Dear Parents, Students and Staff

At Farnborough we pride ourselves on the caring and supportive school environment. On the whole, our student behaviour is excellent and our students care for others and look after younger and new students.

A recent example of this was noted by teachers in the playground who observed Year 6 students playing ‘ball’ with preps for an entire lunch time; showing patience, caring and humour.

To ensure we reinforce this type of interaction amongst our students, we are introducing a program called Bucket Filling. The basic idea of the program is that we all carry an invisible bucket around, and this bucket contains our feelings and emotional wellbeing. When our bucket is full, we feel happy and when it is empty, we feel sad or angry. A Bucket Filler is someone who says or does something nice for others. This can be as simple as a smile, a compliment or an act of kindness. On the other hand, a Bucket Dipper says or does something to cause other people to feel bad. We of course want our students to be bucket fillers and not bucket dippers.

Over the coming weeks, teachers will be reading stories about bucket filling to classes, discussing terms and creating bucket filling activities. There will be activities in the library and we will introduce certificates on parade for students who are bucket fillers.

We will also continue to communicate information on the program via this newsletter.

Carol Butler-Mader (Principal)

It’s easy – just search FarnboroughStateSchool on Facebook and click ‘like’

| DATE CLAIMER |
|---------------|-----------------|
| **MAY**       | **June**        |
| 21st          | 7th Show Holiday|
| GRD Cross Country – R’ton | 10th Queen’s Birthday Holiday |
| 25th – 27th   | 11th CAO Rugby Union |
| CAP Football  | 14th KCD Sport Concludes |
| 3rd           | 18TH FSS Track & Field (1/2 Day) |
| 5th           | 20th FSS Track & Field (1 day) |

Carol Butler-Mader (Principal)
PLEASE RETURN
With last week’s newsletter all families received an envelope with a printed sheet of your child’s enrolment information.

There are still a number of forms that have not come back. Please sit down with a cup of tea / coffee, have a read and make any changes, sign and return this form to the office (even if there are no changes).

Sometimes we need to phone parents to inform them that their child is sick or injured and some of the contact details we have are not current.

Thank you

COUNTRY FAIR 21ST JULY 2013

CLASS STALLS FOR 2013

Prep Lucky Bags & Decorate a cake
Prep / Yr 1 Lolly Baskets
Year 1 Pluck-a-duck
Year 2 100’s board & Curry House
Year 2 / 3 Hot Dogs, Pony Rides
          Guess the Jelly Beans
Year 4 Choc Drop
Year 4 / 5 Potted Herbs / SAKG
Year 5 / 6 “Best Pin Shot” Golf Competition
Year 6 / 7 Cake Stall

Rosters for the following stalls will be on display in the office for you to record your name and phone number against your desired time slot. These stalls are not attached to any class rooms stalls and do require assistance to make them run smoothly. Even just one hour on one stall will make a huge difference to those running and organising theses stalls.

*Plant and Produce  *Craft Stall  *Second Hand  *Book Stall  *Coffee Shop
*White Elephant  *BBQ Stand  *Cent Sale  *Front Desk (ticket sales etc)

REMEMBER TO CHECK WITH YOUR CHILD/RENS CLASS TEACHER TO SEE WHAT NEEDS TO BE DONE FOR THEIR STALL.

ROSTERS WILL BE UP SOON SO YOU CAN RECORD YOUR NAME AND DESIRED TIME TO ASSIST ON THESE STALLS.

SCARECROW COMPETITION IS ON AGAIN – WATCH THIS SPACE FOR DETAILS – BUT GET YOUR THINKING CAPS ON

Just to jolt the memory – here are some of the things that stalls are looking for

Potted plants Produce and maybe a rooster, fish or chook Books and Magazines
Craft items Soft cuddly toys (in good condition) Pre-loved toys for Prep lucky bags
Cent Sale items Tokens for Side Show Alley Small toys Vouchers
Unusual containers for the potted herb stall – old boots, teapots, biscuit containers, pots – the list is endless Cakes, biscuits, preserves, lollies, scones, caramels, toffees.
Parents are needed to work with their children at this fun gathering – so that I have a chance to direct and teach!

