



P&C Meeting
TUES AFT, JUNE 10th,
3.00pm
ALL WELCOME

Newsletter, 2025, Term 2, Week 5

Message from the Principal

Half way there, living on a prayer! Half way through the term already. Assessment work is starting to kick in and lots more besides. Please don't forget that it's our Fun run and Origin Ball Games day next Wednesday. Copies of the teams letter and sponsor form are attached to this newsletter.

I should also take time here to welcome a new student and his family to our school. Hunter joined our Prep class this week after recently arriving in Australia from the Philippines. Welcome!

Robert Lawton, Principal

P&C News

Our next **P&C meeting** will be on **Tuesday afternoon, June 10th at 3.00pm**. Parents and community members are encouraged to attend.

Unpaid money from those who took our chocolate fundraiser boxes is now due please.

The P&C will be holding a disco for the students on Friday evening, June 20th. Details below -

MAROONDAN SS P&C DISCO



Friday, June 20th,
5.30pm 'til 7.30pm
HOT DOGS, DRINKS, CHIPS,
GLO-STICKS, LOLLIES ON SALE
FANCY DRESS -
'UNDER THE SEA' THEME
\$2 ENTRY

FORTNIGHTLY DIARY

Every Wednesday - Library all grades

Every Wednesday - Tennis - 3-6 7.30am, Prep-2 8.00am

Every Thursday - First Break - Tuckshop

Every Friday - Before School Breakfast Club

Alternate Mondays (odd weeks) - Parade 2.20pm

EVENTS

Wednesday, May 28th - State of Origin Fun Run and Ball games, visitors welcome

Saturday, May 31st—Gin Gin Show

Friday, June 20th - Semester 1 Reports issued

Friday, June 20th - P&C 'Under the Sea' Disco, 5.30pm

Monday, June 23rd - Maroondan SS Sports Day

Tuesday, June 24th - Rewards Day

Friday, June 27th—Last day of term

Monday, July 14th - Term 3 starts

MORNING SOCCER SESSIONS

Monday May 26th, Tuesday June 3rd, Thursday June 5th

Family Frolics Under 8s Ssssion

Well done to the P-2 students for their super behaviour at the Under 8s Day in Gin Gin earlier this week. I believe a good time was had by all who attended.



MAROONDAN STATE SCHOOL

**Monday
Mornings,**

8.45 am to 10.45am

*Parents of babies, toddlers and pre-school children
are invited to bring your kids along for a morning of*
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STATE OF ORIGIN SPONSORED FUN RUN

WEDNESDAY, MAY 28th, 11.00am



STATE OF ORIGIN FUN BALL GAMES COMP



In the afternoon following the fun run we will be holding another special fun ball games competition, with all games devised by Mrs Hollands' students.
Parents are invited too!!

Triple P Parenting Program at Maroondan SS

Our well-being guidance officer, Amanda Ericson, is running a series of **free parenting seminars** at Maroondan starting at the end of May. The Triple P Program is all about encouraging positive child behaviour. Details of the seminars are attached to this letter, with information on how to reserve your place for each session. Come along and enjoy a cup of tea or coffee whilst learning how you can best support your child.

Gin Gin Show - May 31st to June 1st

Gin Gin Show takes place next weekend. Details here - <https://www.gingginshow.com.au/>

Chappy Lisa, along with Year 5 volunteers, will be running a fund raising stall at the show and has asked for contributions from parents and community members. I you can donate a slice, a cake, biscuits or cake mix to assist with the fundraising for the school it would be much appreciated.

Come along and enjoy a cup of tea or coffee whilst learning how you can best support your child.

Maroondan SS Sports Day

Annual athletics and ball games competition

Monday, June 23rd commencing at 12.45pm

on the school oval

Parents and visitors welcome

Refreshments on sale

Don't miss it!



Stars of the Week - Term 2, Weeks 3 and 4

Well done to the students who received Student of the Week Certificates at our parade this week. For Week 3 of the term award recipients were **Anna** in Year 5 for trustworthiness and reliability and **Mirakai** in Year 2 for effort in English and Maths activities.



For Week 4, award recipients were **George** in Year 5 for effort and **Zade** in Year 1 for great informative writing.



Don't forget -

You can help out our P&C by donating your refundable drinks containers. Just leave them by the entrance to the shed behind the toilet block. Thank you
Thank you!



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Principal: Robert Lawton



Friday, 23rd May, 2025

Dear Parents / Caregivers

Our year 5 student leaders are having a cake stall at the Gin Gin Show on Saturday May 31st & Sunday June 1st.

