

## RAPP No 25

11 August 2009

<i>COMING EVENTS</i>	
<b>Aug.</b>	
11	Transport Meeting
12	Transition Evening MSHS 6.00 pm
14	Forest View visit
17	P & C Meeting
18	Transition Day KSHS
19	UNSW Maths comp.
21	SB Secondary athletics
27	WB Track 'n field Trials
28	Prep visit Town Library
<b>September</b>	
11	Wondai's Got Talent

**ASSESSMENT CALENDAR**  
Years 7-10  
INSERT in this newsletter!

### *TRANSPORT MEETING*

- Year 10

Consultation process

TONIGHT - 6.00 pm

MUSIC ROOM

PARENT SURVEYS -

Year 10 Consultation

process

PLEASE RETURN TO

Debbie in the office

ASAP

## **NEWS FROM THE PRINCIPAL**

### **Positive school wide behaviour support (PBS) update!**

I am very impressed with the way students are taking on board our whole school RULES. We are focussed on BEING SAFE for the entire term. In summary, our BE SAFE roles covered so far include:

- I stay in designated areas (for eating, play, classes),
- I line up safely,
- I keep my hands and feet to myself, and
- I play school approved games.

### **Year 10 Consultation process**

Tonight is the TRANSPORT MEETING, starting at 6 pm, in the music room. A notice was sent home last week about this.

### **Welcome to Forest View residents – Friday 14 August**

This Friday a small number of guests from Forest View are having lunch in the garden, with Mrs Brown's class catering for this event. We look forward to their visit.

### **Transition days for Year 10 into 11 (Kingaroy SHS and Murgon SHS)**

Parents of Year 10 students are reminded of these two important events. A separate letter has gone home advising parents of transport arrangements to Kingaroy SHS on 18 August. Please note Murgon SHS's Parent Information Evening is this Wednesday 12 August at 6.00 pm.

### **Welcome to Uncle Noel (Blair) – Home School Liaison Officer**

We warmly welcome Uncle Noel to our school. He will be working on Wednesdays and Thursdays. Uncle Noel's role will include working with families and the wider community.

## **Reading With Your Child**

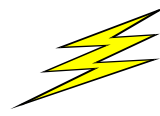


### **Hot tips to share with parents.**

**Support your child's efforts by making books and reading special.**

Support your children's efforts by making sure they have a reading light. Providing a small CD player so children can read along in the privacy of their own space could also be an enticement into the world of books. Check that they have a place to store their books – make it feel like a valuable collection of precious things. Books should be visible as a reminder – they could be stored on a shelf, in a specially decorated box or put between book holders on top of a cupboard.

# Newsflash from Science!



From Mrs Sue Gibson

National Science Week is fast approaching and as usual we will be having our school science workshop for primary students in partnership with the Col Morris Public Library. See the flyer about this exciting event in today's Weekly RAPP. Registration forms must be returned to Janelle Kratzmann at the town library (not to the school).

It is International Year of Astronomy and if you want something different to try get outside and see if you can spot these satellites passing overhead tonight! The details are specifically for Wondai and have been taken from the website

<http://www.spaceweather.com/flybys/state.php?country=AS>

Satellite	Rise time	Direction to look	Transit time	Max elevation	magnitude
Lacrosse 5	04.03.36 am	ENE	04.08.38	40°	3.1 (dim)
Hubble Space Telescope	04.16.53 am	ESE	04.21..12	37°	3..3 (dim)
<a href="#">Iridium 33 (wreckage)</a>	05:29:24 am	S	05:34:42	80°	2.0 (visible)
<a href="#">Hubble Space Telescope</a>	05:52:52 am	W	05:57:10	66°	2.2 (visible)
<a href="#">Lacrosse 5</a>	06:16:23 pm	NNW	06:21:24	67°	2.2 (visible)
<a href="#">Iridium 33 (wreckage)</a>	06:19:19 pm	NNW	06:23:25	30°	3.7 (dim)

## TUCKSHOP

Please remember to get your orders in on Thursday mornings. Use a paper bag with your name clearly marked with payment in side.



## Community Announcements

### For Sale

Black tube king single bed with mattress \$170  
Vgc – 41690085

## BOOK WEEK 2009 BOOK SAFARI



During the week of 22-28 August Wondai State School will be celebrating Book Week! The theme for this year is 'Book Safari'. To help celebrate we are going to have a dress up competition on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> August!

### Dress up as your favourite character! (Years Prep-7)

Come to school dressed up as your favourite book character. A parade will be held at 9am for you to share your character with everyone and you might even win a prize!

The awards for 'best book borrower' will also be announced at the parade.

### Other activities during the week include:

- Story teller
- Indigenous 'story time' in the library during lunch (TBC)
- Library transformed into a jungle safari

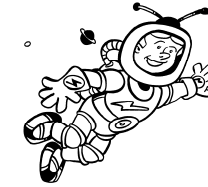
Extra details will be in next weeks RAPP!

Start thinking of your costume now!!!!

**WONDAI'S GOT TALENT  
11 SEPTEMBER  
TOWN HALL  
Nominations extended to  
21 August**

Wondai State School and the Col Morris Public Library  
present a National Science Week 2009 activity ....

## \*"Science is a Blast"\*



(for primary school students)  
Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> of August 2009 at 3.15pm

This workshop will consist of hands-on activities to complement the National Science Week 2009 schools' theme "Astronomy: Science Without Limits". There will be rockets, noise, countdowns, lift-off and great prizes to be won! Parents need to fill in the permission slip below and take it to the Col Morris Public Library to register with Janelle Kratzmann (41685402). Numbers will be limited, so register early!

I give permission for ..... to attend the "Science is a Blast"! activity at the Col Morris Public Library on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> of August 2009 at 3.15pm

. I also give permission for photos taken of my child to be published in the local newspaper or on the National Science Week website.

Signed:

Contact phone number: