Karara Students Give Their All!

**Warwick Sports Day**

Wow! What an effort from your Karara Student Athletes last Friday at the Warwick Country Sports Meet. Students gave it their all at the meet and although we did not set any land speed records, everyone appeared to have a ball (which in the end is all that matters).

A special mention must go out to our student leaders who were asked to do an Acknowledgement of Country in front of close to 200 people. Amy and Adelaide delivered the Acknowledgement in perfect form and are commended for their efforts.

Apologies must be made by Mr. Pedley as he failed to hold onto the ‘B’ Schools Ball Games trophy. He has vowed to reclaim the trophy if he is in charge of the Ball Games teams next year...

Thanks again to all the parents who supported the school on the day. It was great to see the vibrant outfits and school spirit demonstrated on the day.

**Mrs. Cahill**

Karara State School welcomes back Mrs. Cahill who will be joining our Prep classroom for three weeks. Mrs. Cahill is in the second round of her teaching practicums this year as she works towards her education degree.

**Thank You**

Thanks to all the helpers who visited the school on the weekend and painted the ship. It looks great! Many of our students not involved in the painting of it commented on how fresh it looked.

**Speed Stacks**

Many of you would have noticed the students carrying home a Speed Stacks kit. The school’s Project Club purchased the kits as a way to have fun, while developing vital fine motor skills. Speed Stacks is a great way to improve hand-eye coordination, which not only will improve our ball games results but also our handwriting, cutting, drawing and typing.

**School Surveys**

If you haven’t returned your school surveys, please return them to the office at your earliest convenience. If you have opted to fill it out online, please let the school know so we are not waiting for a paper copy of the survey.

**Students of the Week this week are:**

All of the Karara Athletes who participated at the Sports Day. Congratulations!
Fundraising News

Raffle tickets need to be handed in to Kerry as son as possible.
The prizes are as follows:

1st prize - 1/2 butchered weaner
2nd prize - 1/2 butchered weaner
3rd Prize - butchered Hogget
4th prize - Trailer load of fire wood
5th prize - $100 gift voucher from Bunnings
6th prize - $60 chicken tray

The raffle will be drawn on 3rd of September.

Community Newsflash

Karara Motel Reopens

UNDER NEW OWNERSHIP!

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

Above: More terrific action shots from the Sports Day.

Tuckshop

Tuckshop will go back to it's regular time this week on Friday.
Thanks,
Kerry Wilson

P&C News

Date of next meeting is August 20, 2012 at 3:30pm.