50% of all proceeds will go towards the year 6 camp (to be held at the end of next year) and a local charity. We will be making cakes, slices and biscuits during our lunch times but would much appreciate any donations you would like to contribute. If you don't have time to bake, a donation of a cake mix or slice mix would be great.

Chappy Lisa will be at the show from 9am onwards. Students donating 'an hour' of their time at the stall throughout the day would benefit the fundraising efforts for their school.

Permission is required. Please return the attached form with a note to indicate what day/time your child can attend.

Hours available are:

9am to 10am

10am to 11am

11am to 12noon

12noon to 1pm

1pm to 2pm

2pm to 3pm

3pm to 4pm

Thanks, Chappy Lisa

Consent to assist with Fund Raising Stall at Gin Gin Show, Saturday May 31st, Sunday June 1st

Please complete the required information and check all appropriate boxes below to indicate your agreement/consent:

- ☐ I have read all of the information contained in this form in relation to the activity (including any attached material) and I am aware that the Department of Education, Training and Employment does not have personal accident insurance cover for students.
- ☐ I give consent for my child, _____ (print child's name) to participate in the activity detailed above.
- ☐ In the event of an accident or illness, I authorise school staff to obtain or administer any medical assistance or treatment my child may reasonably require, including contacting my child's doctor.
- ☐ I have provided the school all relevant details relating to my child's medical or physical needs on enrolment and where relevant have updated this information.
- ☐ I accept liability for all costs incurred in obtaining such medical assistance or treatment (including any transportation costs) and undertake to reimburse the State of Queensland (via the Department of Education, Training and Employment) the full amount of any costs incurred on my child's behalf.
- ☐ I understand that students will be transported by minibus or private vehicle to this event.

Parent/Carer Name: _____ (Please Print)

Signature: _____ Date: ____/____/____

Additional medical information

The school collected medical information about your child at enrolment. This information is stored in OneSchool. Please give full details of any new or changing conditions (medical, physical or management) which may affect your child's full participation in the activity described in the form.

You may also wish to provide the following information*:

Name of child's medical practitioner: _____ Telephone No.: _____

Medicare No.: _____

Private Health Insurance Company (if provided): _____ Membership No.: _____

*If an enrolment form for your child has been completed or updated since October 2012 this information will already be recorded in OneSchool.

☐ I would like this additional information about my child's medical and physical details to be recorded in OneSchool records.

Privacy Notice

The Department of Education, Training and Employment is collecting the personal information requested in this form in order to:

- obtain lawful consent for your child to participate in the activity;
- help coordinate the activity;
- respond to any injury or medical condition that may arise during, or as a result of the activity; and
- update school records where necessary.

The information will only be accessed by authorised school staff and will be dealt with in accordance with the confidentiality requirements of s.426 of the Education (General Provisions) Act 2006 (Qld) and the Information Privacy Act 2009 (Qld).

The information will not be disclosed to any other person or agency unless it is for a purpose stated above, the disclosure is authorised or required by law, or you have given DET permission for the information to be disclosed.

Activity Risks & Insurance

The activity outlined above carries an inherent risk of physical injury occurring. Please note that the Department of Education, Training and Employment does not have personal accident insurance cover for students. If your child is injured as a result of an accident or incident, all costs associated with the injury, including medical costs are the responsibility of the parent/carers. Some incidental medical costs may be covered by Medicare. If you have private health insurance, some costs may be also be covered by your provider. Any other costs must be covered by parents/carers. It is up to all parents/carers to decide what types and what level of private insurance they wish to arrange to cover their child. Please take this into consideration in deciding whether or not to allow your child to participate in this activity.

DAYS/TIMES STUDENT CAN ASSIST: _____

PARENT/CARE CONTACT NUMBER: _____



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Tuesday, May 14th, 2024

Dear Parents/Care Givers,

Fun Run and State of Origin Ball Games – Wednesday, May 28th – From 11.00am

Our Sponsored Fun Run and State of Origin ball games will take place on Wednesday, May 28th. Sponsorship forms are attached. More are available at school if required.

The fun run will take place between 11.00am and 12.00pm and will follow the same format at last year, with prizes for students from each age group who cover the furthest distance. There will also be a medal for the biggest fundraiser. Once again, our fun run will be a 'colour fun run'.

Our State of Origin Ball Games afternoon, with all games devised by students in Mrs Hollands' class, will take place from 12.45pm. **Students will be placed in state teams, as below, and we're asking that they come to school, if possible, wearing their state's colours - shirts, pants, hair dye, face paint – whatever you can find!** (Old clothes please – they're likely to get messy during the colour run).

