Students Continue to Impress

Impressive Work!

Community liaison officer for the Darling Downs South West Region was so impressed with the students work coming out of Karara that she wants to use it as part of her display at the Warwick mall. Central office had a peek at what the students were up to and was asked to create a display of student work to put up in the lobby of their office in Warwick. Work samples included assessment pieces, handwriting, photographs, art and journal entries. Thanks goes out to the Teacher Aides for putting together a Karara State School banner and for doing such a great job with the Preps. Students should also be commended for their work which has received praise from district personnel. If you have a chance, stop by the mall and have a look at some of the fantastic work happening at the school.

Missing Ms Cahill

Ms. Cahill spent her last day at Karara State School yesterday until she heads back to the school in August to complete her second practicum with us. Ms. Cahill did a tremendous job at the school and will make an excellent teacher when she finishes her study. The students were sad to see her leave but are happy she will be back in August. When Ms. Cahill comes back in August she will be undertaking learning experience with our Preps. Thank you for all your hard work Ms. Cahill! You will be missed!

NAPLAN

Yes, more NAPLAN news! I promise this will be the last time I mention NAPLAN at length in a newsletter. I just want to revisit what I said last week in the newsletter regarding NAPLAN. NAPLAN testing can be very stressful for students, and although we try to make it as easy on the students as we can, our inability to assist students in decoding questions leads to frustration on their part. Next week, please make sure that students come to school well rested with a good breaky in their bellies. Fruit and healthy snacks will be provided during the tests. If your son or daughter will miss a day of the tests next week for any reason, please call the school and inform us as soon as possible.

Students of the Week this week are:

Josh Wilson

&

Jacob Davis

Congratulations!
**Community Newsflash**

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**Karara Motel Reopens**

UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT!

BUDGET MEALS INCLUDING:
- Burgers
- Chips
- Pies
- Etc.

AVAILABLE NOW!

Meals from $10. Call in and see Shirley!
Fuel available as well!
New phone number: 4667 4141

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**Karara Produce Now Open**

Karara Produce is offering fresh fruit and vegetables, Carry Riverina Products, Hay and firewood.
Karara Produce is trading seven days a week.

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**Campdraft Association**

The Campdraft Association will have a meeting on Tuesday 15th May at 7:30pm at the Karara Pub.

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**QCWA**

The QCWA Karara branch invite the community to attend their BIGGEST MORNING TEA and INTERNATIONAL DAY at the Karara Hall on Thursday the 31st of May at 9:30am.
Father Rod MacGinley, who resided in Chile for 16 years will give a small talk.
Bring a plate for morning tea.
Everyone is invited to stay for lunch.
Tonnie Brinkman

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**StudentWork Edition**

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**Karara Spa**

Well it's that time of year again where we celebrate our mums. Mums are very, very important figures in our lives. We could not live without them. Plain and simple. One Kararaite, when asked about why he loved his Mum, responded with this, “I love my Mum cause she cleans my room.”

Good reason... I am sure there are many other reasons why this individual loved his Mum and I am sure I just caught him off guard with my question.

To show our appreciation for Mums, Karara State School will be putting on a Spa Day for our Mums. The students have been working hard to prepare this treat for their Mums which will include the following:
- Starting at 1:30pm Mums are invited to the school to hear a mini concert by the Preps followed by presentations from students about why they love their Mums.
- Students will then open the Karara Spa which will pamper Mums with massages, pedicures, facial masks and neck and hand massages.
- After a relaxing time at the Karara Spa, students will be serving a cake (made by students in the tuckshop) along with tea and coffee.

We hope you can make it to the Spa on Friday as we look forward to pampering our Mums who mean so much to us.

To assist in our Spa Day preparations, can Mums please bring a towel along with them. Thanks!

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**Project Club**

The Project Club has decided to hold a ‘Dress Like Your Favourite Character Day’, and also a ‘Teach The Teacher Day’ later on in the term.

The staff is looking forward to both dates as they are sure to raise some eyebrows and be very educational.

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**Tuckshop**

Tuckshop will be running on Thursday this week due to the Karara Spa.

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**P&C News**

There will be a P&C meeting Monday May 14th at 3:30pm.
Everyone is welcome to attend!