Dates to Remember
September
5—9—Yr 5 & 6 Cluster camp—Melbourne
6-14—Somers Camp—Caleb & Samuel
13th—Athletic Sports—Mildura
Prep Checks
14th—Roald Dahl Dedication Day
16th—Last Day of term—Footy Colours Day
Thermomix Raffle Drawn

WHO’S DOING WHAT THIS WEEK?
Mrs P is away on camp and has not been replaced.
I will be working Tuesday instead of Wednesday this week.

THANKS

Child Safety Standards & Working With Children Checks
Due to updated Department regulations, all parents and volunteers who engage in child related work must have a current Working with Children Check. This check is free of charge for volunteers and all parents are encouraged to obtain this card. As we give preference to parents of prep students to go on the whole school camp, we encourage these parents in particular to have this check. Please read the separate notice attached to the newsletter regarding this and follow the links for further information. If you have any questions please contact Mrs P next week when she returns from camp.

School Camps
Transition Camp Mrs P, Indie, Jack Jayden and Thomas are away on the year 5/6 Transition Melbourne Camp this week. We know they will all behave themselves and we hope they all have a great time. We look forward to hearing about the camp next week.

Somers Camp—Caleb and Samuel are off to Somers tomorrow morning for 9 days. We hope you both have a wonderful time and look forward to hearing from you next week. (it must be a very old camp because I went when I was in grade 5 in 1968!!!! I can still remember lots of things about the camp because it was great—enjoy it boys.)

Wood For Sale
We have a tailer load of wood at the back of the school for sale. Call in for an inspection and make us an offer we can’t refuse!

School Mowing
As the mowing area has now doubled the mowing of the school grounds was discussed at School Council on Wednesday night. It was decided to divide the mowing into two sections— ”The Top Oval” and the “Bottom Oval and Front of School”. I will now advertise which parent is responsible for what for the first 2 weeks of the month and then swap for the second half of the month. Hopefully this will solve any problems we have had. Please see the mowing roster on the following page for these changes.

Softfall Spreading—thank you
A great big thank you to Chris and Garth (and anyone else we are unaware
of) for spreading the softf all under the new and old playground equip-
ment.

Prep Checks
The school nurse will be at school on Tuesday 13th September for the Prep Checks so please make sure your child is at school this day. Any questions please contact Helen.

Plastic Pots Please
Helen has been sending seedlings etc home with the students over the past few weeks and would like the plastic pots to be returned to school if possible so they can be reused (we are running out of them!) If you are able to help out or have any spares at home that we could have, it would be greatly appreciated.

Homework Contracts This Week
Senior Room—None this week due to camp—others may start working on next terms talk.
Middle Room—No spelling or homework this week - all finished for this term!!
Junior Room—Contract 21—due Friday 9th September

Sunraysia Athletic Sports—13th September
Selected 9 to 12 Year Old students have been invited to compete at the Mildura, Aerodrome Ovals Division level sports on 13th September. All parents with students who have qualified have now been notified.

Roald Dahl—100th Birthday Anniversary—14th September
A reminder that we are having a dedication to Roald Dahl on Wednesday the 14th September (last week of term) to celebrate what would have been his 100th Birthday. Students are welcome to come dressed as their fa-
vourite Roald Dahl character and participate in a range of fun activities during the day— Some of his wonderful books are: The Witches, The Twits, Matilda, The BFG, The Fantastic Mr Fox, James and the Giant Peach, Charlie & the Chocolate Factory to name a few. Please put on your thinking caps and start to do some research for your children’s costumes.

Year 6’s—Last Day of Term—16th September
This term’s theme is “Footy Colours Day”. This is our only fun day that is to raise funds to fight Cancer. Students can wear any sporting code cloth-
ing—eg local footy or netball uniforms, AFL teams, soccer, rugby etc. The day will be filled with fun activities and we are asking everyone to make a gold coin donation for us to send off to the Cancer Council.

Thermomix Raffle
A reminder to all families to keep selling your tickets for this wonderful prize. This will be drawn on Friday 16th September (last day of term).
Rotating Dinner
Parents and Friends will be having a Rotating Dinner to be held on Friday 30th September. Please mark this on your calendar and contact Pennie Wisneske to put your name down.

Messy Church
Underbool Term 3 after school activity event, hosted by members of Underbool churches for school students, (Preschoolers can come along with their older siblings and adult).

MESSY OLYMPICS
WHEN: Tuesday September 13th, 4.30 to 6.00pm.
WHERE: Underbool Fire Station / Cooperative Church building / Outen Park
WHAT’s On: Craft activities, Bible story, mini ‘Olympics’
A light meal and drink for all attending
Students to be accompanied by an adult*. Gold coin donation
Activities begin at the Fire Station at 4.30pm
RSVP appreciated Nita Wandel 50946226 or Rosemary Jackson 50946394 by Monday 12th September

*NB. The adult can be a parent, grandparent, aunty, uncle, willing neighbour etc., as arranged by the parent) as parents may be working or have other commitments on that day.

Due to changes made by the State Government at the end of 2015, the SRI (formerly RE) program is no longer able to be held during school hours at many schools including Underbool Primary School. Messy Church is an after school activity program being run by local church members each term for the youth of Underbool.

Homework
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Senior Room
None due to camp
Middle Room
None—all done for this term!!
Junior Room
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