Clean Up Day

The clean up day planned for Friday 1st March ended up being a green up day with localised flooding preventing some of our students from being able to attend school. Other students had to make a dash for home before rising waters took charge and roads were closed. Thanks to Robyn Styles from the SES and local farmers, we were kept well informed of rising waters.

Friday the 8th the weather was beautiful and our students worked hard in the school grounds as part of their involvement in the Clean up Australia Day Campaign.

There was a real sense of teamwork and purpose with plenty of planting, weeding and mulching in our extensive grounds. The lower division students divided plants and planted flowers to beautify our grounds. While the upper division students went on weed patrol digging up weeds and replanting the area with Kikuyu runners.

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Achievement Award Week 5
to Georgie Harrison for Working efficiently at the computer and great sentences in writing activities.

P&C A.G.M. - Tonight!
7.30pm at the Premer Hotel.
EVERYBODY WELCOME AND ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND.
The next day their parents and friends took up the challenge and cleared the nature area of debris to set up a challenging ropes fitness course. The course will be part of the fitness program with aims to build up endurance, upper body strength and balance.

The course was tested and given the seal of approval by the students present at the working bee on Saturday.

Thank you to all the parents who willingly lent a hand on Saturday for the working bee. A great turn out with all of our new parents present along with most of our older parents as well.

Thanks to Brett Collins for fabricating a structure for our ropes fitness course. Thanks to the team of hardworking backpackers Emma, Rosco, JD, Tom and Charlotte. With the chin up bar and maze to go it should soon be finished.

Thank you to the 20 strong community minded parents and friends who made light work of it all.

JD trimming the hedges.

Work gang.

Trying out the ropes course.

Abby, Reece and Charlie all hard at work.
**School Matters**

Music Days for rest of term 1.

Thursdays:
14th March
28th March
11th April

Remember to bring your Ukuleles to the hall in the mornings before classes start so Mrs Goodman can tune them before music lessons.

Many thanks from Mrs Cameron and the students to our Book Covering Master, Mrs Nolan for covering most of the student’s books with contact.

Science Day

Monday 8th April Premer School will be hosting a Science Day with Years 3-6 from Tambar Springs, Mullaley and Spring Ridge Schools joining us for some electrifying workshops and displays. A permission note will be sent home soon with further details.

Birthdays
Blair Yates 4th March.
Lincoln Brown 16th March.
**Assembly Awards Week 5**

Reece Zygnerski for understanding how a circuit works.
Wyatt Yates for identifying, ordering and grouping numbers.
Charlie Harrison for consistent effort and great poetry writing.
Alishea Rankin for completing all her work to a high standard on time.
Parker Collins for understanding rhyme.
Ella Rankin for using tally marks.

Sports Award: Charlie Harrison for playing football well.
Bookwork: Hanna Collins

**Good citizen awards:**
Harriet Nolan—kind and happy nature and for giving Miss Carly her birthday cake.
Poppy Davison and Hanna Collins for cleaning the path.
Parker Collins for reminding us about the flag.

**Assembly Awards Week 6**

Harriet Nolan—using strategies to calculate area.
Harold Braun—participating in maths activities.
Charlie Harrison—caring and working hard in class
Lydia Aulton—stepping up and achieving a high level of work in maths and tables work.
Charlie Traill, Pip Traill, Lydia Aulton and Alishea Rankin for doing a great tables rap.

**Bookwork:** Pip Traill
**Sports Award:** Ella Rose for returning her toys to the sports shed.

**Whole school:** stickers and ice blocks for great teamwork during Clean up day.

**Upcoming Events:**

⇒ 12th March P&C AGM.
⇒ 18th March Quirindi Rugby 7s
⇒ 21st March Harmony Day.
⇒ 27th March Tuckshop.
⇒ 8th April Science Day at Premer School.
⇒ 9th-11th April Operation Art Workshops.
⇒ 12th April Special Assembly 2.00pm. Last day of Term.
⇒ Mon 29th April Staff Development Day.
⇒ Tue 30th April students return to school.

Enjoying some hard earned ice blocks after clean up day.