



Aim High With Praise

Ma Ma Messages

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Dates to Remember

TERM 2	
June	
Week 8	
11	Mobile Library Van P&C Meeting
Week 9	
Week 10	
25	Mobile Library Van
26	Ball Games Carnival Last day of term

Principal's Diary

(This section of the newsletter outlines meetings and events during the school year where the Principal will either be out of the school or unavailable.)

Students of the Week

Toby and Jasper were the proud recipients of this week's Student of the Week awards.

In the Classroom

Sight Words Certificates:

Sam: Indigo Words
Green Words

Phoenix: Purple Words
Aqua Words

Damon: Ruby Words

Lachlan E: Aqua Words

Homework Heroes

Each week your child is given a home reader to read each night and homework to be completed by the end of the week.

Last week's Homework Heroes were: *Chase, Toby, Deena, Matthew, Teejay, Alex, Sasha, Cindy, Zharlea, Damon, Neika, Jasper, Trent, Shanoa, Jenayah, Dusty.*

Remembering

Miss M-G

Thank you to those families who sent in flowers last Thursday to place at our Miss M-G Memorial as we remembered 1 year since her passing.

Below is a photograph of the memorial plaque with the flowers surrounding it.



Every day counts – will your children be in school?

It's almost time for the school holidays to mark the end of Term 2. Parents and carers are reminded of the importance of children attending school every day. For more information visit the [Every Day Counts webpage](#).

Deepest Condolences

Our school community would like to extend our deepest condolences to the family and friends of Don Sticklen who passed away recently.

Don was a past student of our school and will be sadly missed by all those who knew him.

Chappie's Corner

Helping Others

In recent weeks and months I have been amazed at the generosity of both individuals and organisations in our region who have come together to assist and support people who have been affected by recent natural disasters.

Can you imagine how great it would be to live in this area if we were all looking out for people's needs at all times, not just in times of turmoil? Today, try opening your eyes to the needs of others around you and whenever you can, offer to help. You will discover that there is a real feeling of fulfilment and satisfaction that comes from knowing that you have made a positive difference to someone's day.

Consider the idea that – the more you care for others, the more they care for you.

P&C News

Thanks

The P&C Association would like to thank all those people who provided baking and helped out at last week's funeral catering. Your help and support is very much appreciated.

Second Hand Uniforms

Please note that there are a number of second hand uniform items available at the school for a Gold Coin donation.

Pub Raffles

The following dates are those where our P&C Association conducts the raffles at the Tenthill Hotel.

31/07; 02/10; 04/12.

If you are able to help on any of these evenings, please let the P&C Executive know.

Tuckshop

Tuckshop will be every Monday and orders need to be in by Thursday of each week.

Please place your money in an envelope and write your order on the order form attached to each week's newsletter.

We would like to thank Tenthill Store who are the providers of the lunchtime food component of our tuckshop each week.

P&C Meeting

The next P&C Meeting will be held at the school on Thursday 11th June at 5:30pm.

Community News

Lockyer Powerfest storms into Laidley 27-28 June!

Head to Lake Dyer and see powerboats race, reaching speeds of up to 240kph. Check out the V8 jet sprint boat, wakeboard demonstrations, ski-racing boats, offshore racing boats and new performance ski boats. On Sunday, there will be street rods, custom and classic cars as well. The kids can enjoy the jumping castle, hillbilly shooting gallery, face painting, playground equipment and a chance to meet and greet their racing heroes. Entry fee applies, 9am - 4pm.

On Saturday night, Patrick Street comes to life with the FREE Street Party from 5pm - 9.30pm. Check out the hot rods, classic cars and powerboats on display, enjoy the live music and dance the night away. Information at 1300 005 872.

Assist Vanuatu Recovery

Just a short reminder about the donations for Vanuatu. The chaplains of Lockyer District and Laidley High Schools have organised a container to be filled with donations to support people in Vanuatu affected by the recent cyclone. Please contact Eva Schmidt at school, if you have goods you would like to donate. Pick-up can be organised.

Ma Ma Creek Hall

Markets

The Ma Ma Creek Hall Markets are held on the 2nd Saturday of each month from 7am until 12 noon.