

# Calendar of Activities



## Cartoon Workshop (Term 3)

Three children from each class (**years 4-7**) are chosen to participate in this workshop Tuesday Sept 8. The presenter, Brian Doyle, teaches aspiring artists techniques in cartooning.



## Centenary Competition

**Held at Centenary SHS for 2 teams of years 6 & 7 students.** Categories include General Knowledge, Science, Reading, Maths and Sport. The 2 teams are selected by the teachers at each year level.



## Chess Club

**Yrs 1-7** students. Chess Club is held on Tuesday afternoons in H8 from 3:10 to 4:00pm. The 10 week season commences on March 24 and concludes June 2. Established players play in a draw against each other while beginners receive instruction in how to play. The school championships are held in a separate 10 week season commencing mid term 3.



## Children's Art Gallery

**(Yrs 1-7) - Gifted artists.** Each year in Term 2 aspiring artists are invited to submit their work for judging in the Art Competition. The winning entry is framed and housed in the Children's Art Gallery for a year and then returned to the owner. The Gallery was commenced in 2003 and now houses a large volume of children's works for display to the public. This year the top 25 students will also receive a free art lesson from a professional artist.



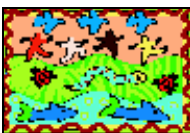
## Representative Sporting Teams

**Yr 6 & 7** students can be selected in West Akuna district teams in a number of sports (Term 1: Swimming, AFL, Rugby League, Cross Country, Hockey and Touch Football; Term 2: Netball, Soccer, Basketball, Tennis and Softball; Term 3: Athletics; Term 4: Cricket)



## Tech Crew

Children in year 6 & 7 have the opportunity to receive additional training in ICTs and AV. The program commences mid term 1. Students who complete the program assist other students and teachers by providing Technology support for events, activities and classrooms. Applications available from Mr Tvede.



## Environmental Arts Workshops

Two children from each **Year 6** class are selected for the following workshops at Pullenvale Environmental Education Centre;

- Dance Connections – May 25 & 26
- Clay Creations – Aug 26 & 27 & Sept 16
- Mask Making – October 8, 15 & 21

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## JETS

**Yrs 1-7.** Students audition for a place to perform in front of the school and an accredited judge in the categories of Dance, Drama, Instrumental Music and Vocal. The auditions and performances will be in Term 4.



## Instrumental Music Program

Strings and Concert Band - lessons are provided. Children apply for a place in the program: **Yr 3 – 7 Strings** (violin, cello, viola and double bass) **Yr 5 - 7 Concert Band** (woodwind, brass, percussion).

## Choral Program

Students from years 3 & 7 have the opportunity to apply for a place in the choral program. The school runs four choirs:

- Junior Choir – Year 3
- Intermediate Choir – Year 4
- Senior Choir – Year 5
- Senior Vocal Ensemble – Years 6 & 7



## International Competitions for Schools

These **Competitions** are available to Year 3 to 7 students. Registrations close Feb 20.

- Computer skills, May 27
- Science, June 10
- Spelling and Writing, June 23
- English, August 4
- Mathematics, August 19



## Maths Teams Challenge

2 Teams of 5 members from **Yrs 6 & 7** represent our school in the Moreton District competition (Term 2). Advanced maths skills are required, together with the ability to work well as part of a team.



## Brainways

This year we are providing the opportunity for children in years 5, 6 & 7 to participate in courses conducted by the Brainways organisation. Brainways programs include hands on activities, problem-solving opportunities, critical and creative thinking, analysis and reflection. The first program is an Architecture Course in March.