



MUTARNEE STATE SCHOOL

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Term 2

June

15 - 26	Monday - Friday	Keith on paternity leave
23	Tuesday	Ingham State High School Year 6 Transition – Parent Information Session @ 5:30pm
23 - 24	Tuesday - Wednesday	Ingham State High School Year 6 Transition Days
26	Friday	Attendance Fun Day/ Free Dress Day/Sausage Sizzle
26	Friday	Semester 1 Report Cards issued
27	Saturday	June/July school holidays commence
29	Monday	School Opinion Surveys Open

Term 3

July

13	Monday	Term 3 Commences
19	Sunday	Romanello Shield Soccer Carnival
20 - 23	Monday - Thursday	School Camp – Kinchant Dam Outdoor Education Facility
31	Friday	Small Schools Sports Day at George Day Oval
31	Friday	School Opinion Survey Closes

August

14	Friday	Barnes' Cup at Forrest Beach
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September

19	Saturday	September/October holidays commence
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Term 4

October

5	Monday	Labour Day Public Holiday
6	Tuesday	Term 4 commences
19	Monday	Pupil Free Day

December

12	Saturday	Summer holidays commence
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Dear Students, Parents/Carers & Staff,

It is with much joy that I can inform you that I've been offered the chance to stay at Mutarnee State School until the end of the year. I happily accepted the offer and look forward to helping all students move forward with their learning throughout the rest of the year. It has been an eventful few days for me as my wife and I welcomed our second daughter, Lucy Elizabeth Poulter, into the world on Friday morning.

School Opinion Surveys

Information regarding school opinion surveys will be sent home shortly. Keep an eye out for this.

High School Transition Days

The next Ingham High School Transition Days for the Year 6 students are Tuesday and Wednesday, June 23 and 24. There is also a Parent Information Evening commencing at 5:30pm on Tuesday, June 23 in the Ingham High Library.

Reading Improvement

Given the focus that we continue to place on reading, it has been really exciting to see all students progressing in their reading levels and reading confidence throughout the semester. Some students have moved forward significantly.

Attendance Fun Day

The attendance fun day will be held on Friday, June 26. The attendance of all students continues to be pleasing and deserves recognition. On this occasion, the attendance fun day will also allow students to wear free dress for a gold coin donation. We will also be having a sausage sizzle at 1pm, which all are invited to attend. The cost of the sausage sizzle will be \$2 and soft drinks will also be sold for \$2. This will be instead of tuckshop on the Thursday (June 25) in week 10. Finally, the state of origin raffle will be drawn at this time.

All money raised from the gold coin donation and sausage sizzle will be donated to Nellie's niece, Shala Marano, who was recently diagnosed with Motor Neuron Disease. This diagnosis means that Shala has a short life expectancy. Given this, she wants to make the most of the time she has and has written a bucket list. Donations received from this initiative will assist in making her bucket list a reality. Thank you for your support.

State of Origin Raffle

If you have money or unsold raffle tickets for the state of origin raffle, please ensure that they are returned by Wednesday, June 24. The raffle will be drawn on Friday, June 26.

Camp Notes

Just a reminder that camp permission, payment and medical forms still need to be returned. Please complete and return these as soon as possible if you haven't already done so.

Reading Strategy of the Week

Pay attention to punctuation. This may help by providing fluency and meaning.

Don't be afraid to say hello!

Keith Poulter
Acting Principal