A note from the Principal:

Jones Hill struck gold and silver last week with our strings students performing beautifully at the Fanfare Festival. Congratulations to teacher Kylie McIvor and her students who competed at the state festival of bands and orchestras (Fanfare). Our Beginner’s String Group was awarded the Gold award and the String Ensemble took out the Silver award. Our students were excellent ambassadors for our school on the day with exemplary behaviour and shining performances due to many hours of diligent practice. We look forward to their performance at this week’s school parade.

It was a delight last Friday to see such a large number of students receiving behaviour awards as they progress up through the behaviour achievement levels. These students have demonstrated a range of positive behaviours to earn the opportunity to progress up a level and are great examples of the excellent standards we hold dear at our school. This week will see a further group of students awarded for positive behaviours, responsible actions and pride and effort with their learning.

Our school has been lucky enough to have two university students, currently studying to be primary teachers at the University of the Sunshine Coast, working with our teachers and students. Tim Campbell is working with the year six/seven students and Audrey Ayres is working with 3S. Mrs Ayres will be returning in August to work with year 4N. The professional partnership between the university and our school is a valuable one that we look forward to continuing in the future.

Last week our Deputy Mr Wayne Alexander and I visited a number of classes during their reading sessions. The students were engaged in the comprehension strategy, ‘Main Idea’. It was wonderful to see the children apply their skills and knowledge to better understand the texts they were reading. The students will be working through a number of comprehension strategies during the year to build their skills in reading. We are currently purchasing a number of resources to enhance the schools program of teaching reading comprehension using a common language from prep to year seven.

A reminder that the 1-2-3 Magic and Emotion Coaching, Parent Course, starts tomorrow evening at 6:00pm in the school library. If you have not registered and would like to attend, ring Wayne Bahr on 0408701039.

Final Language Perfect (online language competition) Results:

**School Achievements:**
- 33rd overall in the 51-100 students category (out of 169 schools)
- 59th overall in QLD (out of 176 schools)
- 23rd in Australia for the 51-100 students category (out of 98 schools)
- 61st overall in German (out of 878 schools)
- 9th in QLD for the 51-100 students category (out of 33 schools)
- 4th for German in the 51-100 students category (out of 113 schools)
- 11th for German in QLD (out of 136 schools)
- 52nd for German in Australia (out of 599 schools)

**Student Achievements:**
- Gold Awards: Coby T and Jamie L
- Silver Awards: Ethan G, Sara-Rose F, Thomas B, Jamie Z and Hayden C
- Bronze Awards: Jacob G, Alex W, Makayla K, P.J W, Ella M and Hazel B
Although the weather was wet on Friday, a number of families attended playgroup. Activities included finger painted snakes and collage flowers. Playgroup will be in the school hall this Friday at 10.00 am. New members are most welcome.

A reminder to parents that photos of any student at school or at school functions must not be taken by mobile devices or cameras and used in digital publications i.e. Facebook, unless you have the parents’ consent. A number of students have signed forms dis-allowing the publication of their image.

Teachers are currently moderating student work and preparing information for reporting. All students will receive a printed report in the last week of term.

Thumbs up to the following students:

- Chloe B in 2G who has been working on a retell of her visit to the Gympie Show with her Dad. She shared her great piece of writing with the Principal.
- Elouise T in 3S who is establishing pen pals for her class in conjunction with residents of Cooinda Nursing Home.

NATIONAL COLLECTION OF DATA ON SCHOOL STUDENTS WITH DISABILITY

Collecting data on school students with disability helps teachers, Principals and education authorities support the participation of students with disability in schooling on the same basis as students without disability. All Australian Governments have agreed to work together on the annual collection of data on school students with disability. Please be reassured that the Department will not provide another organisation with any data that can identify an individual student. While only data that cannot identify your child will be submitted outside of the Department, if you do not wish for your child’s details to be included, or you have any questions please contact Stacey Seed on 54890555. Additional information is available from: Department’s website: http://education.qld.gov.au/curriculum/disability-data-collection.html

THUMBS UP CERTIFICATES

Whole School Parade Friday 6 June at 9:00am in the Hall


60 Tokens – Chloe B

BEHAVIOUR LEVEL RIBBONS

SILVER – Mia W, Jordan A, Seth B, Xander J and Rochelle B.

