From the Principal’s Desk

A Christmas Wish
The senior students yesterday performed a beautiful gesture for a family doing it tough this Christmas. While in Toowoomba, they spent time and money buying gifts for a less fortunate family. We will add a food hamper to the array of gifts and drop this into Toowoomba before Christmas. While shopping, I remarked to the boys that we may have been over budget, to which one student replied, ‘That’s okay Mr Youngberry.’ A great response, knowing that the deed we were doing was of great significance and that money isn’t the most important thing in the world. These funds came from money raised throughout the year by the Project Club.

The year has been exciting and productive. Many great things have happened and many great things are on the horizon. My position at this school is to me a challenge; a challenge to improve everything we do so that we can produce the greatest possible outcomes for the students we teach. I’ll continue to strive for that as long as I’m here and next year will be no different, with planning already well under way. We look forward to watching the school grow and develop with your support over the next 12 months.

My wish for the Nobby families and the community is to have quality time together. All too often we lose sight of what is really important, and it is great to slow down, to take time to reflect on what is wonderful about the world we live in. I’ll be spending time with my beautiful three girls first and foremost, and seeing the rest of my family for as much time as I can spare.

Please enjoy yourselves, your friends and your family, stay safe, drive carefully and enjoy the time you have together.

Mrs Morwood

Presentation Night—‘Pirates of the Curry Bean’ Production
Tuesday’s presentation night was another example of our wonderful Nobby community spirit. Thank you to all who came along to witness so many great achievements. The play was excellent, and a great deal of planning and practice went into it. Well done again to staff, parents and students, Julie and of course Mrs Morwood for your efforts— it was well worth it!

A big thank you again to helpers on the night—Adam for the sound, Louise for taking beautiful pictures. We appreciate your continued support.

Literacy Planet
Just a reminder that our annual subscription covers the holiday break also. If your children are looking to do a bit of internet learning, log them into literacy planet for a ‘play.’ Forgotten the username and password—ask us and we can remind you.

Junior Room
All of the students’ bits and pieces, pencil cases and costumes have gone home today. Can I suggest the student pencil cases as a spare for homework (to be kept at home), next year?

Reminder—Resource scheme
Please ensure that all resource scheme forms are returned and money paid to the office before children start school on day 1 2013. Thank you!

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We had a wonderful day last Friday. The girls displayed great team work in our preparations for the High Tea. Thank you very much to all of the ‘Special People’ who came along. I would like to say a huge thank you to Kylie Ellis, Kylie Wilkins and Deena for doing our hair and make-up and Ashleigh, Rose, Michelle and Trish for their help with the preparations and clean up. Your help was truly appreciated!