**Scarecrow Competition** – is open now. Bring in $10 and you will be given an entry number. All will be judged at the Fair. Great prizes to be won.  **Thanks Pam.**

**LOLLIES NEEDED!**
The Prep/1 class will be making lolly baskets to sell at the Fair this year. We are asking families to kindly donate a bag of wrapped lollies. These can be dropped off at Mrs Mills' room or the office. Thank you for your support.  **Prep/Yr 1**

**GARDEN NEWS**

**GREEN CLUB  3:00pm – 4:00pm**

**COMMUNITY NOTICES**

**KEPPLE COAST GUIDES**

**33rd ANNUAL HOBBY HORSE DERBY**

9:00am - 1:00pm  
Saturday 25th MAY 2013  
BEAMAN PARK, YEPPOON

Races commence 9:00am  
JOCKEYS WANTED! ANY AGE

Come join the fun  
Heaps of prizes to be won

Advertise your Business or Sport  
Phone 49336964 to get your sponsor sheet  
Support your favourite jockey  
Cakes & Sweets, 100's Board, Raffle, Tombola,  
Plants & Produce, Trash & Treasure, Hamburgers, Drinks,  
Jumping Castle, Children’s Games

**LOTS OF FUN FOR EVERYONE**

Do you...
Want to better understand the weather?Want to know more about severe storms and tropical cyclones?Want to know how to be prepared?

**Come along and hear from local meteorologist Mike Griffin. Mike has over 30 years’ experience as a weather forecaster and will offer practical information and advice in these free sessions:**

- **AltonDowns**, Alton Downs Hall | **Monday 3 June 2013**
- **Yeppoon**, Community Development Centre, Room B | **Tuesday 4 June 2013**
- **Gracemere**, Barry Street Hall | **Wednesday 5 June 2013**
- **MountMorgan**, School of Arts | **Thursday 6 June 2013**
- **Bajool**, Bajool School of Arts | **Tuesday 11 June 2013**
- **EmuPark**, Cultural Hall | **Wednesday 12 June 2013**
- **The Caves**, The Caves Community Hall | **Wednesday 19 June 2013**
- **Rockhampton**, Southside Library, Fitzroy Room | **Wednesday 26 June 2013**

**All Sessions 6.30pm - 8pm**

To RSVP please contact: Community and Cultural Development  
4936 8569 Or Email  [communitydevelopment@rrc.qld.gov.au](mailto:communitydevelopment@rrc.qld.gov.au)
WTF Women that Fish Barra Classic
Fitzroy River, Rockhampton 11 & 12th October 2013
To register your interest please contact either:
Belinda Lindel 0407 674 198 / belinda2428@hotmail.com
Shara Van Haeren 0429 923 243 / rvanhaeren@bigpond.com
Open to ladies 8yrs and over
This is a catch and release competition
WTF is affiliated with the Barra and Basstastic Club

Community Development Centre
Celebrating Community Centres Month
MORNING EXPO
Thursday 23 May 2013
9.30am - 12.30pm | 80 John St Yeppoon
Bookings are essential. 4913 3840

The Community Development Centre
The meeting place for visiting services
and community groups.
Come and see the extensive range of information stands
available in the CDC Garden and surrounds.

FREE WORKSHOPS @ THE EXPO
9am-10am Free writing workshop Room C
9.30am Tai Chi demonstration Room A & B
9.30am Free hearing screening Small meeting room
9.45am Story telling at playgroup Garage
10am Music Interlude Room C
10.30am Story telling Library
10.30am Morning tea Garden
11 am Bring your garden to life workshop Landscape marquee
11 am Technology workshop Library annex
11 am USA presentation Room C

Rockhampton Regional Council
provides a range of developmental support activities for young people aged 10-25yrs across the
Rockhampton Region.
FREE Workshops are held at the Community Development Centre Yeppoon.
Art and Craft Workshops
Encouraging youth to use their creativity to make dream catchers
Tuesday 4 June 2013 CDC Garage 3pm - 5pm
Tuesday 11 June 2013 CDC Garage 3pm - 5pm
Phone the Community Development Centre on 4913 3840 to register your interest.

YEAR 6/7 CAMP FUNDRAISER

Still going - every Monday at 1st break, until the end of Term 2.
There will be hot dogs for sale at the tuckshop for $3.00 each
and icy cups will be on sale for 50c. Are there any parents of Yr 6/7 students that could help us with this please?

Any Year 6/7 parents wanting to donate cordial (red, green, sars and orange) to make icy cups (which sell on Mondays and at Friday sport) please bring your
donation to the classroom. Remember all this money raised goes towards cutting the cost of your
child’s Brisbane camp.

Thanks