important when working with food.

Registered Training Organisation: ATAC (RTO#90886)

When: Monday 21st March, 8.45am – 4pm
Where: Moree Community College
Cost: $100

BOOK NOW @ Moree Community College 0267 511430
moree@communitycollegeni.nsw.edu.au www.communitycollegeni.nsw.edu.au

For all courses delivered by ATAC (RTO #: 90886) the trainer must sight a photo ID to confirm that the name you have provided on the enrolment form is your FULL CORRECT NAME. Start and finish times are requirements of legislation and cannot be negotiated.