Parents and visitors are welcome to attend. A stall selling snacks and refreshments will be available in the afternoon.

Qld- **Maroon colours** – Mr Hamilton, Mrs Field, Olivia, Emily, Charlie, Zenayah, Taylor, Kaylee, Fred

NSW- **Sky blue colours** - Mr Lawton, George, Nina, Jasper, Cleo, Connor, Thoma, Bella

Victoria – **Navy blue colours** – Mrs Hollands, Tatum, Lilly, Eddy, Zade, Kaylin, Tommas, Seth

Western Australia- **Yellow colours** – Mrs Young, Sofia, Georgia, Dallas, Cooper, Lincoln, Zahara, Toby

South Australia- **Red colours** – Mrs Herbener, Amelia, Rory, Ryder, Milla, Maison, Mirakai, Hunter

Tasmania- **Dark Green colours**– Ms Stuart, Anna, Tyler, Finnley, Ellie, Ava, Declan

Thanks,

Robert Lawton, Principal



Queensland Government

Maroondan State School

Sponsored Colour Fun Run

Wednesday, May 28th, 11.00am



Student name: _____

Sponsor Name	Amount Sponsored
TOTAL COLLECTED	\$ _____

All Maroondan students will participate in our colour fun run on Wednesday morning, May 28th. Students will have up to 1 hour to run or walk around our school cross-country course. Special prizes will be awarded to those raising the most money and completing the furthest distance!

Raise some money and choose your prize

All participants will receive a certificate of completion!

Raise the following amounts and tick your prize of choice

<p>Raise</p> <p>\$10 to \$19</p>	<p>FLYING RING</p> 	 <p>MINI NOTE BOOKS</p>	 <p>COLOUR CHANGING MAGIC MARKERS</p>	<p>SKIPPING ROPE</p> 
<p>Tick choice</p>				
<p>Raise</p> <p>\$20 to \$29</p>	 <p>SUPER ACTION YO YO</p>	<p>SPLAT BALL</p> 	 <p>A4 DRAWING BOOK</p>	 <p>12 DOUBLE ENDED MARKERS</p>
<p>Tick choice</p>				
<p>Raise</p> <p>\$30 to \$39</p>	<p>LIGHT UP BUBBLE BLASTER</p> 	 <p>BUTTERFLY WING CAPE</p>	 <p>GIANT STRETCHY WORM</p>	<p>100 IN 1 GAMES SET</p> 
<p>Tick choice</p>				
<p>Raise</p> <p>\$40 to \$49</p>	 <p>GIANT PUZZLE BALL</p>	<p>2 PACK MONSTER TRUCKS</p> 	<p>HANGING SLOTH</p>  <p>SOFT TOY</p>	 <p>MARBLE RACE TRACK</p>
<p>Tick choice</p>				
<p>Raise</p> <p>\$50 to \$74</p>	 <p>TWIN PACK AIR BALL BLASTER</p>	<p>TIE DYE UNICORN</p> 	<p>LIGHT AND SOUND DINOSAUR</p> 	 <p>SUPER BUBBLE MACHINE</p>
<p>Tick choice</p>				
<p>Raise</p> <p>\$75 +</p>	 <p>REMOTE CONTROL SPACE ROBOT</p>	 <p>AMAZING ART BOX</p>	 <p>BEADING SET</p>	 <p>SLIME KIT</p>
<p>Tick choice</p>				

Please return collected money and prize order by Friday, May 30th



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Find out more about why kids behave the way they do, and pick up tips and strategies to help make family life easier – and more fun!

The Power of Positive Parenting

Date: Friday 30 May 2025

Time: 1.30 pm

Venue: Maroondan State School

Raising Confident, Competent Children

Date: Thursday 12 June 2025

Time: 1.30 pm

Venue: Maroondan State School

Raising Resilient Children

Date: Friday 20 June 2025

Time: 9.00 am

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Want to see more of the behaviour you like, and less of the behaviour you don't like? Triple P's *Power of Positive Parenting* seminar can help you understand why kids behave the way they do. This life-changing 90 minutes is free for Queensland parents and carers of children aged up to 12 years, and is packed with strategies to help make raising kids easier – and more fun!

Triple P's *Power of Positive Parenting* seminar can help you:

- Raise happy, confident kids
- Guide kids' behaviour
- Set rules and routines that everyone follows
- Get on well with your kids and argue less
- Balance work and family with less stress

Register for your **FREE** parenting seminar:

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- Show your children how to express strong feelings in a healthy way
- Raise kids who can deal with stress
- Encourage problem-solving and a positive attitude

Register for your FREE parenting seminar:

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Time: 9.00 am

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