Friday was Teacher Aide Day and I would personally like to thank our wonderful Teacher Aides at Seaforth State School. We are very lucky at Seaforth to have highly skilled professional teacher aides assisting in our classrooms and ensuring our students are receiving the best support and extension available. Sue, Kerri-Ann, Lara, Denyelle (and office support), Justine, Sarah and Lisa – you are all superstars at our school. On Friday we also acknowledged the fantastic work of Mrs Frost in our office who is always cheery and keeps our school well organised. Mrs Baker and Julie our super clean experts – Thanks Thanks and Thanks.

Seaforth State School is extremely lucky to have a highly skilled, friendly and professional staff that work together as a team. I am very honoured to have become a part of this terrific team.

Father’s Day stall
Thank you to Mel Francis for her organisation and thanks to everyone who supported our recent Father’s Day Stall. I hope all Dads had a relaxing day yesterday and were well and truly spoilt.

Sun Safety at School
Coming into our warmer months it is essential that every child brings a wide brim hat to school to play. A wide brim hat for every student is a requirement as children are to participate in Physical Education as a part of our curriculum. A wide brim hat is a part of our uniform and our P&C will be offering the hard wide brim hats at a discounted price. Our NO HAT NO PLAY rule will be enforced in term 4- and to alleviate the problem of hats left at home we will be placing hat hooks for our junior classrooms so that their hats can be left at school on their own hook. Please ensure that your child’s hat is named.

Enrolments for 2016
If you or you are aware of enrolments for 2016 please contact the office. We have started an enrolment list and would love to make sure that everyone is included in our upcoming transition program for term 4. Next week’s newsletter will have more detail regarding the transition program.
UPCOMING EVENTS

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FATHERS DAY STALL PROFITS
Thanks so much to everyone that purchased a gift or two from this year’s Father’s Day Stall.
The Student Council raised $257.10! Hopefully all our wonderful Dad’s had the best day possible.
Thanks for your support everyone.

ACTIVE AFTER SCHOOL
As this is the final week for Touch Football we would love to get some parents and staff together to give the kids a game and test out their newly learnt skills.
If there are any parents interested, please come to the Thursday session at 2:45pm bring your water bottle, joggers and a smile.

SCHOOL BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS
Attach your receipt of payment or send me an email stating what you have paid for and who the payment is for. dgill82@eq.edu.au
Seaforth State School, BSB: 064707, Account Number: 00090837

YR 5/6 CAMP
Please be aware that we do not offer Bpoint or Bpay as a payment option. You can either pay by cash or direct deposit straight into the school account. If you are paying the cost off, please contact the office.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

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P & C NOTICES

AMAZING RACE
The theme for the Amazing Race is ‘camouflage’. This can be anything from leopard print, jungle print, stick a few twigs/leaves on, - anything. Just use your imagination.

Volunteers are needed for the day. If you are interested in helping out please put your name down at the office.

Reminder that sponsorship money is due back to the office this Friday.

TUCKSHOP
Mrs Carrol Harris will be leaving us at the end of this term. We would like to say a huge Thank you for running the Tuckshop, you have done a fantastic job.

Mrs Carli Temple will be taking over the role of convenor. If there are any students that are gluten/dairy intolerant or maybe you are trying out the Elimination diet for kids with Autism, Carli would like to talk to you about options for your child.

We desperately need volunteers to help out. If you have a few spare hours on a Friday morning and would like to help, please let Carli or the office know.

UNIFORM SHOP & PRICES

Open Monday and Wednesday 8:00am – 8:45am.
Jacket (fleecy zip) $20.00
SSS Shirts - $25.00
Sports Skorts (new style) - $14.00
Hats (reversible bucket or wide brim)- $15.00
Homework folder - $12.00
Heavy duty chair bag - $11.00
Pencil case (large) - $6.00
Library bags - $6.00

*SPECIALS*
Old stock- first in best (& cheapest) dressed.
2 x size 10 microfibre tracksuit pants - $15each.
8 x size 12 SSS shirts - $18 each.

WOOLWORTHS EARN AND LEARN

Last couple days - ends Tuesday 8/9
From Wednesday 15th July to Tuesday 8th September, we are collecting Woolworths Earn & Learn Stickers. You will get one Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker for every $10 spent (excluding liquor, tobacco and gift cards). Place the Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker onto a Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker Sheet and when it’s complete, the Sticker Sheet can be dropped into the green folder here at the school or at Woolworths Mt Pleasant.

At the end of the promotion, we’ll be able to get some great new equipment. The range is extensive and offers lots of items ideal for our students – including
resources for Maths, English, Science and some fantastic fun supplies for Arts & Craft, Sport and for our library. If you’d like to know more visit woolworths.com.au/earnandlearn

TAI CHI
Held at the Library every Friday morning from 9am-10am. $5 for the session

MACKAY GYMNASTICS FUN DAYS
Dates: Wed 23/9; Fri 25/9; Wed 30/9; Fri 2/10
Times: 9.30am-11.00am
Where: at MGI facilities, Snow Wright Court, Beaconsfield
Cost: $16.50 per participant/session
For: primary school aged boys and girls (5 – 12 years)
Bookings: phone the office on 49420032 to book your child in or email admin@mackaygymnastics.org.au

SURF SAFE APPEAL
Please support our Surf Lifesavers during the 2015 Surf Safe Appeal. Volunteer to collect for the Mackay Surf Lifesaving Club and participate in the Annual Door Knock event.

Surf Life Saving Queensland (SLSA) is the state’s peak beach safety and rescue authority and one of the largest volunteer-based community service organisations in Australia. As a charity and a not-for-profit organisation, SLSQ relies heavily on community support and public donations to enable our members to work towards protecting our beaches and saving lives.

The Mackay Surf Lifesaving Club has been patrolling Mackay beaches since 1949. Its primary purpose is to provide access to safe bathing for the public of Mackay. With that purpose in mind Mackay Surf Lifesaving Club members provide volunteer beach patrols on weekends and public holidays for the months of September – April each year at Mackay Harbour Beach. Mackay Surf Lifesaving Club is also a recognised emergency service provider which is on standby during all natural disasters and threats in order to provide assistance to the community.

This year Mackay Surf Lifesaving Club needs your help. Our largest fundraising initiative is the annual Surf Safe Appeal and Door Knock, which will take part from Monday the 31st of August through until Sunday the 13th September, and we are in search of volunteers to collect on our behalf. Are you able to spare some time to help us raise vital funds, or are willing to collect in your street? The Mackay Surf Club will supply you with a collection kit that contains the necessary permits, identification and official receipts for you to collect on our behalf along with a certificate of thanks for your support. Collecting can be done any day during the appeal period, so why not get together with a group of friends and support your local surf club. Your assistance with the appeal will help us ensure our lifesavers have the necessary equipment training and resources to watch over and protect our local beaches.

For further information or to register for the collection please contact Mackay Surf Lifesaving Club on 4955 5630 or our Surf Safe Appeal Coordinator Karen on 0407381651.

# Volunteers under the age of 15 must collect with an adult and have written permission from a parent or guardian.