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Message from Mr Lucht

Greetings all.
Wow!, what an exciting few weeks for our school. Not only have we had a real film crew filming a real movie on our undercover multi-purpose court, but we were inundated with news media yesterday as well for Tim Horan’s visit. Tim was a very popular visitor with students, staff and parents alike as he recounted some of his memories from his time at Kandanga as well as presenting the school leaders with one of his international playing jersey’s. This was a particularly generous gift as I am sure that all of his playing jumpers hold significant personal significance. Tim did mention that he has only ever donated 6 of his international jumpers so we are particularly appreciative of his generosity and time. Tim’s visit was on channel nine local news last night and it is expected that channel 7 will air the story tonight on the local news. The Gympie Times also ran an impressive article on the visit in today’s edition.

Well done to Alex for this week competing at the Wide Bay athletics trials in Maryborough and qualifying to run at the state titles in Townsville in October. Alex ran a 7 second PB to finish 3rd in the 800m.

With the centenary celebration nearly upon us, we have attached a letter to today’s newsletter advising of which times families have been allocated to help out on the day.
Yesterday we were very fortunate to have a visit from Tim Horan who was the former Captain of the Australian Rugby Union Team. Tim was a past student at Kandanga School who kindly came along to chat with the students about his travels while representing Australia and how important it is for students to be active and to eat well. He then presented the school with his autographed World Cup jersey for us to display in our school as he won't be able to attend our Centenary due to his commitments with 2015 Rugby World Cup. We thank Tim so much for his time in visiting his old school.

Visit from Tim Horan

Fundraising News

A big thank you to all parents, staff and friends who volunteered their time to help sell showbags and help with the Muster. A great day was had by all even though the weather looked a little grim. The showbag Stall took in excess of $800 on the day.

Father’s Day Stall

Our Father’s Day Stall will be held at School on **Friday 04th September** not Friday 28th August as published in last week’s newsletter. Apologies for the mistake. It just leaves more time to save your coins to purchase dad his special gift. Thanks.

School Photos

School photos have arrived and will be distributed today to those students who have ordered a photo. Please check your child’s bag to ensure they have their photo.

Book Character Dress up Day

It was great to see so many students and staff dress up for our Book Character Dress Up Day on Tuesday. Lots of fun was had by all!
Mary Valley Show Results

Congratulations to the following students who were successful with their entries in the Art handwriting categories at the Mary Valley Show last weekend.

Handwriting
1st place - Year 5 Monika Waters
2nd place - Year 5 Emily Joseph

Art
1st place—Year 3 Chloe Garrett
2nd place - Year 2 Carl Keating
2nd place - Year 4 Ella Grandcourt

Prize money will be distributed to those students today.

Well Done!

Mary Valley Bush Poetry

The Mary Valley Bush Poetry Competition is on again at Amamoor School on Friday 04th September. Selected Students in the Upper and Middle classes will travel to Amamoor School to participate in the comp. Students are advised to bring their own morning tea, lunch and a drink. Parents are requested to provide transport for their child.

The Competition will start at 9:15am and finish at 12:30pm.

The Boar - Filming at Kandanga School

As most of you would be aware, the venue for filming “The Boar” was held at Kandanga School last Friday. It was so exciting to have our little school transformed into a Hollywood Studio and students and staff were lucky enough to have their photo taken with some of the actors.

Do you have time to help me recreate the evolution of time in Kandanga. I am making costumes for your children to wear in the Fashion Parade - animals, vehicles, fruit, period clothing. I will be at Kandanga School every afternoon outside the library under the veranda from 3:00pm to 5:00pm or if you can help me at another time please phone 0487072610.

I look forward to meeting you.

Julie Hasthorpe

Gympie State High School
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INFORMATION SESSION
6pm - 7pm Wednesday 9th September 2015
Attend the information session at our Junior Secondary Building

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