Granite Belt Zone Sports
Thanks to the parents who took their children to Stanthorpe on Monday. Congratulations to Cordell Lane – 12 year Boy Champion and Hayley Alldridge – 11 year Girl Champion, Elizabeth Cooper – R/U 9 year Girls Champion. We also had several students who won their individual events. Only those students who reached the qualifying targets for the various events will be nominated for the Darling Downs trials in Toowoomba. Even if they won their event, they may not have reached the qualifying height, length or time.

Cold Weather
As you are aware the weather has turned cold and again I face the issue of students not having enough warm clothing. Please make sure your children are dressed appropriately for this weather. They may be warm inside the house but outside it is a different matter. From now on if students do not have a jumper (at least in their bag) at school in the cold weather they will have to remain under the school. We have had numerous students coming to the office asking for jumpers because they are cold.

Professional Development
Yesterday I attended a very worthwhile workshop relating to indigenous culture based around local aboriginal knowledge. With a specific focus on plants, artefacts, weapons and customs, the purpose of this is to continue our plan of embedding indigenous education into our school which is a requirement of Education Qld.

Regards
Scott Koch

Thought for the week
Don’t smile because it’s over – smile because it happened.
We have begun to construct our transport models and so far they are looking fantastic! By the end of the week we are hoping to have the shells finished and ready to be decorated next week.

A reminder to students and parents that 4 nights reading is the only required homework due each Friday. Children can choose to continue practising in their English and Maths homework books however this won’t be marked in class time. I am happy to look over them before school or at lunch.

Cheers, Lauren 😊

Pre 1/2

Don’t forget our poetry recital is on this Friday at 12.30pm at the School of Arts Hall. Please come along if you can. The children recited their poems to some of the staff and students the other day and they were really impressed.

Joanne Willoughby

Arts Council

Arts Council is on Thursday afternoon after second break. Children will walk to the School Of Arts Hall for the performance. They should be back by 3pm.

Parent/Teacher Interview

Please contact the school if you would like to speak to your child’s teacher about their progress. So far we have had very few parents request an appointment. Report Cards will be handed out the last day of this term.

Driver Reviver – Queen’s Birthday Long Weekend

Thanks to the parents and community members who have volunteered their time to man the Driver Reviver site over the long weekend. There is only one time slot left to fill. Sunday 12 June from 2pm – 5pm. If you can assist please let me know. All donations received will go to the P&C. Please find attached the roster for the relevant families.

P&C Meeting

The next meeting of the P&C is on Tuesday 14 June at 3.15pm. Everyone is welcome.

School Security

As some of you may be aware the school has been subject to vandalism since the beginning of the year. As the holidays are approaching I would ask that if you see anything that looks suspicious or notice people on the school grounds please contact the police.

Tuckshop Roster for Term 2

June 15 Marion Saxby
June 22 Jayne McCall
From time to time we do have families who do use the tennis courts over the weekend or during the school holidays, but from now on they will need to carry the indemnity form with them to prove they have permission to be on the school grounds. Also during vacation time Q Build employees and other contract work may be carried out.