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Message from the Principal

May I take this opportunity to thank everyone who has had involvement with our school at any level over the past few weeks. Students, parents, staff and community members have all contributed to a very successful term and a number of our successes are highlighted in this newsletter. Let’s hope that Term 4 is just as good. Have a great Spring holiday!

Regards,

Robert Lawton, Principal

P&C News

$3000!!!

Congratulations and thank you to all who were involved in our first Car and Bike Show on August 30th. A whopping $3000 was made on the day to be shared equally between the Camp Quality and Childhood Cancer Support charities and the P&C. It was a great day and we’re hoping to do it again next year. Special thanks go to local sponsors who donated cash and prizes for the event.

Face-painting was a hit at the Car and Bike Show

Our next full P&C meeting is on Monday, October 13th at 3.15pm. All parents and community members are welcome to attend.

School-Wide Positive Behaviour - Focus Expectations

Since the last newsletter our behaviour lessons have focused upon celebration of positive behaviour and:

Maximising personal safety and respect for the school environment through making appropriate choices after the 3.00pm bell

The expectation is that students will sit patiently in the seating area inside of the school gate whilst waiting to be picked up. Climbing trees, walking on benches and running around inside and outside of the gate are unsafe activities.

TERM 4 DIARY DATES

- Friday, September 19th - Last Day Term 3
- Tuesday, October 7th - Term 4 Starts
- Wednesday first break (every week) - Tuckshop
- Friday, October 10th - Life Education Van (Healthy Harold) visiting school
- Monday afternoons (every week) - Library borrowing for all students
- Monday, 2.45pm (every week) - Parade (visitors welcome)
- Tuesday, October 14th - Afternoon swimming lessons start for all students (until the end of term)
- Friday, October 17th - Soccer Carnival at Gin Gin State School for Years 4 to 7
- Monday, October 20th - Student Free Day, School Closed
- Tuesday, October 21st to Friday, October 24th - 3-Way Meetings (Parent, Student, Teacher)
- Wednesday 19th Nov to Friday 21st Nov - School Camp at Mon Repos
- Monday, 24th November - Mobile Education Trailer visit for Year 4-7 presentation on University Life
- Tuesday, 25th November - Red Cross visit for Emergency Response presentations to all students
- Thursday, 4th December - Gin Gin High School Transition Day for Years 6 and 7
- Monday, 8th December - School Concert and Year 6/7 Graduation, 6.30pm
- Friday, December 12th - Reports Issued—TERM ENDS

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**SCHOOL SWIMMING LESSONS**

Start Tuesday afternoon, Week 2, Term 4

For all students

Cost: $1 each week to cover pool admission

A bus will take students to Ginn Ginn pool

Students should be collected by parents from the pool at 3.00pm

Watch out for a letter with further details in Week 1

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**Behaviour Rewards**

Well done to the following students who have been successful in attaining their Mammoth Maximiser Awards (60 Max Bands) over the last few weeks:

Week 7: Levi and Jeremy

Week 8: Mitchell, Anne, Thomas H, Mathew, Kai

Week 9: Isabella, Brock, Corey

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**Minute To Win It!!**

Along with Mrs Barns, our young scientists in Years 4 and 5 put together and presented a great collection of competitions and tests in yesterday’s ‘Minute to Win It’ session. Each of the tasks involved various forces, the theme of the students’ current work in Science. Thank you Years 4 and 5! Some pictures of the event are shown below:

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**STOP PRESS**

Allowing for absence, all Maroondan students have now attained Mammoth Maximiser status!

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**Thank You Mrs Moore**

Thanks Mrs Moore for your work with the Year 4 to 7 class week. Your help has been very much appreciated and students, staff and parents have enjoyed having you here. We hope you will be able to visit again when we next require your help.

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