Welcome to the final week of term 2. It has been a very busy learning time and students and staff alike are looking forward to the holidays.

What has been happening?

On Wednesday the 7th of May, the Rural Fire Service presented their Fire Education workshop to the students. It was an extremely informative session and the students thoroughly enjoyed taking-on some of the roles of fire-fighters.

On Friday the 30th of May, Forsayth hosted the annual, District Cross-Country. All of the students put in a tremendous effort and did our school proud! The results for our school were:

- Blaine Pezzotti, 2nd, Boys 2008
- Tyan Ballment, 3rd, Boys 2008
- Josie Whitaker, 2nd, Girls 2008
- April Mooka, 2nd, Girls 2006
- Jerome Mooka, 2nd, Boys 2004

Thank you to all the community volunteers, school staff, parents, P&C members and the students for making the day a great success! I’d like to extend a huge thank-you to the Forsayth All Sports Club who kindly donated gold, silver and bronze medals. I’d also like to thank Joe Pezzotti for presenting these medals to the students.

In the annual Fun Run Fundraiser, the students raised a total of $1792.60 with $1003.85 going towards their Student Council. This was a phenomenal amount of money and we, as a school, are very grateful for the community’s support!

Parent/Teacher interviews were held on the 16th and 17th of June. These were very well supported and provided a wonderful opportunity for teachers to share student progress with parents and caregivers. It’s fantastic to know that there is so much support for learning in our community!

On the 16th of June, Julia Gela travelled out to Forsayth from Cairns to deliver a Ready Reader program designed to assist parents with helping their children to read at home. This workshop was well-attended and Julia offered some great suggestions and resources.

What is coming up?

Term 3 begins on Monday the 14th of July.

There will be a P&C meeting on Tuesday the 15th of July.

The Active After School Program will begin in week 2, on Monday the 21st of July.

On Tuesday the 29th of June, we will be taking the Charter’s Towers Show Holiday, as decided by the council in 2013. This means that we will NOT be taking the Cairns Show Holiday and so the school will be open on Friday the 18th of July.

I’d like to wish everyone a happy and safe holiday and I look forward to the next episode in our learning journey.

Well, that’s it from me.....

Kind regards,

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