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REPORT TO THE P&C: for 19th March 2025

Student News:

- 1. School Cross Country is Friday of this week with our district carnival coming up in Week 10. Students aged 5-9 years old will remain at school and our 10-16-year-old students will travel up to the golf course. Our 5-9-year-old cross country will be conducted on the oval. Thank you to Miss Ritchings and Miss Tuttle for your organization and efforts for this upcoming carnival! Parents are more than welcome to attend from 9am. We canceled Kilometre Club for this week.
- 2. Springsure Sport District trials are well underway. We have had students represent our school in netball, soccer and rugby league so far with more to come over the next couple of weeks. Best of luck to our students!
- 3. NAPLAN has finished for the year with only a few catch-up tests for those absent students to be done. Thank you staff and families for the breakfast assistance. We were very proud of how our students conducted themselves.
- 4. Regional Shield preparations (netball and RL) are well underway with both teams selected. Thank you Tiarni and Michelle. This carnival is Monday/Tuesday of Week 2, Term 3. This year the carnival is being held in Gladstone.
- Next term we start our Cattle Club circuit with the upcoming Central Highlands Show. Mrs Bridget Bailey is our school supervisor for these events this year.
- 6. Our Student Leaders attended World Day of Prayer last fortnight with Mrs Hoare. They did an exceptional job!
- 7. Year 5/6 camp plans for next term are well underway- thanks Mrs Burns for your organization. We will be accessing some RREAP funds to support these costs.
- 8. Today our Year 8-10 Japanese students are on an excursion in Emerald to engage with

Work accomplished by staff:

- 1. Our three main focus areas for our school AIP 2025 are: Staff Capability, preparation for new Australian Curriculum version 9 and preparing our students for digital innovation and futures learning.
- 2. Our school budget has now been approved for 2025- thank you Mrs Jones!
- 3. Our teachers all received feedback / observations from Dr Caroline Blackley's colleague Aarjon last week. We have been working with Caroline now for five years and she is always commending our staff for being so welcoming but most of all, so open to feedback on hour to improve their practice. Aarjon felt the same way. She was super impressed with our school culture and the work ethic of our students. Well done teachers.
- 4. Parent-Teacher Interviews are scheduled for Week 10 of this term. These appointments have gone live (via email yesterday).
- Izzy and our choir / IM students are well prepared for ANZAC Day Parade and their important role in the community ceremonies. Izzy does an amazing job preparing these students.
- 6. Unfortunately, Mrs Corr has torn ligaments in her ankle and will only be at school for part days until swelling goes down. We wish Jasmine a speedy recovery.
- 7. Thank you to our amazing staff and wider community (Glenys, Andrea, and Annie) for your generous donation of food and assistance with catering for Mr Corr's and Colleen's wakes recently. It has been a very sad time in our community saying goodbye to two long standing colleagues. Our thoughts are with the respective families.

our CHRC sister school in Japan. This is a wonderful opportunity for our students to attend.	
Work Place Health & Safety:	Up & Coming Events:
1. Our first WPHS meeting for the year occurred	
last week.	• Show gate – correspondence from Chantelle
2. Our B Block balcony will be replaced over the	Lang
Easter Vacation as it is deteriorating.	Ski Trip fundraising- ideas?
3. Due to the increase in student numbers this	
year, we are going to trial a new eating	
arrangement for the students to spread them	
out across the areas. This will start next week.	Tr. C 1: 1
Funding:	Items for discussion and approval:
Bank balance: see reports	