NAPLAN
Individual student NAPLAN results have been sent home. Please contact teachers if you wish to discuss these assessments and how we use them. The school’s results were again outstanding with year 3 in particular achieving results far above state averages. Well done to students and staff.

LIFE EDUCATION
For the first time in several years the school will host the Life Education van and program in weeks 2 and 3 of next term. The Life Education program focuses on the areas of health and drug education, making good choices, peer pressure and bullying. We are being offered the program at a reduced cost of $4 per child (usually $9) in 2014. Permission notes will be sent out early in week 1. Contact me if you want any further information re Life Education.

EXCURSIONS
Year 5 and 6 students at camp are enjoying beautiful weather and great activities. They will return in time for afternoon buses. We will send out a school stream message on Wednesday to confirm.

ASSEMBLY
Our next assembly will be on this Thursday September 18 commencing at 1.00pm in the hall. KM will be hosting.

ABORIGINAL CULTURAL PROGRAM
A new feature of our annual cultural programs is a focus on Aboriginal culture. This will take place each year in term 4 with involvement of all classes over a 5 week period. The program will feature students in years 3-6 receiving lessons from Aboriginal teachers in the areas of art, dance, crafts, landuse and Aboriginal science, storytelling and traditional games each Monday afternoon. The program will commence on Monday 13 October. Students in years 3-6 will only pay a total of $5 for the 5 week program as it is being subsidised by the P & C and school. We believe this will be a wonderful learning experience for our students.

CANTEEN
The canteen will be run by parent volunteers this Friday as Jodee is away. We will have a limited menu which will need to be pre ordered the day before. Please place your orders (inc payment) into the box in the office by no later than 3.15pm Thursday 18th Sept. Only recess items can be purchased without an order which will include ice tubes, chips, muffins, cake, popcorn etc..<br>
**Pre-Order Menu**
- Tuna or Avo Sushi (Soy sauce inc) $3.20
- Beef Pie $3.50
- Chicken Mornay Pie $3.50
- Cheese and spinach rolls $3.00
- Paradise Punch or Apple popper $1.60
- Tomato Sauce $0.20

We are also sending out requests for volunteers for next term so please fill this out if you are able to assist.

CRICKET SEASON IS AROUND THE CORNER
First games are 5 weeks away for under 12s, under 14s, under 16s and all seniors with MILO IN2 CRICKET and our NEW Under 10s BIG BASH to start end of October.

Sign-ons are set down for Friday 19th September 3.30-5.30pm and Saturday 20th September 9.00-11.00am. Please bring along your cricket gear for a hit-out at one of these sessions as well as any old cricket gear you may want to pass-on or swap. Club history books and old club merchandise will also be available for sale.

Enquiries: mullumbrunscricket@gmail.com or Greg Litchfield, Junior Co-ordinator, Mullum Bruns Cricket Club, Ph 0430116500.

Wishing everybody a wonderful school holidays. Term 4 commences for all students on Tuesday 7 October.

Thanks
Chris Hauritz