Weekly Awards

Swimming Carnival
Principal’s Note
Hello and welcome to my Principal’s Note for Week 7.
It has been another great week at school this week. Our entire school community has been working very hard to ensure that every minute of every day was used to maximise positive outcomes for every student. It is very obvious that our staff, students and parents are working in partnership for greater student outcomes. Well done and thank you team, for your great work.

Attendance
The 2016 School Attendance Target is 95%, for Week 6 our school’s attendance rate was 96%.

Week 6 Attendance Data: Prep – 97.5%, Yr 1/2 – 96.11%, Yr 3/4 – 92.5%, Yr 5/6 – 94.55%, Yr 7-10 – 90%.

Highest attendance for Week 6: Year 97.5%!
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. Unless your child is ill, it is expected that your child will be at school learning every day of the school year.

Celebration Night
Our school’s Annual Celebration Night on Wednesday 23 November will be a great occasion for the school to celebrate the achievements of our students for the year. All community and school community members are invited to attend and share in the celebration of our great school and students’ success.

Thanks
Thank you to all, for another outstanding week at our great school!

Have a great week.

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

Mr Justin Washington
Principal

Week 8 School Expectation:
Be Respectful by communicating appropriately to one-another.

Playgroup
Monday 9am -11am
0-5 Years
Bring morning tea, hat, sunscreen
Gold coin donation - All Welcome!

Important Dates

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Prep Parent Information Session
Date: Monday 28th November 2016
Time: 9am – 10:30am
Where: Surat State School Prep Building
Who: Parents of children starting Prep in 2017
At this session you will learn about:
• Prep Routines and procedures
• Curriculum and Learning in Prep
• School’s Behaviour Expectations
• Enrolment

Playgroup will be available at the session for your children, so that they are able to be supervised while playing. Playgroup will be at the Prep playground.

Enrolment Packs for 2017 will be available at the Information Session; however parents are encouraged to collect a pack prior to this session from the school office. Completed enrolment forms can be returned to the information session. 2017 Enrolment Packs can be collected from the School Office. Tea and coffee will be provided. We look forward to seeing you there.
P&C News

Thank you - Swimming Carnival

Many thanks to Karla Harth who co-ordinated the sausage sizzle for the swimming carnival and to those who were able to donate homebaking. It was all well received and much appreciated. Thank you!

Celebration Night

The Surat State School annual Celebration Night will be held on Wednesday, 23rd November at 6pm in the Surat Shire Hall. It would be very much appreciated if all families could please bring along a plate of either sweet or savoury food to share afterwards. Tables will be set up in the Supper Room to place your plates. Refreshments will also be available after the program. Thank you.

Tuckshop

Volunteers for 2017 tuckshop required please! We are keen to kickstart the tuckshop off as soon as possible at the start of the new school year. Please contact Kathy Murray (ph 0439 809 005), our tuckshop co-ordinator, to add your name to the roster. Tuckshop is very well received and enjoyed by most of the school, so please consider helping out! A minimum number of volunteers are required before we can start providing tuckshop. If you would like more information on what volunteering for tuckshop entails, please contact Kathy or one of the executive. Thank you in advance for supporting our students and staff.

Please note tuckshop orders MUST be placed on Mondays. Bags are to be dropped at the front office for Wednesday tuckshop. It would be greatly appreciated if parents could please ensure this happens. Having the orders placed earlier will allow our tuckshop volunteers more time to deliver the new healthy menu to our students.

Please also note that to comply with ‘Smart Choices’ only one “amber” item may be ordered from the menu i.e. only one pizza may be ordered. Plenty of “green” items may be ordered. Thank you for your assistance with this.

Next Meeting

Our next general meeting, and our last for the year, will be held on Tuesday 29th November at 3.15pm in the High School Building. All welcome.

P&C Committee

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Tuckshop Roster

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WE NEED A NAME & A LOGO!

The Wallumbilla Surat Yuleba Junior Rugby League Inc. is looking for entries to design a new name & logo for our Club!

We are looking for a name that ties in the three communities of Wallumbilla, Surat & Yuleba. The name will be used to identify & cheer on our teams, eg Junior Bulls. Suggestions include local flora/fauna, river systems, something that reflects history of the 3 regions etc.

Any & all ideas welcome!

The new logo design will incorporate the chosen name & will be used by the club on all our jerseys, playing gear, merchandise, advertising etc.

RULES:

Entry is free.

Competition open to all members of the community.

The logo designs need to use our new club colours, which are green, red & blue (white can also be used in design).

Entries can be hand drawn or digitally produced.

The entries will be judged by the club executive.

The executive reserve the right to alter designs as required.

The competition closes on Friday 9th December 2016 at 5pm.

Email entries to lathamma@bigpond.com, or post your entries to:

Footy Logo Comp, 45772 Warrego Highway, Wallumbilla Q 4428.

Everyone is encouraged to apply – school kids to adults, from across the Maranoa. We’d love to see your ideas!
**Student of the Week - Week 6 & 7**

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| Prep             | Thomas Sims - For always using your manners!  
Mavrick Brown - For displaying great effort when writing. Well done using the THRASS chart to spell and remembering full stops  
Chloe Cameron - For working hard to be a problem solver- keep it up!  
Wylie Newman - For working hard on his reading and High Frequency Words- keep it up!  
Zara Ziesemer - For always working to best of her ability.  
Jaedyn Kilah - For completing work independently and quietly. |
| Year 3/4         | Bella Harth - For consistently trying her best across all learning areas. Well done!  
Bob Dehnert - For displaying a committed approach to completing science assessment. Well done!  
Hannah Packer - For an excellent performance of her poem. |
| Year 5/6         | Luke Thompson - For his positive attitude inside and outside the classroom. Keep it up!  
Tom Schutt - For his enthusiasm and persistence in all school activities. |
Barefoot Bowls
Every Thursday Night
Surat Bowls Club
Names in by 6.30pm
Play 7pm
All Welcome