Dates to Remember

24.11.14 P&C Meeting
27.11.14 Speech Night
28.11.14 Last day for Year 10 students
12.12.14 Last day of Term 4

Principal’s News

THRASS TRAINING – PARENT INFORMATION NIGHT
Next week (17-19 November) Denyse Ritchie, one of the co-founders of THRASS will be working with staff at the school. Denise has offered to run a complimentary information session for parents. The session will commence at 5.45pm in the School Library. This is a wonderful opportunity as Denyse has extensive knowledge and experience. In 2015, we will continue to use THRASS as one of the tools to teach handwriting, reading and spelling across the school. If you would like to know more about the THRASS Chart, why students say the ‘er’ like in fern or ‘ph’ like in dolphin or would like to know the difference between a grapheme and phoneme, this is the training for you!

DETAILS FOR PARENT INFORMATION SESSION

WHEN: Tuesday 18 November 2014 – 5.45pm
WHAT: 1 hour session with Denyse Ritchie (co-founder of THRASS) FREE Session
WHERE: Wallumbilla State School Library
WHO: Parents from P-10 (incoming 2015 Prep parents are encouraged to attend)
WHY: Knowledge of the THRASS tools can assist you to provide guidance during homework and reading time at home
RSVP: Friday 14th November to Judy at the Office
Phone: 4629 8888 or by email the.principal@wallumbiss.eq.edu.au

This is an opportunity not to be missed. The school will provide supervision for children if required. Please notify the school office if supervision is required.

MUSIC FEST
On Saturday 9th November our music students participated in the annual Music Fest at Jubilee Hall in Roma. Congratulations to all students involved. The school band performed three songs, Music from GREASE, Royal March and the Party Rock Anthem. Josh Turner, Dylan Caston and Miss Bensley also performed as part of a combined Percussion Ensemble.

AWARDS NIGHT
Awards Night will be held on Thursday 27th November at the Hall from 5.45pm. At this time, I ask all perpetual trophy winners to return 2013 trophies/shields for 2014 engraving. Many thanks to community organisations and businesses that have donated prizes. Students are required to wear uniform to Awards Night.

UNIFORMS
As summer is certainly upon us parents may be considering the purchase of new school shorts. Please note that in 2015 I will expect shorts to be plain blue as per the uniform policy. Please consider this when purchasing new summer uniforms.

YEAR 6/7 TRANSITION DAY
This Friday 14th November Year 6/7 students from Yuleba and Wallumbilla have been invited to participate in a Transition Day as part of the Junior Secondary Transition Program. Staff from Wallumbilla are also visiting students at Yuleba on a Thursday.
P&C MEETING:
The next P&C Meeting will be held on Monday 24 November at 3:15pm in the library. All are most welcome to attend.

Students of the Week

Students of the Week: Bryony Freeman, Ryan Hay, Leon Noble, Scott Ellis, Liam Jackson, Jason McLean.

Other Awards: Georgia Horne, Zachary Latham, Yasmin Proud, Imogen Ries, Harry West, Sophie Young, Tryone Clifford, Brock Thrupp, Sophie Emery, Elizabeth Rogers, Noah Travella, Bianca Caston, Matthew Williams, Matt York, Joshua Latham.

Bronze Spellers: Sophie Young, Brooke Maher, Nicholas York, Joe Zellers, Dylan Caston, Clancy Williams.

Tuckshop

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Anyone who is able to spare a day I am in need of a helper on Wednesday the 26th, please let me know if you can help.
Cheers Tash

COMMITTEE DATE CLAIMER

07.12.14 Carol Evening ‘Christmas Around the World’

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