Money For Jam - and Morning Tea!

Maryborough Here We Come

Students in Years 4-6 were thrilled with the success of last Friday’s Morning Tea at Torrumbarry Hall. Due to the support of the Torrumbarry community approximately $390 was raised. These funds will support the senior students on their mission to “make it big” at the 2014 RACV Energy Breakthrough in Maryborough later this year. We were not only impressed by the community support but also by the hard-working attitude of the Welton kids. Under the watchful eye of Ms Michell they did all the planning, cooking and organisation for this event. Well done we say.
Athletics Sports

Murray Plains Cluster Annual Athletics Sports:
We’re defending our crown! This annual event will be held at Cohuna No 2 oval on Friday 29 August commencing at 10.00 am. The success of these sports rely on the support of school families in the running of events. We ask that you keep this date free and assist us if you are able. Families are expected to make their own transport arrangements for this event. We will provide more information in subsequent newsletters. Families are advised that students will be involved in practice sessions over coming weeks so appropriate footwear in recommended.

Northern Campaspe Interschool Sports:
These sports will be held at Victoria Park from Monday 25 to Wednesday 27 August and are open to 9-12 year olds who display a particular aptitude in athletic events. Should you believe your child qualifies, age-wise and ability-wise, you should make contact with the school. Exact performance times and dates will be advised to participants closer to the time of the event. Families need to recognise that they are responsible for transporting their children to and from Victoria Park and for supervising them at the event.

Book Week
Next week is Book Week and on Friday 22 August we are holding a special Book Week event. All students, staff and participating parents are encouraged to dress up as their favourite book character. All students will bring along one of their favourite picture story books. Parents, decked out as their favourite book chracter, are invited to arrive at school at 10.00 am, bringing along a favourite picture story book from their childhood. We will have a book sharing session followed by a parade of all the wonderful book characters. Students, staff and families will then join for a shared morning tea.

Individual Learning Plans
Parents/Guardians of students in Years 4-6 will find attached Individual learning Plans for their child/ren. Please read these carefully and should you have any questions or concerns please make contact with your child’s teacher.
James’ Library Visit
First we went to see the huge paddlesteamers and there were cute ducks. Then we went to the library and had a good story called “The Windy Farm”. After that we did Art and we made cool windmills. Then we read some good books. Then we went to go to the park but we stopped and patted some black, grey and white horses and they were a French breed. Then we went to the big park and had lunch and it was fun. After lunch we went back to the library to get our artwork and say bye to Karen. We saw a pelican on the way back to the mini-van, but we had a run around and then went back to school.

iPad Homework
Students in Years 4-6 are reminded that their completed iPad homework on The Water Cycle is due on Wednesday 20 August.

Footy Tipping
So what did we learn from Footy tipping this week? We learnt that you don't have to finish on top of the ladder to make it big. Well done Mia. $160! We’re all jealous. Donna is hanging on but the oldies are out to get her. With three rounds to go the question is; will she crack?

- Hawks. Roughie justice.
- Eagles. Back in the mix!
- Dockers. Nearly had the Cats!
- Tigers. Should be swabbed.
Dates To Remember

Friday 22 August
Book Week Event @ Welton

25-27 August
North Campaspe Interschool Sports

Friday 29 August
Athletics Sports

Friday 5 September
Fathers’ Day Stall

Tuesday 9 September
Breakfast & PJs Day

Friday 19 September
End Term 3
EB Luncheon

Monday 6 October
Term 4 commences

Wed 15- Fri 17 October
Whole School Camp

Sunday 2 November
Bunnings Sausage Sizzle for EB

Tuesday 4 November
Cup Day Holiday

Thurs 20 - Sat 22 November
Energy Breakthrough

Friday 12 December
Annual School Concert

Friday 19 December
End School Year