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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.)

09-20 Sep Long Service Leave

School Photos

School photos will be taken on Tuesday the 17th September. An order form for these photos has been sent home with this week’s newsletter.

Please return these forms no later than Friday 13th September.

Students of the Week

Lachlan and Braydon were the proud recipients of this week’s “Student of the Week” awards.

Caffey Athletics

I would like to congratulate all of the students on the fantastic spirit and attitude they showed at last week’s Caffey Sports Carnival. It certainly made me proud to be a part of Ma Ma Creek State School.

Special congratulations must go to Levi who was awarded the 9 year old Age Champion.

Our students must also be congratulated for winning the B Schools Average Runners Up Trophy.

Thanks also to the staff and parents/carers for their support and assistance over the 2 days of the carnival. Your help is very much appreciated by us all.

We have not yet received confirmation of those students who have been selected to attend the Lockyer Zone Athletics Carnival at the Rope Hill Community Centre on Friday 23rd of August.

Once this has been forwarded a selection letter for these students will be sent home.

In the Classroom

Sight Words Certificates

Lachlan: Coal Words
Deena: Garnet Words
Jackson H: Mint Words
Levi: Magenta Words
Bernie: Topaz Words
Kasey: Mustard Words

Good Luck Ben and Terry

Ben and Terry are competing in the State Finals of the Tipp-Kick Competition at the German Club in Brisbane this Sunday.

We all wish Ben and Terry the best of luck in this competition.
**Athletics Coaching**

The P&C Association have organised for Lauren Murray to visit our school each Wednesday morning from 8am – 9am to coach our students in Athletics.

This is a great opportunity for our students to be further involved in physical activity as well as enhance their Athletics skills.

It would be great to see as many students as possible participate in this program and I would ask that parents encourage their children to take part in this.

**Whole School Camp**

A booking has been made at Murphy’s Creek Escape for a whole school camp in term 4. The dates for this camp are the 22nd – 24th October. A note outlining more details on this camp will be sent home in the near future.

**P&C NEWS**

**P&C Meeting**

The next P&C meeting will be held at the school on Thursday 15 August 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**

**What is Neighbourhood Watch?**

Neighbourhood Watch is both a philosophy and an approach to working together as a community to reduce crime and enhance community safety. NHW has been operating in Qld since 1988.

NHW Qld encourages communities to join together in small informal groups for the purpose of improving the safety of their families and other people who live, visit and do business in their neighbourhood. It also encourages interaction and a shared sense of responsibility between individuals, neighbours and communities for preventing and reducing crime.

(extracted from the NHWQ website)

You are welcome to attend the local neighbourhood watch meeting on the 14th August at Ma Ma Creek Hall at 7:00pm.

**Laidley Crisis Care**

Laidley Crisis Care is raising some much needed funds and is seeking donations for our upcoming Book Fair. If you have any pre-loved but unwanted books, magazines, posters, dvd’s, cd’s, computer/board games, puzzles etc, could you please phone 54653302 or call/text 0419739004 and we will organise for them to be collected.