Thursday, 11 December 2014

Dates to remember
Uniform shop opens 23rd January & 27th January
School starts 27th January

Principal News

Dear Parents,

A big thankyou to those families who attended our concert and presentation night on Tuesday. What an absolute amazing success. The students shone, the parents glowed and the teachers were proud. A lovely night was had by all.

Our year 6 and 7 graduation was an outstanding success. It was lovely to see our students graduate in such a supportive, inclusive and productive manner. I wish our students all the best in the next chapter of their lives.

Report cards will be sent home today. For those students who are not at school today the report cards will be mailed home.

2015 draft class allocation letters will also be sent home today. Please remember that these are only draft allocations as our staffing for 2015 school year is not confirmed until Day 8 2015 (Thursday 5 February). School will resume for the 2015 school year on Tuesday 27 January. Teachers will officially start on Wednesday 21 January. Having said that I know that all our teachers will be working during the holidays in preparation for the 2015 school year.

The P&C will be opening the Tuckshop for uniform purchases on Friday 23rd January and again on Tuesday 27th January. The tuckshop will the operate as normal on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish all our students, parents and staff a relaxing enjoyable and family orientated holiday. Thankyou for your support, guidance and assistance in helping make Mossman State School a great place to be!

YEAR 6/7 GRADUATION
The Year 6/7 Graduation was a lovely evening at the fantastic Daintree Station venue. Thankyou to everyone who attended and especially to Mrs Jones, Ms Edwards, Mrs Gibson and Mrs Case for all of his time and effort organising the evening and ensuring it ran smoothly. Our wonderful P&C kindly donated a scientific calculator to all graduates, ready to use in High school next year. Congratulations kids – you all looked lovely and your behaviour was great. We hoped you enjoyed your special night.

A Message from the Qld Government – ‘Increased resources to empower principals and their school community’
The Queensland Government is committed to empowering principals and their school communities to deliver high quality education and to lift outcomes for every state school student in Queensland. That’s why there has been a significant increase in the amount of resources allocated to schools, as well as a concerted effort to allocate these resources directly to schools. Now, more than ever, principals have the resources and the autonomy they need to lead school improvement. The direct allocation of the Great Results Guarantee funding, the Students with Disability Resources, and the Whole School Support – Student Learning Resources give schools the means to lift outcomes for all their students. Schools are working hard to make the most of the opportunity to work with our community using high impact strategies that will make a positive difference for all of our students.