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PRINCIPAL’S MESSAGE

SRC
Congratulations to our newly elected SRC members. Students from Years 3-6 voted on who they thought would be wonderful representatives for the coming school year. The SRC for 2013 are

Year 3 – Annabelle Avard & Darcy Devine
Year 4 – Tara Barwick & Edward Cropper
Year 5 – Sam Avard & Jack Swain
Year 6 – Grace Barwick & Sarah Widdis

Moving Into Year 7 in 2014
Thank you to those Year 6 parents who have already completed and returned this important document. If yours is still folding around at home, please return this as soon as possible as we are on a pretty strict timeline in preparing the transition to high school process.

Calendar
February
26th - Zone Tennis Trials
March
4th - Blandford Horse Sports
5th - Regional Swimming - Armidale

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Darcy & Annabelle
Edward & Tara
Sam & Jack
Sarah & Grace
School Assembly

Student of the Week

James Redgrove – Consistent effort in all learning areas.

K-1
Stirling Gallagher – neat tracing & writing of the number 2.

Katie Martin – great writing & neat presentation.

2/3/4
Leslie Watts – great mathematical thinking.

Amber Fowler – great reading & great expression.

Miss Fitzpatrick’s Awards

Edward Cropper – inquisitive thinking & questions during Science & Technology.

Emily Wansley – great work during Maths activities.

ZONE SWIMMING

What a fantastic day of sportsmanship and competition we had at the zone swimming carnival last Friday in Werris Creek. Our students displayed perfect manners and are to be congratulated on their performances throughout the day. Congratulations to the following students who received champions or runner-up at the zone carnival.

Junior Girl
Champion – Giulia Duddy
Runner up – Tara Barwick

Senior Girl
Champion – Grace Barwick
Runner up – Sophie Cropper

This is a fantastic effort. Well done to all the students who participated.

REGIONAL SWIMMING

Congratulations to the following students who will be representing the Quirindi zone at the regional swimming carnival in Amidate on Tuesday 5th March. Alexi Francis, Annabelle Award, Giulia Duddy, Grace Barwick, Sophie Cropper, Cooper Harris, Brooke Bailey, Beau Mulliholland, Tara Barwick, Sam Award and Zara McCarthy. We wish you all the very best success.

MATHS PLUS TEXT BOOK

This year every student from Kinder to Year 4 receives a Maths Plus text book. The cost to students is $10 per book with the school funding the remainder of the costs. Please fill out the attached form and return to the office together with payment by Friday 1st March 2013.

SWIMMING FOR SPORT

Our swimming for sport program will continue tomorrow. The cost of the program is $6.00 per student ($3.00 pool entry & $3.00 bus) or $3.00 per week if your children have a season ticket. This money is paid each week to the student. Please do not send in any money prior. Students will travel to and from school by Howards Bus. They will leave school at approx. 1pm and return at approx. 3pm. Parent helpers are always welcomed and very much appreciated. If you are able to assist please contact the office. Please complete the permission note on the back of the newsletter and return to school by Monday 11th February 2013. Please make sure your children bring their swimming towel and sunscreen.

SCHOOL ASSEMBLIES

Our school spectacular assemblies will kick off once again from Friday 1st March 2013. Our school spectacular assemblies are an opportunity for all students to showcase a particular talent, skill or interest they may have outside of school. The assemblies are held every second week and your children are informed what week is their turn both at school and in the newsletter. All students are encouraged to participate, it is not a competition but an opportunity to develop their speaking skills further and “show off” things they are interested in or involved in. Ideas could include singing, poem recital, slide show of their interest/ holiday/ hobby etc., dance or simply bringing something to speak about. If you have any concerns with regard to these assemblies please do not hesitate to contact the school.

CANTERN

Monday 25th Feb
Beverly Thornton & Shelly Devine

Wednesday 27th Feb
Kelly Barwick & Jodie Martin

Happy Birthday to Bridget Scoogin who will celebrate her special day on 29th February.

SCHOOL ASSEMBLIES

Friday 1st March
Jack Swan, Jayden Bradbery & Beau Mulliholland

HORSE SPORTS

There is only four weeks till the Willow Tree Horse Sports. If you require a nomination form please see Mrs McCarthy at school.

PSC AGM

Wednesday 6th March
6pm at school

Everyone Welcome!!

ZONE TENNIS TRIALS

Good luck to Lachlan Bryoe, Sophie Cropper, Grace Barwick & Sarah Widdis who will all be participating in the Quirindi Zone Tennis Trials on Monday 25th February in Werris Creek.