From The Principal’s Desk

What a successful term! I would like to congratulate all students who achieved success in the classroom, out in the sporting field, involved in extra-curricular activities and participated in community events.

Thank you to parents and students that represented the Dalby State School team at the “Relay for life”. Thank you to Mrs Elliott who played a major role in organising our school team, as well as working collaboratively with our student leaders to fundraise for this charity event. Congratulations, to all those involved in “Relay for Life”. I am sure the parents, staff and students who participated in this event had a wonderful time.

This week, a number of events will occur as we celebrate behaviour rewards on Wednesday 16th and Friday 18th September. Students who have received their classroom Dojo behaviour target participated in the classroom Dojo awards. Parents can also monitor their child’s behaviour results by logging onto the class room Dojo website.

Students were able to choose between, Darren Burns – Rugby League, Justin Anlezark – Little Athletics, Pop Dickinson - Basketball, Chappy Heather, Puzzles/Arts and Crafts on Wednesday and on Friday students will be doing the Tough Mudder (obstacle course).

Our students attended the Army Band Concert at the Show Grounds and had a great time. Our School Concert Band also had the opportunity to participate in a workshop lead by the Army Band. Thank you to Miss Commens who organised this event.

As we near the end of the term, I would like to thank you for your ongoing support towards Dalby State School. It certainly has been a busy term, however the amount of assistance from our parents, P&C and businesses towards supporting what we do at Dalby SS has been impressive. We hope to continue this strong partnership in Term 4.

This week, our school is participating in a School Review. At the completion of the review, the review team presents its findings to the staff. A written report follows that identifies areas for future improvement.

Following the review, schools work closely with their Regional Office to develop an appropriate response and improvement strategies. The school also shares the findings with their school community and publishes the final report on their website.

Have a wonderful week and enjoy the school holidays. Monday 5th October is a Public Holiday, so all Dalby State School students will return to school on Tuesday 6th October. During the school holidays, please keep an eye on the school and if you see anything unusual, please contact school watch on – 13 17 88.

Have a Wonderful Week, Mona Anau, Principal

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**Editors for the Week:**

**Footer for the Week:**

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News From The Deputy
Welcome to week 10 and the final week of Term 3. This term has certainly flown which goes to show just how busy we have been. It has been a very productive term at Dalby State School with the Creekside Markets, Eisteddfod, Arts Council, Army Band, Dad's Read and plenty of day to day teaching and learning happening in each and every one of our classrooms. I would like to say a very big thanks you to all the staff, students and parents that have played a part in ensuring our students have access to such wonderful events.

As we look forward to a well-earned holiday, we need to not lose sight of the bigger picture for Dalby State School. Term 4 will still see our focus remaining on Attendance, Behaviour and Reading. The staff of Dalby State School are well aware of our focus areas and are constantly involved in professional discussions to ensure a consistent approach that allows our school to move forward with noticeable gains.

Attendance:
Our current attendance rate as of Tuesday week 10 is 92.4%, just shy of our target of 93%. Attendance matters at Dalby State School, right up until the last day of term.

Finally I would like to wish all families of Dalby a safe and relaxing break. Enjoy the two weeks of holidays with family and friends.

Until next Term
Ben Edmunds, Deputy Principal

Relay for Life
Thank you Dalby State School - Relay for Life
Our 20-strong Relay for Life team experienced a most memorable Relay for Life over the weekend at the Dalby Showgrounds. We thank our wonderful school community for helping us to raise over $3,800 for the Cancer Council (we were 6th highest fundraising team out of 40+ teams) and all of our terrific team members for their time, generosity, commitment and great spirit. We also thank the local Dalby Relay for Life Organising Committee for staging a fantastic event full of emotion, colour and community spirit. We look forward to next year's Relay for Life!

Weekly Attendance Data
Our overall attendance rate this week is 94.78%
Congratulations Year 6 students for having the highest year level attendance rate.

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Cool Tool
Manners Matter

Values
Respect, Safety & learning

Lift
Learning Is Fun Together
Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9.00am-11.00am in Groom Hall.
We ask that you bring with you: a snack for morning tea, water bottle, a hat and a gold coin donation.
DALBY STATE SCHOOL CREED
“I am proud to be at Dalby State School. I will try my best to make the right choices and will respect others, all property and myself. Ever Onward.”

