Welcome,

Curriculum Matters:

This week we have been working on our persuasive speeches for the Speaking Competition which is being held at the Hannaford Hall next Tuesday. 2 Students from Yr 5/6 and 2 students from Yr 3/4 will compete with other students within our cluster.

Staffing News:

Marion and Steve Cronje are currently on overseas leave until May, so we have Fiona Lawton filling in with cleaning duties and Ray and Shane Jamieson are driving the bus. Thank you to Jo Evans for providing us with swimming instruction this term. Next term we will have tennis lessons starting in the first week with Steve Farrell.

Extra-Curricular Activities:

At the end of this term we will visit The Gums school to celebrate Easter with an Easter egg hunt, Easter bonnet parade and Easter treat decorating. With only 10 students at Hannaford it is important for our children to interact with other students on a social as well as educational basis.

Congratulations:

It is always lovely to celebrate student success. The children did very well with their Tara show school work entries. Please see results further down the newsletter.

All students in years 5 to 6 participated in the district sports trials at Meandarra last week and every child was selected in at least one sport that they trialled for. Well done!

Visitors:

We have had the following visitors lately: Mr Murray and Mr Haken discussing the importance of ANZAC DAY, school photographer, ICPA committee meeting and members.

2016 H.S.S. Goals:

Each staff member has a personal development plan for 2016. This year our focus for staff development and skill enhancement is around READING. Staff will attend any workshops that will enhance our ability to deliver quality reading instruction.

Our annual plan for 2016 (AIP) also reflects a READING focus—we have purchased reading books for the Yr prep—2 students to engage in a speech development program and we have also purchased computer licences for each child to follow an individual reading program called Reading Eggs.

Student Goals for 2016:

As part of the H.S.S Well-Being and Learning Framework, each student has negotiated with me several key learning goals for the year. Here are a selection

Charlotte Yr 6: Language—95% or above in weekly spelling results for term 1. Maths—achieving a good result in a maths test on percent. Music—improve my piano skills with Miss Johnston.

Jack Yr 6: Language—achieve full marks in weekly spelling tests in term 2. Maths—complete 3 digit x 2 digit multiplication problems correctly—345 x 61. Geography—learn more about different places in the world.

Other School Information:

Thank you to all parents who attended a parent interview this term. 100% parent attendance for interviews shows excellent parent support and interest in their child’s learning.

Until next time,

HAPPY EASTER!

Ros Bougoure.
Craft
Jack Holt Yr 6  3rd
Charla Holt Yr 5  2nd
Alice Hubbard Prep  1st
Zoe Maher Yr 4  1st
Charlotte Dales Yr 6  1st
Addisen Skewes Yr 1  1st
Toby Maher Yr 5  1st

Handwriting
Amos Wallis Yr 5  2nd
Charlotte Dales Yr 6  1st
Toby Maher Yr 5  1st
Addisen Skewes Yr 1  1st
Alice Hubbard Prep  1st
Zoe Maher Yr 4  1st
Emily Wallis Yr 2  2nd

Japanese – Hiragana
Amos Wallis Yr 5  3rd
Charlotte Dales Yr 6  1st
Charla Holt Yr 5  High Comm

Project Page
Jack Holt Yr 6  2nd
Charlotte Dales Yr 6  1st
Charla Holt Yr 5  2nd
Toby Maher Yr 5  3rd
Amos Wallis Yr 5  1st
Jack Holt Yr 6  2nd

Art
Amos Wallis Yr 5  3rd
Charlotte Dales Yr 6 High Comm
Charla Holt Yr 5  2nd
Darcy Holt Yr 3  High Comm

Poetry
Amos Wallis Yr 5  2nd
Charla Holt Yr 5  3rd
Zoe Maher Yr 4  1st
Toby Maher Yr 5  1st
Charlotte Dales Yr 6  1st

Champion
(Most Points—Primary Section)
Charlotte Dales
All the students with their Tara Show winnings!

REMINDER
PLAYGROUP — EVERY
THURSDAY FROM
1:00PM

HAPPY EASTER!
I HOPE THE EASTER BUNNY FINDS YOU!
Celebrating Success

STUDENT OF THE WEEK - Congratulations to:

Week 4: Alice Hubbard (Prep) - a great start to her first school year

Week 5: Toby Maher (Yr 5) - excellent leadership qualities

Week 6: Addisen Skewes (Yr 1) - focused and engaged on set tasks this week

Week 7: Charlotte Dales (Yr 6) - Champion Ribbon Primary Section Schoolwork Tara Show

BOOKWORK OF THE WEEK AWARD:

Week 4: Addisen Skewes (Yr 1) test book

Week 5: Charlotte Dales (Yr 6) handwriting

Week 6: Zoe Maher (Yr 4) handwriting

Week 7: Zoe Maher (Yr 4) handwriting Tara Show
CONGRATULATIONS to the following students who got selected for the following sports.

**Charlotte Dales**: Touch, Netball, Soccer
**Jack Holt**: Rugby League, Touch, Soccer
**Charla Holt**: Netball, Soccer
**Toby Maher**: Rugby, Touch, Soccer
**Amos Wallis**: Soccer

**ANZAC DAY Information day**

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