**Dates to Remember**

- 06.06.14 Student Council Biggest Morning Tea
- 09.06.14 Queen’s Birthday Holiday
- 10.06.14 Return Pie Orders
- 27.06.14 Last Day of Term 2
- 14.07.14 Start of Term 3

**Principal’s News**

**WHAT A SPEAKER!!!**

Last weekend, Year 9 student Garth Carli travelled to Brisbane to yet another level of the Rostrum public speaking competition.

Garth performed at such an excellent level that he won his age group (Junior division for Years 8, 9 & 10) and is now in the state final of the competition.

Garth travels to parliament house on July 5th to present his speech against all other finalists from across Queensland.

Congratulations Garth on an outstanding achievement so far.

The best wishes of the whole Wallumbilla community go with you when you travel to the final.

**NEW PRINCIPAL ANNOUNCED:**

Mrs Melissa Graham has been announced as the new principal for Wallumbilla School. Melissa will formally take over on Monday 14th July.

**UNDER 8’S:**

What a great day!! Last Friday we had approximately 90 young children from Wallumbilla and Yuleba here for Under 8’s day. Everyone agreed that it was an outstanding day with plenty of activities and lots of fun.

A huge thank you goes to the following people for their contributions to making the day so awesome:

- Shane Gillett – Wallumbilla police
- Tim McErlean – Wallumbilla SES
- Cara Hay (facepainting all day)
- Keith Parker (for bringing fire appliance)
- Norma Albeck
- Stuart Taylor
- Michael Taylor (loan of trough for fishing)
- Emma Rogers, Gayle Steinohrt and Lynn Lee (Health Department)

I have a collection of just over 300 photos from the day. If any parents would like a copy you can send in a memory stick and I will provide them to you. (The stick will need to be 4GB minimum).

**LONG WEEKEND:**

Next Monday (9th June) is a public holiday (Queen’s birthday) and therefore schools are closed.

**ARTS COUNCIL:**

The primary students will enjoy an Arts Council performance this Thursday afternoon. It is called ‘Marcus and the Manic Music Makers’. We will be joined by the Yuleba students for this show.

**FOOTY / NETBALL:**

Training in on for all teams on Thursday afternoon.

There are no games in the Roma and District competition this weekend due to the long weekend.

Roma and District rep teams from Under 10, 12, 13 and 14 age groups will travel to Jandowae to play and the Under 11’s are off to the Gold Coast.

**ABSENCES:**

A reminder that parents should always notify the school about why students are absent from school. We are legally obliged to be aware of where our students are on a school day.

This advice can be given by:

- Phoning the office directly
- Phoning the absence line and leaving a message (4629 8866)
- Sending a note to the teacher / office
- Writing the reason in a student’s communication book

I sent home absence reports with many students earlier this week. Please return these with a simple explanation for the indicated absences. (My apologies if this information has already been supplied but has not reached me).

**SYDNEY CANBERRA TRIP:**

Parents of students in years 7, 8 & 9 should have received a letter on Monday 26th May regarding this proposed trip. A reminder that if you wish to reserve a space on this trip you will need to forward a deposit of $125 to the office by Friday 13th June. Please advise the office as soon as possible if your child will definitely not be participating in the trip as a recalculation of cost, rebates, etc will need to be worked out.
Students of the Week: Penny Rogers, Harry West, Tryone Clifford, Ned Keegan, Sam Collier, Clancy Williams, Guy Ellis.
Bronze Spellers: Dylan Jackson.
Silver Spellers: Dylan Caston, Clancy Williams, Abe Irwin.

Book Club
Attached to this weeks newsletter is Issue 4. Please have your orders back by 13 June. This issue has a great competition where students who order from Lucky, Arrow, Star and/or Extra Book Club can WIN 1 of 8 Minecraft Prize Packs, which includes all 4 of the wildly popular books! Fill in the Minecraft competition entry form and return this with your order and payment. This is a lucky draw, so every student entry has a chance to win.

Biggest Morning Tea
Student Council are holding a ‘Biggest Morning Tea’ on Friday 6th June. Gold coin donation-Free dress. You can also purchase a hot milo with or without marshmallows for $1.50. Please bring a plate if you want to join in.

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Pie Drive Fundraiser
You only have until next week to get your orders in, please remember they need to be back by Tuesday 10 June. This is a fundraiser for the Sydney/Canberra Excursion, so every order helps. We would love to see a lot more orders come in. Delivery will be Wednesday 18 June. Payment can be made by cash and cheque to Wallumbilla State School P&C. If you would like to order please contact the school office on 4629 8888 for an order form.

Support Our Netballers
The chocolates are back!! The girls will be selling them again this Friday. Bring along $1 and buy a giant chocolate Freddo or your favourite Cadbury chocolate to support Emily, Jessie and Maranoa Netball. This Friday at lunchtime under the secondary building.

