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**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.)

12 June Pedagogy Professional Development (Gatton)

05 Aug Regional Business Meeting (Toowoomba)

**Public Holiday**

A reminder that this Monday is the Queen’s Birthday Public Holiday. This means that there will be no tuckshop next week.

**Book Club**

A reminder that Book Club orders are due back to school tomorrow, 05th June.

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**Students of the Week**

Levi and Georgina were the proud recipients of this week’s Student of the Week awards.

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**In the Classroom**

**Sight Words Certificates**

Levi: Cranberry Words  
Lilac Words  
Bernie: Sapphire Words  
Sasha: Canary Words  
Buttercup Words  
Lachlan: Ebony Words  
Ashley: Rose Words  
Deena: Scarlet Words  

**Thankyou Mrs Clark**

This week will be Mrs Clark’s last week at our school this term. Mrs Clark has been volunteering in our P-2, 6/7 classroom for the majority of this term and has been an asset to the school.

We thank Mrs Clark very much for the time she has given our school this term and really do appreciate her efforts.

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**Gatton Show Opening**

Our students have been invited to sing the National Anthem at the official opening of the Gatton Show.

This is a great opportunity for us to showcase our school and I would expect all of our students to attend this event.

The official opening is on the Friday night of the show (19th July) at 6:00pm. We would ask that the students be at the main gate by 5:30pm in preparation for this event.

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**Chappie’s Corner**

**Being Cyber Smart**

As parents we have the responsibility to teach our children how to be safe when they are on the computer or on a mobile phone. We also need to monitor regularly how safe they are being when online, show them how to block and avoid risky sites and contacts.

There are many useful resources to help; programs that you can install to guard the safety of your children. It is also comforting to know that the Police and Education Queensland work...

It is worthwhile to explore before you introduce your children to the site. You will find information for young children, primary aged children, teenagers and parents. There are games to play, video clips to watch, quizzes, information – all presented in a way that is appropriate to the age of the child.

Remember it is important to set rules and guidelines for computer and mobile phone use. For example: do not allow your child to have a computer or their mobile phone in their bedroom at night. This way you can ensure they have a good night’s sleep, a most important requirement for basic functioning as well as learning!

**Queensland Week**

**1–9 June**

Queensland Week will be celebrated from 1st – 9th June. All students are encouraged to show some Queensland pride and learn some interesting facts about our state. Do you know what the state flower is? Or the state bird, animal, colour or gemstone? With Queensland Day observed on Thursday 6 June, here’s hoping the Maroons kick start the celebration with a big win in the first State of Origin on Wednesday night. Hint: you might know the state colour now.

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**P&C NEWS**

**P&C Meeting**

The next P&C meeting will be held at the school on Thursday 13 June at 5:30pm.

**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 Patricia and Cecil Stuart at the Ma Ma Creek Store who are the providers of the lunchtime food component of our tuckshop each week.

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**COMMUNITY NEWS**

**TENNIS COACHING**

by **KAREN PEARCE**

ATPCA – Advanced Level 2

Beginners and Junior Squad Coaching

Private Lessons

Thursdays – 3.30pm

Gatton Club Courts, Woodlands Rd, Gatton

Enquires – Karen Pearce – 0746134757 or 0409763346

Or

Julie O’Dea – 0754623771 or 0437139424

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**Gatton Blue Light Disco**

Gatton Shire Hall

6.30pm - 9.30pm

Entry Just $5.00!

Next Events:

Ages 5 years to 15 years olds

- 7 June
- 12 July
- 9 August
- 14 September

Blue Storm Gatton Soccer Grounds $10 entry per child. Adults with children free entry

- 11 October
- 29 November

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