FROM THE PRINCIPAL

From our sports carnival last Wednesday, we also shared the Ainsworth trophy (participation). Four out of five trophies isn’t bad for a small school. Our students are definitely triers and put the effort in when it is required. Well done, everyone.

The date for the District Carnival at Jandowae is the 23 August, not the 16th. Mrs Hauff will be attending the Carnival, along with Mr Gilmore.

I have included some more photos of the day, sent to me by Mandy Taylor. Thanks Mandy.

On Monday the students commenced their gymnastics classes. I had a brief look at what they were doing and I was glad it was them doing the tumbles, kicks and handstands.

This Thursday the Pre-prep program begins (1.30 – 3.00) We are all looking forward to seeing the students who will be joining us for Prep next year.

On Friday, the students are presenting their line dance on parade. I have asked them to come dressed in ‘country’ clothes/’cowboy’ clothes as part of the theme.

As part of the students’ reward for this term, I have suggested a sleepover at the school with Ms Siddins and myself on the last Thursday (19th). We will then travel into town (Dalby) on Friday and watch a movie, plus go out to lunch, possibly the RSL. This is only tentative at this time.

Judy Angel

STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Student of the Week has been awarded to Hayden Taylor.

Our school rule awards are:

- Respect for Yourself – George Hayward
- Respect for Other Students and Staff – Annabelle Taylor

Congratulations to Hayden, George and Annabelle on receiving their awards.

TUCKSHOP

There will be tuckshop this Friday – toasted sandwiches ($2.00) and Juice ($1.00) Mmmmmmmmm.

BOOK CLUB

Please return orders by Friday 30 August.
HELP US WIN A $20000 STAFF ROOM MAKEOVER

Thanks to QT Mutual Bank we have the chance to win a $20,000 staffroom makeover as part of their “Staffroom for Improvement” competition.

The prize is a complete makeover of our school’s main staffroom and even better is the chance for individual voters to win one of five $1,000 QTMB bank accounts. The winning school will be the one with the most votes weighted against the number of students, so any school, small or large has an equal chance to win. We need as much support from our local school community as possible.

Simply visit www.staffroomforimprovement.com.au to read the terms and conditions and register your interest today. The competition kicks off on 28 August so spread the word and get as many people as possible to vote for our school.

P&C MEETING

The next P&C meeting is on the 12 September at 3.30pm. See you there.

The P&C are collecting recipes in order to print a recipe book for the school. All members of the community are invited to submit recipes. They can be handed directly to the school, any member of the school or emailed to sharee_ben@bigpond.com. We have not received very many recipes. If you have a favourite to share, please give them to the school or email them through. All recipes need to be received by 31st August.

ENROL FOR PREP 2014

PREP ENROLMENTS

Warra State School is now taking enrolments for Prep 2014. If your child turns 5 by June 30th, 2014, they are eligible to commence Prep next year.

If your child is born between 1st July 2008 and 30th June 2009, please drop into our office to collect an enrolment pack. Also, please contact the school for an interview time. Enrolment forms need to be completed and given to the school plus the interview needs to be conducted BEFORE your child can commence Prep. The school needs to sight the original birth certificate of the child being enrolled, plus take a copy to complete the process.

For this term and next, (Term 3 and 4), a Pre-prep program will be operating for those students who are enrolled for Prep at Warra SS in 2014, one afternoon a week. This is to begin on the 15th August. (TOMORROW) The program will run from 1.30 – 3.00pm each Thursday for Term 3 and 4.

DATES TO REMEMBER

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JUNIOR FICTION SAMPLE HOUR

What’s your favourite book ever?

Bring it along, enjoy some tasty treats plus live readings from other great junior fiction titles.

Dalby Library - Friday August 23
6:00pm - 7:30pm (Ages 8+)
Book online at
www.library.wdrc.qld.gov.au
LIVE IN CONCERT @ THE RSL

STORIES OF GHOSTS

"Listen to this with open ears and mind. If Bob Dylan or Leonard Cohen delivered an album with songs as good as these, the critical response would be rapturous. Conway and Zygier deserve no less." - Courier Mail

"Some of the most engaging songs I've ever heard from Deb & Willy. Some of the music makes the little hairs on my neck and arms stand at attention. That doesn't happen often." - Bill Roper, Network Music Programmer, ABC Local Radio

"A career-high release. The Age

"The latest offering from the Conway-Zygier team is simply outstanding." - Canberra Times

"Stories of Ghosts is an incredible collection of simply stunning songs centering on life's journey." - Canberra Times

"East Of Eden" stops you in your tracks, a piece of lyrical eloquence the likes of which rarely surface above all the muck these days." - Rhyming Magazine

DEBORAH CONWAY  WILLY ZYGIER

Sat 17th August - DOORS AND BAR OPEN 6PM

6:30pm: LOCAL SHOWCASE  7:30PM DEBORAH CONWAY

$25 ADULTS  $15 CONCESSION  FREE CHILDREN UNDER 12

TICKETS AVAILABLE @ RSL (07) 4662 2309 AND DALBY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE (07) 4662 4050 (ALSO AVAILABLE AT THE DOOR)

DEBORAH CONWAY WILL HOST AN INTIMATE WORKSHOP @ 12 NOON

ON 17TH AUGUST @ THE MUSIC STUDIO BOOKINGS: 0408 079960
Celebrate 150 years of Dalby Town
21st August 2013

Dalby's 150th Year Celebrations
PO Box 663 Dalby Q 4405
4662 4050/0427 871 492

Saturday 17th August

11:30am Unveiling of Dalby 150 Year Celebration mosaics at the Busking area.
12:00pm 150th Year Street Parade along Cunningham Street
12:00pm DEBRA CONWAY WORKSHOP @ MUSIC STUDIO ($25 / $15 Concession)
12:45pm Lantern Making Workshop @ Dalby Shopping World
12:45pm Family Carnival with rides, entertainment, markets and activities
12:45pm Warwick Credit Union Stage with the Windy City Jazz Men + local music + poetry
2:00pm Kids join in the Amazing Race – Sponsored by Arrow Energy
6:30pm DEBRA CONWAY ‘STORIES OF GHOSTS’ CONCERT @ DALBY RSL ($25 / $15)
   + ASA Dalby Singer-Songwriter showcase (For info: Melinda on 0408 079960)

Wed 21st August

6:30pm Celebration of the 150 years at the iconic Mary’s Commercial Hotel—don’t miss our Birthday Cocktail Party (Tickets $25 adults) + live music + nibbles + guests

Saturday 24th August

4:00pm Delicious and Delightful Festival in George Anderson Park with Multi-cultural food and Multicultural entertainment + Oom Paa German Band
   Community Lantern Parade and fireworks

Saturday 31st August

12:00pm Plough Inn Cup/Saints Race Day at Bunya Park Racecourse

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