Weekly Awards

NAIDOC Celebrations

Netball Grand Final

Wonder of Science
Principal’s Note

Welcome to my final Principal’s Note for Term 2.

Well, the time has finally arrived for us to draw a close to another term of teaching, learning and fun at our great school. I trust that the past week was uplifting and productive for all and that everyone made the most of every opportunity to make a difference.

It was great to read through the student report cards this week and to see the many comments around student achievement, progress and areas for further enhancement. Well done students for your great work over the first semester of 2016, and to the teachers for all of your commitment and dedication to making a difference each day at school.

I look forward to continuing our great work next term!

Attendance

The 2016 School Attendance Target is 95%, for Week 10 our school’s attendance rate was 92.9%.


Attendance Trophy for Week 10 – Well Done Year 5/6!

Regular attendance leads to enhanced achievement and learning progress. Let’s ensure all students attend school to reap the rewards of consistent participation and engagement. Remember, every day counts!

Thanks

Thank you to everyone for your support and commitment to ensuring we had a great semester at Surat State School.

Remember, “The Surat State School way is to commit to our learning, strive for excellence and succeed in all that we do.”

Enjoy the break!

Mr Justin Washington
Principal

School Attendance Award

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Years 5/6

Keep a watch on our school these holidays

With the holidays fast approaching, we need you to look out for after-hours crime in our school. If you see anything suspicious, please remember to call the School Watch number – 13 17 88.

Student of the Week

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<td>Thomas Sims</td>
<td>For displaying an enthusiastic attitude towards learning.</td>
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<td>Year 1/2</td>
<td>Pip Proud</td>
<td>For always being polite and working hard. Sam Schwennesen - For posing great questions about the past in History.</td>
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<td>For always being respectful! Alex Freeman - For being a respectful member of our classroom</td>
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<td>Luke Thompson</td>
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Principal’s Award

Abby Coveney – For consistently displaying exceptional leadership throughout Semester 1!
Emma Packer - For consistently displaying exceptional leadership throughout Semester 1!
P&C News

HELP NEEDED! - P & C Fundraiser

Our P&C is providing dinner at the fast approaching Shane Webcke dinner on Friday 8th July at the Shire Hall. This will be a big boost for our P&C! We would really appreciate your help. If you are able to help out in any way, either with cooking, donating food or helping out on the night. Please contact Libby McLean – 0412442356 – loafandlib@bigpond.com or Kylie Washington – 0407362929 – kjwasho@bigpond.com.

Batteries

We are currently organising collection of our stored batteries. If there are any last minute donations of old batteries, these need to be dropped off at school as soon as possible. Thank you.

Next Meeting

Our next general meeting will be held on Tuesday, 26th July at 3.15pm in the High School Building. All welcome. Thank you for your ongoing support this term. We wish you all a very happy and safe holiday!

P&C Committee

Don’t dump it, recycle it for FREE!

Take your unwanted television/s and computers to the Mitchell or Roma Waste Facilities for free E-Waste collection from 28 June until 5 July. This service is open to all residents and small business owners wanting to dispose of old computers, printers, keyboards and televisions. Please note, items such as mobile phones, game consoles, DVD players, stereos and appliances are not accepted.
** Appearing at Myall Park Botanic Garden from July 20, 2016 **

** Offshoots **
A Florigram from Cairns Botanical Gardens is a vibrant exhibition of contemporary botanical illustration by Cairns artist Julie McEneny. Offshoots is a selection of botanical illustrations by Julie McEneny with a special focus on plants of ecological or cultural significance. The making of the offshoots collection is a four-year story about a working relationship between the artist, the curator and the Cairns Botanical Gardens. McEneny employs both contemporary and traditional botanical illustration techniques.

** OPENING OF EXHIBITION **

** Wednesday July 20th 6 pm **

Please join us for Complimentary Champagne and strawberries

*RSVP The Gallery 07 4665 6705 or email: myallparkbotanic@bigpond.com*

The exhibition will be on display until October 5, 2016.

** Maranoa Regional Council presents... What's the Joke?**

By bestselling children's author and entertainer Andy Jones presents a hilarious literacy and musical show about jokes and humour this holiday!

- Punch lines
- Joke creation
- Rhyming words
- Verbal delivery
- Stand up
- Cross humour
- Subject matter
- Performance
- slapstick

Join Andy at the following locations and times:

- Wednesday, 29 June at 10am
  - Surat Library
  - Wednesday, 29 June at 2pm
  - Yalboha Hall
  - Thursday, 30 June at 11am
  - Mitchell Library
  - Thursday, 30 June at 3pm
  - Roma Library
  - Friday, 1 July at 10am
  - Injune Library

For more information call 1300 587 642 or visit our websites www.maranoa.qld.gov.au

** COBB+CO MUSEUM **

** MUSEUM ZOO **

** 27 JUNE – 8 JULY **

** 10AM – 3PM | WEEKDAYS ONLY **

** Take a walk on the wild side these winter holidays! **

Catch a Museum Zoo Show, head out on safari, make your own wild animals and more.

Ages: 3-12 | Cost: $10 per child

Book online at cobbandco.qm.qld.gov.au

** COMMIT  EXCEL  SUCCEED **
Learn all the skills to make GREAT COFFEE

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For more information visit www.maranoa.qld.gov.au or phone your Local Development Officer on 1300 007 662. Download the MyMaranoa App from the Apple or Google Stores to have the holiday program at your fingertips.
**Maranoa School Holiday Fun**

**Surat Program**

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<td>10.00am – 11.00am</td>
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