Class Encouragement Award

Congratulations to Lance Dixon and Thomas Robinson

Principal’s Award

Congratulations to Brooklyn Brown

School review

Our school is scheduled for a school review from 28th to 29th of April.

The Department of Education and Training has introduced new performance reviews for Queensland state schools in 2015.

The reviews do not rate or compare schools but provide independent and quality feedback to help schools continue to improve outcomes for students.

All schools will have a review at least every four years. A final report is made available to parents and the community on the school’s website.

The review team would like to hear from our school community and I encourage anyone who is interested to have their say.

Your feedback is important and will help us continue to deliver a quality education for students.

If you are interested in speaking to the reviewers, or would like more information about the review process, please contact the office before Friday 15th to book a time.

Principal’s Desk

It has been a great start to the term and the students are getting out of holiday mode a little slower this term. All of the students are striving to do their best. To make every child’s learning journey a success, we need to tackle their learning from both Home and school.

Homework is sent home each week or day for students. Could parents please check students are doing this as it consolidates and/or extends students knowledge.

P&C Executive

I would also like to congratulate Larrissa May (P&C President), Mary Robinson (Vice-President), Cindy Ferguson (Secretary) and Jo-Ann Dixon (Treasurer). Can we please say a big THANK YOU to Sharee Walmsley for doing the Treasurer roll over the last 3 years and Dawn Henningsen in her number of rolls over the last 6 years.

Special points of interest:

Full School Review
28/04/16—29/04/16

Thursday
28/04/16 Cross Country

Community Centre Evening
First Friday of the month
6th May, 3rd June, 1st July, 5th August, 2nd September

School Holidays
EASTER
25/03/16 - 10/04/16

WINTER
25/06/16 - 10/07/16

SPRING
17/09/16 - 03/10/16

SUMMER
9/12/16 - 22/01/17
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If your child misses…..

That equals…. Which is….. and over 13 years of schooling that’s….

Which means the best your child might perform is …

1 or 2 days a week doesn’t seem much but……..

He/ She is only missing just….. That equals…. Which is….. and over 13 years of schooling that’s….

10 minutes per day, 50 minutes per week, Nearly 1.5 weeks per year, Nearly \textbf{Half a year}.

20 minutes per day, 1 hour 40 mins per week, Over 2.5 Weeks per year, Nearly \textbf{1 year}.

Half an hour per day, Half a day per week, 4 Weeks per Year, Nearly \textbf{1 and a Half years}.

1 hour per day, 1 day per week, 8 Weeks per year, Over \textbf{2 and a Half years}.

Mutchilba State School

- \textbf{EVERY DAY COUNTS} -