Dear Parents, Students and Staff

It’s that time of year when again we start to look at classes for next year. Placement of students depends on many factors such as social groupings and academic ability; taking into account the best ‘mix’ of students. Once classes are announced, changes are not possible, so now is your opportunity for input. If you have specific placement requests please send them in writing to me, preferably by the end of next week. While there are no guarantees, requests will be met where possible.

We have now held two very successful Prep induction mornings with students having a wonderful time as they prepared for Prep in 2013. We are looking forward to receiving enrolment forms from these families. If you are aware of anyone that has not yet enrolled their children in Prep for next year please ask them to contact the office as soon as possible.

This Friday Recreational Activities will begin with Zumba, AFL, crocheting and construction being just some of the activities planned. Students will be asked to nominate their preferred group this week. Thank you to all those who have offered to assist with these activities over the next few weeks.

Congratulations to Margie Grant whose team has just won the Touch Football competition in the National Master’s Games competition. Margie with return no doubt a little bruised and battered after playing a number of games against teams from all over Australia.

P &C meeting 7pm tonight in the Resource Centre – hope to see you there.

Carol Butler-Mader (Principal)

KITCHEN NEWS
Last week Rick’s class finished up in the kitchen for the year. Thank you to all the children for making cooking so much fun and to the parents who came into help. I have had such a great time with you all!

Happy cooking. Amanda ☺

Friday Night Steaks - Due to the popular demand this event will now be held on the 23rd November on the deck of the SAKS kitchen near the garden, just as a social gathering for parents and interested parties to get together and enjoy a meal.

Prices for menu are as follows: Steak, salads and a roll $10 (pre-paid), $15 on the night Sausage, salads, bread and ice block $5. BYO all drinks (kids and otherwise)…

RSVP by 20/11/12 to the office.

HPE NEWS - RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES
Reminder to students from Prep to Year 6, to hand in their Rec form to their teacher please. If you have thank you.

AQUATHLON TRIALS - reminder
Students please return your form to the office by tomorrow 14th November.

Have a Healthy Active Week Margie.
The Central Regional Director of Education has decided to disband the Keppel Coast Sports District. Next year our school will become part of The Rockhampton Sports District. If you would like to try and change this decision a petition has been drawn up by parents from the schools that are affected. I will be outside the prep entrance at 8.30 a.m. and 2.45 p.m. on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday this week if you would like to sign it. If there are any parents who would like to take a copy of the petition and get signatures I will have some spare forms with me.

SAVE THE KEPPEL COAST SPORTS DISTRICT (KCD).

Hello everyone! I have a big favour to ask all present and all former Green club participants. Could we please have a good turn out on Sunday for a short, but hopefully effective, garden BLITZ. We have some willing (sort of willing!!) men who will be doing the next part of the pizza oven. I also have half a gate into the chook area which needs completion. The gate post is up, but the gate needs attaching i.e. we need people with cordless drills etc. Lawn mowers and brush cutters would be good too.

SO - if you could spare 3 hours on SUNDAY NOVEMBER 18th from 9:00 – 12:00, the garden would appreciate it and so would I.

Also it is getting so close to the Summer Holidays, could I please have some chook lovers to take chooks for the whole holiday time? Even if you could just take one chook that would help.

I will leave a form up on the office notice board for you.

NO GREEN CLUB THIS WEEK – Professional Development.

Thanks everyone. Without your help the garden would not function. Pam

**Uniform Shop**

The ladies are looking for one more helper to assist them on a Tuesday morning with the sale of uniforms. If you are interested and can help, please leave your name and contact details at the office.

Also please put on your calendar for 2013, the Uniform shop will be open on the 24th and 25th January from 9:00am – 12 noon both days. Thankyou

**BOOK CLUB**

The last Book club catalogues for the year will be handed out to students this week. Please return orders and payment to the office by Friday November 23rd. If you wish to purchase gifts, simply write “GIFT” across the order form along with a contact phone number and your orders can be collected from the office, all other orders will be given to the students. The school receives free books and resources when ever you purchase items so, thank you for your support.

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**Temporary Teacher Aide Position 24/01/13 to 13/12/13 Taranganba State School.**

A vacancy exists for a temporary teacher aide position for 28.75 hours a week. Application packages can be collected from the school office 8am to 4pm. Applications close on Friday 30 November 2012. Applications can be returned, marked "Confidential" to: Business Services Manager, Taranganba State School, PO Box 1109, Yeppoon 4703 or Email - belli54@eq.edu.au

Applicants to write a short response or letter (max 1-2 pages) on how your experience, abilities and knowledge apply to the position including a detailed resume and two current referees. Applications will remain current for a 12 month period and may be used to fill future vacancies.

**Community Notices**

**CAR BOOT SALE AT CAWARRAL SCHOOL**

ON SAT 17TH NOV 2012 from 7AM – 12 MIDDAY
PLANTS, BRIC A BRAC, PRODUCE & LOTS MORE
BACON & EGG BURGERS, DRINKS
FREE JUMPING CASTLE
TO BE HELD AT THE CAWARRAL SCHOOL, ANNIE DRIVE,
ALL ENQUIRES AND SITE BOOKINGS PLEASE RING ASHA ON 49209333 9AM - 3PM WEEKDAYS ONLY

**DATE** | **CLAIMER** | **DECEMBER**
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13th | P & C Meeting - 7pm in the library | 4th Week 9 Swim Carnival 9yrs – 13yrs
16th | Week 6 Year 7 Surf Ed | 5th Year 6’s LOTE visit to Mercure Resort
23rd | Week 7 KCD Yr 7’s Beach Activities | 6th Week 9 Swim Fun Day Prep – Yr 3
29th | Year 7’s LOTE visit to Mercure Resort | 7TH Week 9 Year 7 Surf Ed all day
30th | Week 8 Year 7 Surf Ed | 10th | Year 7 Graduation Report Cards / Book Lists handed out

**Thanks Del.**