Our Aim at Kulpi State School is:
Working together to ensure that every day, in every classroom, every student is learning and achieving.

From Mrs Lever’s Desk…………

It is with a very heavy heart that I write to express publicly, through our school newsletter, condolences to the Dorries family as we all come to terms with the tragic passing of Melissa Dorries. Many of our school community – parents, staff and students – have been honoured to attend the recent events to remember Melissa and celebrate the way she contributed to our school, as well as her role as a mother and wife.

She will always hold a special place in the hearts of the Kulpi school community.

Some memories I will always treasure

 The long and happy conversations at the school gate
 The laughs we shared when doing the pub raffles together
 The fish she stocked in the pond that were never seen again, but she insisted were hiding somewhere in there
 Her determination that the Centenary would be a wonderful success for the school
 Her pride in her daughters
 Her love for her horses
 Her excitement over making a beautiful birthday cake for her daughter to share at school.
 She never missed a celebration at school

The world is truly a sadder place without her sparkle, but we are determined to continue her good work.

May you rest in peace Melissa,
Sincerely yours,
Rosita Lever
Anzac Day at Acland

On Saturday 25 April, 2015 our students participated in the Acland Anzac Day Ceremony. The children were understandably nervous with such a large audience to speak to, however I was very proud of their individual presentations and the delivery of our group poem. We are very grateful to have the opportunity to be a part of these important commemorative events.

Cross Country

On Tuesday 12 May our students will be running their annual Cross Country race.

We invite all parents, families and friends to come along to watch and cheer, at 2pm.

Please wear a hat and come along and join the run. Find us near the vegie patch to start the race!

POSITION VACANT

SCHOOL CLEANER
QUINALOW PREP-10 STATE SCHOOL

Applications are invited for a permanent part-time cleaning position, 20.5 hours per week (OO2) at Quinalow Prep-10 State School.

The position is a split shift roster over 5 days. The wage will be award rate.

An application package including role description is available from the office at Quinalow Prep-10 State School or by phoning 4692 9333.

Applications close 13 May 2015.

Australia’s Biggest Morning Tea
Host—Jane Scholefield
Thursday 28 May at 10am
112 O’Keefe’s Road, Brymaroo Ph 4692 7789

Please bring a plate to share, a small item for Multi Draw Raffle and A HAT as morning tea will

Student attendance rate for the last fortnight

96.8%

This means we are on target. Keep up the great work everyone!

Kulpi Hall Committee

Annual
3 Course Hot Dinner

Friday 8 May
6.30pm
This term our focus value is ‘Safety’ and we continue each week to teach the behaviours that will keep children safe at school.

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<th>Location</th>
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The children were excited last week to have a visit from Mr Leon Steinhardt, who brought along many samples of fossils for the children to handle. Lumps of clay were fashioned by the students into their own ‘fossils’ to take home. It was a time for lots of questions about how fossils are formed and the rocks and minerals that hide beneath the earth’s surface.

We are still collecting and counting bread tags, so please keep saving them for us. Our current tally is growing steadily!

**Cooyar Debutante Ball**

**WHERE:**
Cooyar Hall on Saturday
9 May at 7:30pm

**ADMISSION:**
$15 Adults
$5 High school students

**Entertainment:**
“Top Tunes” will be playing.
There will be a licenced bar and supper.
Cooking Program Term 2

This term we will be focusing on a different part of a dinner menu each cooking session. We will repeat this in Term 3, and then at the end of Term 3 provide a 'Kulpi Café' restaurant for our end of term celebration.

The students will plan and construct a menu, take bookings from families, set up tables and decorate the rooms, and have different roles on the night such as chefs, waiters, maître de and of course washers up!

Please find below a description of our cooking focus for each week. Check your child’s homework folder for the ingredient list of dishes they will be cooking and taste testing each fortnight.

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<td>Chicken and Corn Soup</td>
<td>Fried Rice Pork Spare Ribs</td>
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Children will always be offered the chance to taste their cooking and experience new flavours but they don’t have to eat their cooking. The learning occurs with the names of new ingredients, the use of equipment and the social experience of sharing and taking turns whilst cooking. Please send $2 each cooking day or pay for the term in advance.

Special Meeting
Kulpi State School
P&C Association
Thursday 7 May at 2.30 pm
Senior Classroom