Welcome Back to Term 2
Welcome back to Term 2. We hope everyone had a relaxing and restful holiday and are ready for the adventures of Term 2.

Mrs Kay’s Time
Starting this term Mrs Kay will have reduced time at Maimuru. Mrs Kay will be working each Monday and Tuesday and alternate Wednesdays. She will not be in the office Thursdays or Fridays. Please ensure all notes are returned early in the week for processing.

Canteen
This week, Jacinta Edgerton will be organising canteen. Jacinta will be serving up Hamburgers and Caramel Slice for dessert. Please ensure your orders are returned TOMORROW as Mrs Kay will not be in to sort them on Thursday. Thank you.

Next week Janice Gregory will be organising canteen (Janice please let the school know what you will be serving). Thanks.

Homework
Thank you to the students (and parents/carers) who have returned their homework to school on Fridays for marking. Please return homework Friday morning.

Infants homework: As outlined in the students’ homework books.
Primary Homework: This week primary students will be completing Unit 9.
Times Tables Drill:
Year 3 – x5 Tables
Year 4 – x6 Tables
Years 5&6 – x8 Tables

Whole School Assembly
Congratulations to Hannah and Madison who conducted the whole school assembly held on the last day of Term 1 so well and to Kiara for her excellent drumming!

Student Awards:
Cheyenne-Lee Hills: For her good effort in class.
Tyran King: For his good friendly ways of play.
Matilda DeBritt: For including people.

Infants Awards and Primary Awards:
Lilly Edgerton: For trying hard in mathematics to read and write 2 digit numbers.
Tyran King: For excellent effort and progress in reading.
Angus Steenbergen: For great effort in reading, demonstrating excellent reading comprehension skills.
Katelyn Edgerton: For making pleasing progress in reading and learning sight words.
Madison Gembles: For her enthusiasm for learning new and challenging work, particularly in mathematics.
Hannah Steenbergen: For her beautifully neat hand writing, interesting story writing and always trying to achieve her personal best.
Matilda DeBritt: For her entertaining, creative and imaginative writing.
Anna Irish: For her inspired writing of imaginative texts.
Kiara Warnke: For her inventive and innovative ideas when writing narratives.
Kyle Price: For his great efforts integrating technology into investigative tasks.

Library Award:
Congratulations to Angus Steenbergen who received the Library Award for Term 1, Week 10. Angus received his award for attentive listening in library.

Birthday Awards:
Both Hugh McMillan and Madison Gembles received birthday awards.

Principal’s Award:
The Principal’s Award was presented to Will Gregory for his excellent leadership style that is distinguished by being warm, caring, friendly, funny and helpful.
During the assembly, students showed the boomerangs they painted as part of Harmony Day activities. The students also showed and read the postcards they constructed as part of work they have been doing around British exploration and settlement in Australia.

Another enjoyable Enrichment Day was celebrated on the last day of Term 1. Thank you to the parents and families who provided a delicious lunch and presented a variety of interesting activities for the children. Please find some photos from the day attached to the newsletter.

The Young Small Schools Athletics Carnival was held on the last Wednesday of Term 1 at Gus Smith Oval. Thank you to the many parents and families who came along and supported and encouraged the children throughout the day.

Congratulations to the children who participated in all events possible. We were delighted with those who gave every effort and achieved their personal best on the day. Particular congratulations go to Kyle Price who was the runner up for the Senior Boys Champion and Will Gregory who was the runner up for the 11 Years Boys Champion.

The following students are also to be congratulated for their achievements:

**Will Gregory:** 1st 11 Years Boys Long Jump, 1st 11 Years Boys High Jump, 2nd 11 Years Boys Discus, 2nd 11 Years Boys 800m, 2nd 11 Years Boys 200m, 2nd 11 Years Boys 100m, 2nd 11 Years Boys Shot Put.

