Principal’s Report

Thanks to everyone who made our book week / open day such a great fun day yesterday. To the staff who organised fun activities, mums and dads who helped feed everyone and parents who helped their children put costumes together – well done.

Swim & gym continued today and I need to remind parents that money for swim & gym needs to be paid promptly. The cost is $6 per week pre child for the first child in each family and $3 for every child thereafter. Also please note that children are not to wear thongs on swim & gym days.

Parents who attended open day yesterday also attended a short video presentation on the Kidsmatter initiative we are hoping to run in our school next year. Kidsmatter is an initiative that looks at supporting our children’s mental health through schools, parents and the community working in partnership. Thanks to the people who have expressed an interest in being part of our school team. I’ll let you know more about Kidsmatter and how it will work in our school as I receive more information. Anyone wishing to find out more at this stage is welcome to check out the website: www.kidsmatter.edu.au

Children in years 5 & 6, and their teacher, are looking forward to their excursion to Lake Ainsworth at the end of the term. Whilst at the Sport & Recreation Centre students will enjoy sailing, raft building, a challenge ropes course, wall climbing, cookout, marine studies, archery and BMX riding. I’d like to thank our generous P&C who have once again agreed to subsidise this excursion so that the cost per child is $250 instead of $350. This funding is made possible due to all those people who operate our school canteen, sell raffle tickets and help out at assorted fund raising events.

Cheers,
Andrew

LAST WEEK’S ASSEMBLY AWARD WINNERS

Principal’s Award went to: Wyatt Weinert
Captains Trophy went to: Class K/1
Class K/1: Violet Yager & Levi Donaghey
Class 2/3/4: Caitlyn Clausen & Lane Newbery
Class 5/6: Jasper Franklin & Kara McDonald

STUDENTS CELEBRATE OPEN DAY/BOOK WEEK

New Honour Board – Copmanhurst Hall Committee
Recently the Hall Committee commissioned a new Honour Roll Board. James & Leone Roberts donated the wood and the Grafton Men’s Shed constructed the Board. We are now ready to add the names of young local service men & women who have served in Iraq, Afghanistan and other conflicts. To avoid omitting anyone, please let Sandra Fahey (“Parkmoor”, 2173 Clarence Way, Copmanhurst. Phone: 6647 3136) know of those who qualify to be recorded on the Honour Board.

Coming Events
Aug 15 Swim & Gym – South Grafton Pool
Sept 15-19 Lake Ainsworth Years 5 & 6
Sept 19 Last day of Term 3

Canteen Roster – Term 3
Aug 18 Renaye Knight & Kerri Stone
Aug 24 Corina Lynch & Hayley Death
Aug 31 Liz & Rick Heilers
Smurf & Red Riding Hood visit Copmanhurst

Ice Queen Isobel & Princess Seremi solve the puzzle

The Mad Professor demonstrates his cooking skills.

Mr P there's a bird on my shoulder!

A parrot or two, no it is Hamish & Declan!

When are we going to cut the cake?