Gary & Cathy Lynn’s Farewell
An open invitation is extended to community and school members to attend Gary and Kathy Lynn’s farewell Saturday 14th June at the Wallumbilla Showgrounds from 5.30pm. BYO drinks and chair. Food kindly provided by Wallumbilla SES, Wallumbilla State School P&C and Wallumbilla Mens Shed. Special thanks to Tim Rogers.
For more information contact Stuart 0428234328 or Tash 0427538362

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12-13.06.14 Property Rights Aust Conference.
28.06.14 Dulacca Winter Athletics Carnival

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Under 8’s Day. 😊🎈

On behalf to Wallumbilla Playgroup and all families who attended Under 8’s Day last Friday, I would like to say a huge thank you to Gary and the wonderful team of teacher and teacher aides for organizing such an exciting and fun filled morning! There was an endless list of activities for the children to enjoy and I’m sure everyone had a great deal of fun!!

Melina Collier.
Wallumbilla Playgroup President

Biggest Morning Tea.

On behalf of Wallumbilla Playgroup we would like to extend a huge thank you to all businesses and individuals who supported our morning tea on Sunday. The fabulous donations meant we had wide and varied prizes for our raffles. The wonderful support of approximately 65 attendees helped make the day a great success. We managed to raise an impressive $1542.15 for Cancer Council Australia. Thank you everyone for your support and special thanks to the extra helpers on the day.

Melina and Jackie.

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**Bendemere Pony Club News**

Please come along to the Wallumbilla Showgrounds to support our local Pony Club children compete at the Sorensen Shield and the Bendemere Shield (Zone 20 competitions).

- Start time 9.00 am
- Free entry
- 7th, 8th June 2014
- Canteen in operation all day
- Multi draw raffle and $50 raffle

Volunteers are needed for time keeping and in the canteen. Please contact Joe Cavanough 4623 0241 or Rachel Irwin 4623 5494 for further information.

**Bendemere Pony Club Important Dates**

- 7 June – Sorenson Shield - Wallumbilla Show Grounds
- 8 June - Bendemere Shield - Wallumbilla Show Grounds
- 14/15 June – Unofficial Jumping Competition Day - Roma
- 19/20 July – Instructor & Rider School – Roma
- 17 August - Corfe Shield - Roma
- 27 September – Murray Cup – Dunkeld

Rallies:
- 1 June (Wallumbilla Showgrounds)

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**TABATA**

Venue: CWA Hall

Tonight

Tuesday 03 June 2014.

Time: 7 pm

Cost: $10

Bring: Yoga mat/Towel & Water

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7th Annual DULACCA

**WINTER ATHLETICS CARNIVAL**

Saturday 28 June 2014
Dulacca State School Oval, 9am start

- FUN FOR ALL THE FAMILY OF ALL AGES!

Full athletic program for 5 to 13 years awarding
Gold, Silver and Bronze Medallions for winners of finals in each event and Individual Ape Champion Trophy

Jumping Castle and novelty races for younger children

Special guest appearance from paralympian and inspirational sporting champion Darren Thrupp

Entry $2/person – Canteen and BBQ operating all day

Enquiries to Dealda Young 0448 276 536 or Tony Hindmarsh 4627 6398

This is Dulacca State School P&C’s biggest fundraising event of the year so all support big and small is appreciated. Come as a competition, or just drop in and buy lunch and a raffle ticket. It all contributes and raises valuable $$$ for the children of our community.
PROACTIVE PROTECTION OF YOUR RIGHTS – CSG & BEEF ROUNDTABLES

Would you like the opportunity to hear the best in the legal profession speaking about what are without a doubt some of the hottest topics currently being discussed in our industry? Would you also like the chance to visit a property that has 120 + gas wells, with more planned, and chat to the landholder?

The PRA Conference which is being held at the Roma Bungil Cultural Community Centre on the 12th – 13th of June promises to do all of this and more.

Day one has a full itinerary of property visits including a full scale developing coal seam gas field; not usually available for the general public. Attendees will be able to view infrastructure and talk directly to the landholders about their experiences.

Day two is the full-day conference with expert guest speakers from leading legal firms. Mrs Rea said that, “PRA has endeavoured to bring together law firms who specialise in representing landholders and have an active hands-on presence in the Surat Basin. This creates the opportunity for attendees to access the combine expertise rarely gathered together at the one venue.”

Member for Warrego Howard Hobbs will open the conference and Senator Barry O’Sullivan, proposer of the “Square Table” for beef will be the keynote speaker.

Early bird rates are available as long as you book before the 9th June.

Please register online at www.propertyrightsaustralia.org or contact Property Rights Australia 07 4921 3430 to book your place.

Wallumbilla Herefords and Wallumbilla/Surat Red Bulls

Welcome to our Meet and Greet Night at the Wallumbilla Memorial Hall on Friday 6th June 2014 at 5:30pm

Powerpoint of History of Rugby League in our Community
Photos from 1940’s to current day
(see if you can spot someone you know)
Bar-B-Que Tea
Bar Operating

All Welcome!!!