**Kyle Price:** 1st Senior Boys High Jump, 1st Senior Boys 800m, 2nd 12 Years Boys 100m, 2nd Senior Boys Long Jump, 3rd Senior Boys 200m, 3rd Senior Boys Shot Put, 3rd Senior Boys Discus.

**Anna Irish:** 2nd 11 Years Girls High Jump, 3rd 11 Years Girls Shot Put

**Kiara Warnke:** 2nd 11 Years Girls Discus, 3rd 11 Years Girls Long Jump

**Madison Gembles:** 1st Junior Girls High Jump, 2nd Open Girls 800m, 2nd Open Girls 200m.

**Hannah Steenbergen:** 3rd 10 Years Girls 50m.

**Drew Eder:** 2nd 8 Years Boys 100m.

**Annie Gregory:** 3rd Junior Girls Shot Put

**Cheyenne-Lee Hills:** 2nd Junior Girls High Jump, 3rd 9 Years Girls 100m.

**Angus Steenbergen:** 1st 8 Years Boys 100m.

**Lilly Edgerton:** 3rd 7 Years Girls Age Race.

In addition our relay teams achieved the following results:

- 2nd Junior Girls Relay
- 2nd Junior Boys Relay
- 3rd Senior Boys Relay

### YSS Cross Country Carnival

The YSS Cross Country Carnival will be held next week on **Thursday 30th April** (Week 2, Term 2) at **Bribbaree Showground**. Bribbaree School is offering a meal deal (please find an order attached) and will also be selling a selection of cakes/biscuits/slices and tea/coffee on the day. Please return your lunch orders by **Wednesday this week** (as Mrs Kay will not be here for the remainder of the week and will need to sort the orders and get them off to Bribbaree), thank you. The carnival will go ahead regardless of wet weather conditions.

Mrs Pippard and students will be travelling with the school bus to Bribbaree for this event and there will be no staff left at the school. Children who do not come to school on the bus will need to be at school by 9am! Parents and carers are asked to let Mrs Pippard know if they will be taking their children to and from the carnival by private transport. The bus will be leaving from school at 9.05am.

Please RETURN your permission note so that we can get entry details to Bribbaree by **Wednesday (tomorrow)**. Should we not have your note, another is attached!

### Young Leaders

Thank you to those parents who have returned their permission note for this Year 5 & 6 excursion.

### ANZAC Day

ANZAC Day falls this Saturday, 25th April. This year there will be no extra holiday in lieu – so Monday 27th April is a normal school day for everyone. There is **NO** additional public holiday on Monday 27 April.

A permission note was sent out last term. At this stage we have Kyle Price, Katelyn and Lilly Edgerton, Hannah and Angus Steenbergen attending the march in Young. If other students are able to march with Maimuru Public School it would be much appreciated. This year makes 100 years since the first landing of Australian and New Zealand soldiers at Gallipoli.

### Jump Rope For Heart

Maimuru Public School is excited to again be a part of Jump Rope for Heart in 2015. We are looking forward to learning lots of fun skipping skills and how to keep our hearts healthy! Heart disease is still the single biggest killer of Australians and is why it is so important that we raise vital funds to support heart health research. We want to help reduce premature death and suffering from heart disease that effects Australian families every day.

Students at Maimuru Public School can sign up now by going to the website below and follow the links to register.


### Bookclub

The next set of Scholastic Bookclub pamphlets are attached. Should you wish to make an order, please complete and return by Monday, 4th May 2015. Thank you.
**Heart smart**

Here are some healthy heart food tips:

- use margarine spreads instead of butter
- choose reduced-fat milk (2% fat or less) for children two years and over
- have fish at least twice a week
- snack on fresh fruit
- don’t add salt to cooking or at the table
- enjoy a variety of foods especially fruits, vegetables, breads and cereals.

**Dates to Remember - Term 2**

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**P&C News**

Next P&C Meeting

**Tues. 5th May**

Commencing 3.20pm

To finish by 4.30pm

**COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARD**

You can contact the school on 62 6550 1164 for more information.

Enrichment Day in Term 1 was a great way to end the Term!