COMMUNITY NOTICES

BMX AUSTRALIA NATIONAL SIGN ON DAY
Come and try the thrills and excitement of BMX Racing for free.
Your local Club is at Walkerston
WALKERSTON BMX CLUB
MC LENNANS PARK CREEK STREET WALKERSTON
SUNDAY FEBRUARY 26 - 10AM TO 1PM
FREE SAUSAGE SIZZLE
CONTACT CHERYL (04) 7827090

TAE CHI FOR HEALTH

STARTING MIRANI COMMUNITY HALL
TUESDAY 6TH MARCH 6PM
Come along - Great for Mind, Body & Soul
Contact: Marie 4959 5322 Shelly 4959 1855

PONY CLUB OPEN DAY
Always dreamt of owning your own pony but not sure where to start? Too concerned about the financial aspect? Then Pony Club is a great place to get going. Come along to our Open Day on Saturday 3rd March at the P.R.V Clubhouse on Pleystowe Connection Road, Balinagowan to discover what we are all about.
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Refreshments will be available on the day. If you have any enquiries please feel free to contact:
Ivan Connell: (07) 4959 8734
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MIRANI S.E.S.
Information Nights will be held at 7:30pm
Monday 20th and Monday 27th February at the Mirani S.E.S. shed on Leichhardt Road - for more information - please ring 0438 700752

ENROL NOW FOR DANCE CLASSES
Theatre Arts Pioneer Valley is open for dance enrolments in Ballet, Tap, Jazz and Kinda Dance. In our studio in Blackmur Street, Marian. For more information phone 4957 4707

MACKAY ATHLETICS CLUB inc
SIGN-ON & INFORMATION DAY
Saturday 25 February 2012
11am to 6pm
Orientation Day Saturday 3 March starting 12.30pm to 4.00 pm. Mackay State High School Oval. Club House access via English or Penn St.
Age groups from 4 to Masters.
Trial Period only $10.00 for 2 weeks.
2012 Membership Fee: $95.00
$85.00 each additional member from same family
Can’t make it that day? You can sign on at any club competition day but remember to be early as the days events start at 12.30pm.
For all the details and to view our 2012 calendar, go to our website www.mackayathletics.com.au
Mackay Athletics Club is affiliated with Athletics North Qld

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STORYTIME AND BABY BOUNCE AT MIRANI LIBRARY
Storytime and Baby Bounce is held at the Mirani Library every Tuesday morning from 9.30 – 10.00am.
All children up to pre prep are welcome to attend.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to the students who are celebrating a birthday this week: Sarah Jordan, Jake Adams, Tahlia Falbo, Casey Keilbach, Daimen Keilbach, Emily Phelan, Abigail Vickers, Demi Vardanega & Molly Ross.

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COWBOYS VISIT MIRAN
About 75 keen rugby league supporters from our student body gave up their lunch time to listen to two prominent Cowboy players last Friday.

DATE CLAIMER

Monday 20
February, 2012
P&C NEWS

Our AGM will be held tomorrow night from 7pm in the library. If you are interested in nominating for any position on our Executive team, a brief overview of the roles and responsibilities of each are listed below.

EXECUTIVE ROLES

The President:
• is the accountable officer for the Marian SS P&C and Sub-Committees
• provides leadership, develops a sense of belonging and delegates
• acts as representative of the P&C
• promotes participation and communication between P&C, School Administration and Community
• chairs meetings

The Vice-President:
• in the President’s absence will Chair meetings and carry out duties delegated by the President
• provides essential support for the President and other executive members
• attends QCPCA meetings as the QCPCA representative

The Secretary:
• prepares meeting agendas and records meeting minutes
• maintains up to date membership records
• records and maintains information pertaining to the activities of the P&C
• has safe custody of P&C association documents
• clears mailbox regularly

The Treasurer:
• has the overall responsibility for the financial management of the P&C
• keeps accurate accounts of receipts & expenditure & reports monthly to P&C
• keeps cashbooks up to date and balances bank a/c
• supports all payments with invoices, receipts and docket
• arranges audit of annual financial statements.

As I end my term as P&C President, I would like to take this opportunity to thank Mr Argue for his ongoing support throughout the past three years. I would also like to thank our 2011 executive – Sue Jensen, Amanda Vickers and Kristy Counsell – whose efforts have contributed to the success of our P&C. Thanks also to the Tuckshop Committee, Uniform Shop Co-ordinator and Fundraising Co-ordinators for their commitment throughout 2011.

To the newly appointed executive, I wish you every success in 2012.
Sharee Corby
P&C President

THANK YOU TO:

President: Sharee Corby
Vice-President: Amanda Vickers
Secretary: Sue Jensen
Treasurer: Kristy Counsell

Thank you also to Tuckshop and School Committee members who all do a great job.

SCHOOL NEWS

• The first Parent Teacher meetings of the year are scheduled for this term with most occurring over the next two weeks. (Others closer to end of term) Teachers will meet with Prep parents on an individual basis.
• Religious Education classes commence this week for Yr 1 – 6 (not for IS as we do not have enough personnel). At Marian we provide a non-denominational program using the “Living with God” and “Connect” books. Our small but dedicated team of catechists, including Mr O’Rielly, do a wonderful job and students enjoy the classes.
• The historically small number of students not attending are provided with independent activities under the supervision of class teachers in their room. Books need to be purchased now ($6.00) from the office as classes commence Tues. We are also looking at applying for a School Chaplain.
• A photographer from the Daily Mercury will be here tomorrow morning to take photos of our year one students. Please advise if your child is on the exclusion list.
• There will be a meeting in the Library on Tuesday afternoon February 28 at 3:15pm to discuss fundraising for the 2013 Sydney/Canberra trip.

Regards,

Daryl Argue
Principal