# Term 1

## April
- 2 Tuesday: Parent / Teacher Interviews
- 3 Wednesday: Parent / Teacher Interviews
- 5 Saturday: Easter Holidays Commence

## Term 2

## April
- 22 Tuesday: Term 2 Commences
- 25 Friday: ANZAC DAY

## May
- 9 Friday: Cross Country – George Day Oval
- 13 Tuesday: NAPLAN (Year 3, 5 & 7) Language Conventions & Writing
- 14 Wednesday: NAPLAN (Year 3, 5 & 7) Reading
- 15 Thursday: NAPLAN (Year 3, 5 & 7) Numeracy
- 20 Tuesday: Year 6 & 7 High School Transition Day at Ingham State High School
- 21 Wednesday: NQ Region Principals’ Forum – Townsville (Lydia away)
- 22 Thursday: NQ Region Principals’ Forum – Townsville (Lydia away)

## June
- 4 Wednesday: Year 6 & 7 High School Transition Day at Ingham State High School
- 5 Thursday: Year 6 & 7 High School Transition Day at Ingham State High School
- 28 Saturday: June/July school holidays commence

## Term 3

## July
- 14 Monday: Term 3 Commences
- 18 Friday: Waterview Sport’s Day at Helen’s Hill SS
- 25 Friday: Small Schools Sports Day at George Day Oval

## August
- 8 Friday: Barnes Cup at Forrest Beach SS
- 17 - 22 All Week: Ingham Arts Festival

## September
- 3 - 5 Wednesday - Friday: School Camp – Magnetic Island
- 12 Friday: Year 6 & 7 High School Transition Day at Ingham State High School
- 20 Saturday: September/October holidays commence

## Term 4

## October
- 6 Monday: Labour Day Public Holiday
- 7 Tuesday: Term 4 commences
- 20 Monday: Pupil Free Day

## December
- 13 Saturday: Summer holidays commence
Dear Students, Parents/Carers & Staff,

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the students, staff and families for a very successful Term 1. I wish everyone a relaxing and enjoyable Easter vacation and safe travels if on the road. I am looking forward to a very busy and rewarding Term 2. Next term, I would also like to introduce a weekly parade on a Friday morning. It will be a quick 5 to 10 minute parade to share classroom news and celebrate successes. Parents and carers will be invited to attend. As ANZAC Day is the first Friday, Week 2 will be the first parade.

Parent / Teacher Interviews
Parent / Teacher preference forms are attached to this newsletter. If you would like to meet to discuss your child/ren please return your first three preferences on Monday. I will notify each family on Monday afternoon of their interview time. If these times are not suitable, please email or phone to make alternative arrangements.

ANZAC Day Dawn Service
Next term Mutarnee will be participating in the Balgal Beach Dawn Service. More information will be supplied in Week 1 of Term 2.

2014 P&C Executive Committee
Thank you to all of the parents and carers who attended the P&C Annual General Meeting on Monday afternoon. I would also like to announce and congratulate our 2014 P&C Executive Committee:

- President – Kathy Barry
- Vice President – Conchita Hall
- Secretary – Simone Lennox
- Treasurer – Emma Bannister

Mother's Day Raffle
The P&C are holding a Mother's Day raffle and are asking for family donations to the hamper. If each family could donate one or two things to build up a lovely prize hamper it would be greatly appreciated. These donations can be given to the office in Term 2. Tickets will be sent home to each family early next term and will be $1 ticket.

School Rules
The focus rule for this newsletter is 'Be Safe'

Some examples of being safe are:

- Respecting others personal space and belongings
- Caring for equipment
- Cleaning up after yourself
- Using polite language
- Waiting your turn
- Raising your hand to speak
- Respecting others' right to learn
- Talk in turns
- Be a good listener
- Playing fairly
- Wear shoes and socks at all times
- Be sun safe
- Wash hands
- Walk around the school
- Be a good listener
- Playing fairly

Student Reflections

Question: What is something new you have learned this week?

“I learned that trees are natural not man made.” Todd (2).
“I learned that ‘bravo’ means good in Italian.” Brayden (4)
“I learned how to introduce my family in Italian.” Jack (5)
“In Science, I learned that some mould help the environment.” Jesse (6)

Kind regards,

Lydia Jamieson
Principal