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NEWSLETTER
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Great state. Great opportunity.
Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Before School Routines

This is just a reminder to parents about our before school routines.

- Students who arrive at school before 8am wait in the seating area outside the tuckshop until the supervising adult arrives. If children are with their parents they should be sitting as well.

- All students in Year 1 to Year 6 come to the Hall between 8:00am and 8:25am where there is supervision by Mrs Griffiths, Mrs Betts or Miss Jeppesen.

- Classes are collected by their teacher from the Hall.

- Students do not take their bags to classrooms prior to lining up in the morning; they are to go straight to the Senior Covered Area with their bags.

Students in Prep Blue, Prep Red, Prep Yellow, Prep/1 Purple and Prep/1 Green wait outside their classrooms until teachers open the classroom doors - **Do not enter the blocks unless the class teacher has indicated the classroom is open.**

Students and younger siblings are NOT to play on playground equipment before or after school. This is a matter of supervision and safety.

Chaplaincy Mancake Day

Start planning for Mancakes on Thursday 1st of September. Please join us in raising funds for Chaplaincy. The funds help us continue to have a chaplain at Dakabin S.S. Each year we have to raise money for the programs run by Chappy Beck and raise the shortfall between the grant we receive and the Chaplain’s wage. If you are able to help flip a few pancakes to support our Chaplaincy program we would love the help, otherwise come along and enjoy some lovely hot pancakes to start your day.

Book Week

Don’t forget that our **Dress Up Day** will be **Thursday the 25 of August.** Parade will start at 1:30 that day and we would love parents to come and join in the fun. The decoration of classroom blocks has already begun will the “**Grand Reveals**” due next Tuesday. Here is my favourite Dr Seuss quote, “The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you’ll go.”

Have a great week!

Lyn Griffiths
A/Principal

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**Upcoming Events**

**TERM 3**

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**Uniform Shop Hours Prep Transition Days**

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Over the next few Thursdays, the Uniform shop will be open at the above hours. Layby (3 months to pay) is available at the Uniform Shop. If parents need help on other days please leave contact details and a message with the office ladies and arrangements can be made to accommodate various days and times.

Thanks Linda Daffern
Uniform Shop Convenor

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**Principal's Award Winners**

Congratulations to
Fury Coulston-Walker
Holly Walmsley-Crust
Declan Hodgson

**ABSENCE LINE**
34915260
Call at any time of the day or night to report absences. State date absent, student’s name, class and reason for absence
School Read-A-Thon

We’re finally here!! Starting on Monday, students will be reading their favourite books for the School Read-A-Thon!

Students are going to be reading at school or at home for 30 minutes a day. It will be a great time to encourage reading and follow up with them about how their reading is going.

We’ve set our money due back date as FRIDAY 2ND SEPTEMBER 2016 so please make sure you’ve collected all your money by then.

Remember ALL STUDENTS who wish to claim a prize MUST return the back page of their sponsorship form by the due date above.

Thanks so much for your support – let’s have some fun reading!

Dakabee Award
Recipients for Term 3 Week 6

Be Safe
Cameron Gillies 2 Jade
Harry Sephton 5 Turquoise
Joape Rokosoi Prep One Green
Tyler Murray 1 Orange
Tali Flanagan 2/3 Indigo

Be Sensible
Zane Smith Prep 1 Purple
Gemma Oliver 2 Lime
Rogue Brut 6 Olive
Cayden Mercer 3 Navy
Chloe Window Prep Red
Flynn McLucas 4/5 Emerald
Lucas Taylor 4/5 Sapphire
Zeb Drake 1 Aqua

Be Respectful
Beau Hayter 2 Teal
Ashton Gurd 3 Crimson
Charlie Jones 4 Garnet
Dean Griffin 3 Violet
Seth Hughes Prep Blue
Mikaylah Steinhardt 4 Topaz
Lorelai Campbell 1 Ruby
Rowan George Prep Yellow

PE
Rowan Martin Prep Blue

MUSIC
Tyler Furnell 4 Topaz

JAPANESE
Uraiah O’Connor 4/5 Sapphire

SCHOOL CHOIR

Upcoming choir events
The Junior and Senior choir have been working very hard to get themselves ready for performances throughout this term. We have several performances booked that we are looking forward to. Below is the list for Term 3:

Junior Choir:
Good Start child care Tuesday 23 August (10.00am)
Parade – Thursday 25 August
Magical music evening – 30 August (Tuesday 6.00pm in the hall)

Senior Choir:
Parade – Thursday 25 August
Magical music evening – 30 August (Tuesday 6.00pm in the hall)
Kidsing – Thursday 1 September 9.30am, Kurwongbah SS

Thank you for your ongoing support of our choirs!

Performance Showcase – Magical Music and Performance Evening
30 August is the date for our Performance Showcase. The evening starts in the Hall at 6pm with a repeat of our very successful Wakakiri Performance. From then it is magic music for the rest of the evening, with performances from all Instrumental Groups (strings, multi and recorder) and both Junior and Senior Choirs. Notes will be coming home by Friday (please check your child’s bag for the note). All students in these groups are strongly encouraged to be there, as this is our biggest performance of the year. There will be a gold coin donation at the door to assist with the music supporters group.

All community members are most welcome to attend this concert.

“Great news our Vacation Care program is now available. Join us for an awesome day at Laserzone Lawnton and enjoy a visit from Magic Glen. Be sure to book in early to avoid disappointment. We’d love to see you all here.”