Dear Parents,

As school life returns to normal after our wonderful school play, there are still many opportunities for our students.

Vietnam Veterans’ March
On Tuesday afternoon our students marched in the Vietnam Veterans’ March along Prince Street to Memorial Park where they attended a short ceremony to commemorate the efforts of these brave Australians. At the ceremony Jaylah and Emily lay a wreath on behalf of our school. Thank you to the following students for their wonderful behaviour, respect and participation in this special commemoration. Thank you to Jayda, Amber, Lachlan, Robbie, Jasmine, Savannah, Donavan, Tamsyn, Liela, Madiline, Charni, Ashton, Riley, Patrick, Lockey, Jaylah and Emily. Well done everyone!

Small Schools, Big Impact Concert
Every two years the local small schools put on a concert to share performances and highlight the range of activities students are involved in at small schools. This year our senior group will represent our school with the Field of Dreams musical number. Thank you to our senior class
and Mr Attwater for representing our school. We would encourage anyone interested to come along to the Saraton Theatre at 6:30pm next Wednesday evening. A flyer is included on the last page of this newsletter.

**NAPLAN**
The NAPLAN results will be sent home with students who sat the tests in year 3 and 5 today. The results are a snapshot of how students performed in the areas of numeracy, writing, reading, spelling and grammar during the national tests in May this year.

**Science @ South High**
On Wednesday, students on years 5 and 6 travelled to the Science Fair held at South Grafton High School with a range of design and investigation activities related to this year’s theme of light. Thank you to Mr Attwater for accompanying our students to this activity.

**Library News**
Next week is book week and Mrs Coleman will be sharing activities with the students around the book of the year awards and the short-listed books. After next week, normal library lessons will not be held until next term due to some long service leave as well as library stocktake. Students will have the opportunity to return and borrow books on Wednesdays during this period, except in the last week of the term. Thanks.

**Assembly**
Our next school assembly will be held at the regular time of 12:30pm in our hall tomorrow (Friday) with some of our individual eisteddfod performances. All parents are welcome to attend.
Thank You
Thank you to Miriam Tasker, Sam Wilson and Narelle Kramer for their assistance with preparations for our musical over the past few weeks. We appreciate everyone who was able to help. Sorry we missed you in last week’s newsletter. Thanks again!

With thanks,

Matt Hankinson

TUCKSHOP ROSTER - for Week 6, Term 3
Wed: Kellie Perkins & Karen Gilbert
Fri: Jess Horstman & Miriam Tasker

Cake Raffle
Thank you to the Fuller family who supplied the cake today. Next Friday, 21st August the cake will be supplied by the family of Peyton Crummy. We thank the parents for their support with this P&C fundraiser. Please note, any family who does not wish to be included on this roster please phone the office.

All Age Family Disco
Coutts Crossing Hall Committee are holding an “All Age Family Disco” at the Hall on Saturday, 12th September commencing at 6.00 pm. Admission is by gold coin and there will be a free Sausage Sizzle. The music will be supplied by Alan Paul. This is a good opportunity for a Family Night Out.

Coutts Crossing Race Day
This annual Race Day will be held on Saturday, 5th September with the Calcutta on Friday evening at 8.00 pm at Coutts Tavern. Further information will be sent home later.

Coutts Crossing Cricket Club Sign On Day For Juniors
Boys and girls
T-20 blast (ages approx 6 to 8 yrs)
U10’s, u12’s, u14’s & u16’s
Ellem Oval nets - Friday 4th and 11th of September from 4pm.
Please contact Barb Willis for more details 0428424735
Clarence Valley Community of Small Schools

Iluka P.S.
Lawrence P.S.
Nymboida P.S.
Tucabia P.S.
Ulmarra P.S.
Wooli P.S.

Chatsworth Island P.S.
Copmanhurst P.S.
Couts Crossing P.S.
Cowper P.S.
Gillwinga P.S.
Harwood Island P.S.

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Wednesday 26 August, 2015
6:30pm start

The Saraton Theatre
Prince Street
Grafton

$3.00 per seat
Tickets on sale at the
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For more information
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