Netball News
We have reached the end of the 2015 netball season. I would like to congratulate all our netballers on a great season and hope they have enjoyed playing this great sport. A very special congratulations goes to the Hot Shots for being the Junior A Grand Final Champions. Well done girls and Mrs Van. A big thank you to each team’s Coach and helpers. Your time and dedication to your team and our school is greatly appreciated.

REMEMBER:
Could all netty players please return their netball uniforms to Mrs Fermor in her Prep Room this week.

Student Council Update
Year 5/6 National Rugby Week fun
As part of National Rugby Week (Rugby World Cup starts next week) our school is staging a Year 5/6 House Mixed VIVA 7s lunchtime competition focusing on the Rugby values of passion for the game, integrity, discipline, respect and teamwork on and off the field. This Friday we will stage the final between McGregor and Leichardt at first break and stage a Rugby World Cup-themed Rugby Relay race between teachers and students at second break!

Exciting announcement for Term 4
We are excited to announce that we will be having a DISCO organised by Student Council and P&C on Friday 30 October! We wonder what the theme will be? More details to follow!

Sports News
School Swimming starts first Tuesday of Week 1 Term 4 2015. Please ensure your swimming fees are paid prior to your child commencing lessons
Tuesday 6th October classes 6M/5D, 1C/1MC, 3G/3K
Wednesday 7th October classes 4PC/4C, 2K/2O, 6B/6T
Friday 9th October classes PA/PO, PF/PT

Win a Kitchen Kart for your school!
Hurry entries close Friday 25th September 2015.
Why is it important for children to have access to cooking facilities at their school?
Research shows children who help prepare meals eat significantly more vegetables than those who are not involved in cooking. Get Kids Cooking have partnered with Nestlé Healthy Active Kids and AIS to give parents and carers the opportunity to nominate their child’s school to win a Kitchen Kart valued at $25,000. The winning entry also receives $1000 cash to go towards keeping their family healthy and active! Simply send a note home asking parents and careers to visit the Healthy Active Kids website to enter
For further enquiries on The Kitchen Kart, please email info@getkidscooking.com.au

UNIFORM SHOP TRADING HOURS - Monday - Friday from 8.30am to 9.30am
Props needed for Annie

Dalby State School is currently in rehearsal for this year’s musical ‘Annie.’ As this story is set during the 1930’s we are on the lookout for lots of different types of props that would be suitable to use on stage. As I am managing backstage I will take personal responsibility to ensure that whatever we use we will treat with the upmost care! If you have anything that may suit please contact me via the school office on 4672 3666.

Mrs Rebecca Johnson

- Flashlight
- Basket
- Rolling laundry hamper
- 2 sets of sheets/blankets
- Rocking chair
- Coat stand
- 2 hospital beds
- Locket for Annie
- 1 office chair
- 1 office desk
- Radio
- Broken doll
- Victorian style settee
- Victorian style chair
- Attache case
- Two suitcases
- Candelabra
- Oriental rug
- Microphone
- Wheelchair
School Holiday Activities

**Gallery 107 September School Holiday Program**

Due to popular demand, Gallery107 is aiming to re-establish the ‘Art Bites’ holiday program during the September Holidays (21 September – 2 October 2015). This will be managed in a similar format to the last program, only we now have our own purpose built workshop space.

We are aiming to have 2 workshops each day - 9.30am to 11.30am, and 1pm to 3pm x 10 days - Monday through Friday each week of the holidays. Cost of each workshop is $20.00 per student.

In the past a variety of subjects has been taught.

Some included were

- Mini Clay Birds
- Still Life Sketching
- Beading
- Artist Books
- Children’s Painting
- Rock & Wire Sculpture
- Arm Knitting
- Owl Painting
- Sock Puppets
- Stained glass painting
- Adult painting
- Shaving cream marbling
- Pop up cards
- Blow hair portraits

All these subjects were very popular, and while the program may not include these this time, we are aiming to have similarly interesting subjects.
FAMILY FUN DAY
SATURDAY 19TH SEPTEMBER
THOMAS JACK PARK
10AM - 2PM

Disability Action Week presents...
★ DJ Sean
★ Jumping Castle
★ Petting Farm
★ Giant Slide
★ Cake Stall
★ Food & Drinks
★ ... And Much More