Week 5 of Term 3 already and so many students making good choices in the classroom and in the playground and these are reflected in our Gold and Silver awards chart that is in every classroom. Every fortnight our teachers review with individuals to identify areas to work on or areas to celebrate.

Thank you to all our volunteers who were able to help at the Mount Morgan Show on the gate. Thank you to the Mount Morgan Show Society for allowing us to be part of the community day. It was also great to see so many of our families supporting the great day of entertainment.

We would also like to thank our P & C and their continuing support with donations to our students ensuring that we continue to maximise every opportunity for all students at Bouldercombe State School. Our P&C has donated $3000 to all school camps to help support the costs involved in this opportunity for our students.

This week we all hope that we are turning the corner with the sickness that has impacted on our attendance with our target still 95%. Thank you to all the parents that are following up with teachers to help ensure that all students are supported when they do return in engaging with their learning. Please ensure that you do take up the opportunity to work with your classroom teacher to ensure your child continues to meet their goals and to celebrate with them the good progress that does not come without student, teacher and parents working together.

**Lost Property**  The lost property box is now located in front of the tuckshop. Please ensure you or your child/ren have a look through to claim your belongings. At the end of this week anything left will be thrown or donated to charity.

**3/4 Camp Fundraising**  Singstar competition will finish this week. $2 per song if you would still like to participate.

A huge thankyou to Kaye, Adrienne and Kylie for volunteering to cater for Peter Coad and the Coad Sisters Concert on Sunday. Also, thanks to Lillian, Alisha and Dianne who helped by providing some baked goods for the afternoon tea. All money raised is going direct to 3/4 camp.

**5/6/7 Camp Fundraising**  Our next fundraiser is a Free Dress Day which will be held this Wednesday 13 August. All students are welcome to participate and are reminded that closed in shoes must be worn and shirts should have sleeves and if possible collars.

If anyone has any old car/boat/quad/tractor batteries etc we would appreciate if you could drop them in to the school to help raise funds for camp while also recycling.

**P&C**  Lamington Drive orders & money are due THIS THURSDAY. Please try to seek as many orders as you can before then.

Thank you to all of the people that volunteered their time on Saturday at the Mt Morgan Show.

**Uniforms**  Uniform shop is now taking orders for next year. These uniforms will be available before the end of Term 4 for pickup. Please return attached form with payment by Friday 29th August. Also, due to a new negotiated costing price on our school polos we can now sell polos for $25.00 as of the 6th August 2014. This is a much more affordable price for families and I hope everyone is happy with the $8 saving per polo.
Tuckshop  Exciting news! Tuckshop will be providing healthy options with produce grown by students from our very own school vegie patch.

A Minute with Chappy  Remember that breakfast is the most important meal of the day, and impacts greatly on students’ outcomes at school. Breaky Club menu this week consists of a choice of 3 cereals and juice.

SU UPCOMING EVENTS - Auction Night, Friday 29th Aug, 6.30-10pm. $5 per person at Rockhampton High School Assembly Hall. Entry includes dinner.

Junior Bike Ride, Sat 6th Sept, 9am-12 noon. Students in grades 4-7. See me for registration and sponsorship forms, and more information. Some students have already expressed interest in this event, with many prizes up for grabs.

A little motivation to get you through the week: “Whenever you find yourself doubting if you can go on, just remember how far you’ve come. Remember everything you have faced, all the battles you have won, and all the fears you’ve overcome. Then raise your head high, and forge on ahead, knowing that YOU GOT THIS!”

Birthdays:  Happy Birthday to Shelby (17th) who celebrates her birthday this week.

Students of the Week:
2/3- Ashton & Caitlyn 
3/4- Maddison & Rorie 
4/5- Tom & Jorja 
6/7- Cherie & Dan

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday 11 August  Guess the Lollies in the Jar Drawn
Tuesday 12 August  Singstar Competition Final Week - $2 per song to compete
Wednesday 13 August  Free Dress Day – Gold Coin Donation, Proceeds to Project Club
Wednesday 13 August  5/6/7 Camp – 2nd Instalment Due $150
Thursday 14 August  Lamington Orders & Payment Due
Friday 15 August  Tuckshop Orders & Payment Due
Friday 15 August  Breakfast Club
Friday 15 August  Friday Sport Semi Finals – Possibly only teams in finals playing
Friday 15 August  Icy Poles for sale after school $1.00
Monday 18 August  Active After School Sport – P-7 (3.15-4.15pm)
Tuesday 19 August  Tuckshop
Thursday 21 August  Mt Morgan High Science Week – Yrs 6-7
Friday 22 August  P&C Raffles @ Royal Hotel Bouldercombe from 6.30pm
Monday 25 August  Fathers Day Stall Commencing
Monday 25 August  Active After School Sport – P-7 (3.15-4.15pm)
Friday 29 August  Uniform Orders & Payment Due
Friday 29 August  Chaplains Auction Night, 6.30pm Rton High Assembly Hall
Tuesday 2 September  P&C Meeting, 6.30pm. All Welcome
Wednesday 3 September  Japanese Art Contest – Artwork due to Shaw Sensei
Friday 5 September  P&C Raffles @ Royal Hotel Bouldercombe from 6.30pm
Saturday 6 September  Chaplains Jnr Bike Ride Challenge, 9am-12noon. Next to Tuckers Velodrome
Saturday 13 September  P&C Family Fun Day 11am-8pm