ATTENDANCE – Every day counts
2015 Sem 1 attendance actual – 90.3%
2015 Term 3 attendance actual – 90.8%
2015 school attendance target - 94%
There has been a lot of student sickness in the last fortnight. A reminder to parents to contact the school to give absence reason details.
We aim for 0-5 day’s absence each student each semester (95% - 100% attendance).

ATTENDANCE CUP CHALLENGE
The class with the most wins over the term wins a pizza lunch and will use the kitchen to make their own personalised pizzas.
Term 3 Week 6 Class Winner: Prep - 3 🎉

LIFE EDUCATION
Today, students participated in Life Education programs, including a lesson in the Life Education Van, as well as receiving a follow-up workbook.

P-3 MODULE: ‘Harold’s Mystery Tour’ – The class joined Harold and his friends on a mystery tour where they experienced an ‘Amazing Body Adventure’. The children explored appropriate remedies when feeling sick, issues of safety and ways to cope when feeling pressured.

4-6 MODULE: ‘bcyberwise’ – The children explored ‘netiquette’; (Internet etiquette) and Cybersafety issues through role play and interactive activities. They explored how to establish positive respectful relationships and to report negative experiences to a responsible adult that they trust.
The cost for Life Education is $6 per student. This fee was included in the school levy at the beginning of the year. If you have not paid this levy, a request for the $6 will be sent home today attached to this newsletter.

RSPCA PROGRAM
A separate note is attached to this newsletter with further information and permission form for students to travel to Finch Hatton School next Monday to attend a RSPCA Program.

PREMIERS READING CHALLENGE
This is the LAST WEEK!!! Check out the champion readers framed in our library!!! Congratulations to these students for reading for enjoyment. Make sure you complete your list and hand it (or a copy) to your teacher by Friday.

CENTRAL QLD UNIVERSITY VISIT
Tomorrow our Year 5 and 6 students will be involved in some interactive activities; investigating and discovering what University life is all about. Thank you to CQU for providing this opportunity to our students.

UPCOMING CALENDAR
• 24th ARD Brendan Smith School Visit
• 24th August, Life Education Van
• 25th August, CQU Uni Session (Yr 5&6)
• 25th August, Garden Club
• 25th August, Homework Club
• 27th August, Early Years Transition Meeting (Kirsty and Judy attending)
• 31st August, RSPCA at Finch Hatton School
• NO HOMEWORK CLUB 1ST SEPTEMBER
• 3rd Sept, Teacher Aide Day
• 4th Sept, PD teachers and aides, Effective Reading Practises
• 16th September, School Photos

LIFE EDUCATION MONDAY 24TH AUGUST
Your child ________________ attended Life Education today and the cost for this is $6.00. Please pay this amount as soon as possible. If you are paying the School Levy this $6 can be sent in and it will be put towards your school levy invoice.