Students of the Week
Teejay and Sasha were the proud recipients of this week’s Student of the Week awards.

In the Classroom
Sight Words Certificates
Bernie: Cobalt Words
Ashley: Ruby Words

Report Cards & Interviews
Report cards will be sent home with your child next Thursday. The reports go into great detail about your child’s progress but if you would like a chance to discuss this progress with your child’s teacher, please contact the school to make an appointment.

Donation
Last Tuesday, Sister Christine Henry from Downs & West Community Support presented our school with a cheque for $600 to fund our annual whole school excursion to the Empire Theatre. We would very much like to thank Sr Christine and her group for this wonderful donation which will allow all of our students to attend our excursion free of charge.

Soccer/Netball Carnival
On the last Friday of this term our Year 5, 6 and 7 students will be participating in the annual Soccer/Netball Carnival in Gatton. A reminder to parents that it is your responsibility to arrange transport to and from the respective venues on the day.

Government steps up to support children starting school
Families with children starting school can now access Step up into education — new online resources to better prepare and support young children make the transition to school. The program was developed to help make the experience for these children a positive one. It is based on research that shows a positive start to school can lead to better learning outcomes.

For more information visit the website: www.education.qld.gov.au/schools/stepup/
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.

Chappie’s Corner

Do you know an outstanding dad?

Nominate him for the 2013 Queensland Father of the Year award and he could win a five night holiday for himself and his family at Sea World Resort & Water Park and the Gold Coast's Favorite Theme Parks!

Nominations are open until 8 July at qldfatheroftheyear.org.au

If he goes on to win Queensland Father of the Year, you could win an Apple iPad mini! The aim of the award is to recognize the significant role fathers play in their children’s well-being and development and to raise awareness of the value of fathers in the family and the community.

It identifies and honours outstanding fathers for their exceptional commitment to raising their children or for their exemplary contribution to the development of children in the community.

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.

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

Gatton Blue Light Disco

Gatton Shire Hall
6.30pm - 9.30pm
Entry Just $5.00!

Next Events:
Ages 5years to 15 years olds
12 July
9 August
14 September– Blue Storm Gatton Soccer Grounds $10 entry per child. Adults with children free entry
11 October
29 November