2 June 2015

Every Day Counts! Give your child the best possible chance in life!

Dear Parents and Caregivers

It was wonderful to see Mr. Jeff Packer, immediate past President of the P & C Association, receive Life Membership yesterday on Parade. Jeff was president for approximately fifteen years, but was involved for about nineteen years. This is a very long time to give up your own time to participate in any association. Our sincere thanks to Jeff and his family.

Major Maxwell from The Salvation Army visited our school yesterday and was presented with a donation, which was the proceeds of Red Sock Day. The students raised $130. Many thanks for your support.

Sports Day will be held on the 9 and 10 June. Field events will be conducted on the 9 June, as will Tabloid Sports for the younger students. Students are invited to wear their house colours, but must wear their school hat and shoes. Sunscreen and water bottles are essential! Come along and join in the fun on the day.

Our school has secured the services of Physical Education teacher, Mrs. Kristy Whitehead. It is fantastic to have her on board.

Due to illness, Mr. Joyce has been absent. I am endeavouring to employ the same Supply Teachers, however, this is not always possible. We wish Mr. Joyce a speedy recovery.

Just a reminder that the Premier’s Reading Challenge is underway. At the end of the challenge, if children have read the prescribed number of books, they will receive a certificate from the Premier. Go! Go! Go! Lakes Creek students.

Have you noticed the school sign? It is now back in its rightful place ………perhaps a little dented, but certainly not destroyed. It now has a little more character than it did prior to Marcia. Many thanks to the Bowra family and our Groundscare Officer, Royce.

Congratulations to the parents of Lakes Creek, who are always willing to lend a hand. Yesterday, the Prep class was visited by some, ‘kids’……baby goats that is………and were they cute. Many thanks to all of our parents who go that extra mile for our school.
With the cooler weather starting to creep in, numerous unnamed and unclaimed jumpers are appearing. Please ensure that your child’s possessions are clearly named. This includes hats, lunch boxes etc.

It was wonderful to see so many students receiving an ice-block on parade, for 100% attendance for the previous week, however, some students are beginning to have a few too many days away. Children will always get sick, but when they are not sick and missing days, they are also missing out on their right to a great education. Come on everyone, let’s aim for 90% attendance for the remainder of the term.

Thought of the week:

*SEEK RESPECT, NOT ATTENTION, IT LASTS LONGER.*

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**ATTENDANCE**

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Well done 5/6 W again!!!
Thought of the day:

It only takes a split second to smile and forget, yet to someone that needed it, it can last a lifetime.” — Steve Maraboli, Life, the Truth, and Being Free

TRIVIA NIGHT

funding for school chaplaincy

WHERE: North Rockhampton
State High School – Hall
Berserker Street

WHEN: 18th June

TIME: 6pm Sausage Sizzle
6.30pm Trivia begins!

COST: $10 per person
Max. 8 people per team

Round Prizes
Supper & hot drinks provided
Sausage sizzle and cold drinks for sale

Bookings Essential:
Email: jamesh2@chappy.org.au
or text: 0408 384 382

RED SOCK DAY

Nina, Jessica and Madi (School Captains) presenting Major Colin Maxwell with a cheque for $130 on behalf of student Council and the P & C towards The Salvation Army Red Shield Appeal.

MEETING TODAY

TUESDAY 2 JUNE at 3.30pm in the staffroom. All welcome.

Our Fair will be held this year on Friday 4 December, 2015.

CHRISTMAS FAIR AND MARKETS

If anyone would like to hold a stall at our Fair or know of someone who can, application forms for stall holders are available in the office.

SPORTS CARNIVAL

REMINDER

• Tuesday 9 June
Tabloid Sports 5 – 9 Years
Field Events 10 – 12 Years

• Wednesday 10 June
Whole School Athletics Carnival
Program included with today’s newsletter.

P & C NEWS

Yesterday we celebrated P. & C Day which was last Friday 29th with a cake for all the children on parade.
We presented Mr Jeff Packer with our first Life Membership of our P. & C. He was President of our P&C for 15 continuous years. Well done Jeff!
It was great to see a new face at our last P. &C. meeting. Our next meeting is **16 June 3.30pm** in the Staffroom. Everyone is welcome. Hope to see you there.

**SPORTS’ DAY TUCKSHOP LIST**

A Special Limited Tuckshop list for Sports Day - Wednesday 10 June was sent home last Friday. Orders need to be place for catering numbers. Please send this form back by this **Thursday 4 June** so ordering can be done. Adults and children for the same family can be place on one form.

Also we will be having a **SAUSAGE SIZZLE ON TUESDAY 9 JUNE ONLY** $2.50 Sausage on bread.

Orders and pay on the day at the Tuckshop by 9am. Tuesday 9 June thank you.

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