PREMIER’S READING CHALLENGE 2014

- The Premier’s Reading Challenge is on again starting 20th May and finishing 5th September.
- Reading Record sheets have been given to every class and the teachers will send them home. Please record the books your child reads on the sheet – it must be signed by the parent.
- The Prep teachers will complete the reading record sheet at school.
- If you lose the Reading Record sheet or did not receive one, just ask at the office or ask Mrs Seed.
- The children who complete the challenge receive a certificate – this is a great way to reward our readers!
- A love of reading is one of the most important skills that someone can have and the Premier’s Reading Challenge aims to improve literacy, cultivate a passion for literature and encourage children to read widely for pleasure and learning.

Happy Reading, Stacey Seed

School Wide Positive Behaviour Support (SWPBS)

Weekly Update:

Weekly Focus:
This week our focus is safety in the playground. Every class will be engaged in a lesson designed to teach the following expectations:
- Play safely at all times
- Use play equipment properly
- Be sun safe and wear a hat
- Move safely and walk on concrete

Parents, teachers and students working together make a powerful team!

OFFICE FOYER DISPLAY

If you’re in the school grounds pop into the office and check out the beautiful pictures the preppies from PM have done of “Portrait of my Mum”. Great artwork!

THANKYOU

Thank you to Michael and Helen Holmes from Nextra Newsagency in Goldfields Plaza for supplying the school requirements for this years booklists. The school received a cheque for $1189.35 in commission from this fundraiser.
P&C NEWS

Cadbury Chocolate Drive
We are still waiting on several families to return their Chocolate money. Please return to the school as soon as possible ($50.00 for Variety box or Freddo box or $80.00 for Easter Box). Thank you to all those families who have already returned their money.

Sports Day Friday 20th June
Sports Day is one of our biggest fundraising days for the year. This year we will be having a canteen again. Orders are now being taken. Please note only 1 child’s order per form. Parents please feel free to pre-order as well. All forms need to be returned by Wednesday 18th June. No late orders will be accepted as the pizzas need to be pre-ordered.

We require donations for our raffle. Please leave them with the ladies in the office. Any help on the day would be greatly appreciated, even if only for an hour. Please let the office know if you are able to help.

We would also appreciate home baking to be sold. It can be delivered to the hall canteen on Sports Day morning. If possible please include an ingredients list with your home baking.

Bakers Delight
Bakers Delight offer a program called **Dough Raisers** which provides funds to our school just for shopping with them. When you purchase from Bakers Delight just mention “Jones Hill State School” and Bakers Delight will donate a percentage to our school.

Movie Fundraiser – NOW ON SALE
We are holding a movie fundraiser “How to Train Your Dragon 2” on Saturday 21st June at 1:50pm. Tickets are $12 and are now available to purchase from the office. There are a limited number of tickets so get in early.

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SCHOOL BANKING DAY CHANGE
Student banking is now conducted every MONDAY between 8:15 am to 9:00 am in the office of the Tuckshop.

BLUE LIGHT DISCO
Mary Valley Blue Light will be holding another disco at the Kandanga Hall on the 13th of June. Starting at 6.30 pm till 8.30 pm. Entry is $5 all 8 to 15 year old’s welcome. High school ID’s needed. Light refreshments will be for sale on the night. Lots of prizes.

GIVE AWAY
Rooster free to give away to a good home. See the office.

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**30 May Parade Presentations**

FANFARE – Jones Hill String Ensemble (Silver) & Jones Hill Beginner Strings (Gold)

Platinum and Silver Behaviour Level Ribbons

Gold Behaviour Level Ribbons
# SPORTS DAY PRE-ORDER FORM

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