NEWSLETTER

2015 Term Dates
Term 1  27 Jan - 02 Apr
Term 2  20 Apr - 26 Jun
Term 3  13 July - 18 Sep
Term 4  06 Oct - 11 Dec

Empowerment

Diversity

Confidence
Term 2 Week 2
18th April 2016

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<td>Parent Workshop 9.30-10.30 Library – Cancelled Cross Country – 1st Break P&amp;C Meeting 6.30pm</td>
<td>Year 6 Leaders Parade 9.15am All welcome.</td>
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<td>ANZAC DAY Public Holiday Community Parade 11:20am Assemble at Hall</td>
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**PRINCIPAL: Ann McCullough**

Dear Parents/Caregivers

ANZAC Day is one of the most significant days of celebration in Australia. It is a time we pause to remember the sacrifice of the men and women who have served in many theatres of war in the quest to fight for the freedoms of our nation.

Moore Park SS will stop and remember at a whole school ceremony on Friday 22nd April at 9.15am. The ceremony will be held at the school ANZAC Memorial Garden near the Year 6 classroom and will be led by the student leaders. All parents and community members are invited to attend the ceremony.

Moore Park SS students will also march in the Moore Park Beach ANZAC Parade and participate in the ANZAC Service on Monday 25th April. Please assemble at the Community Hall at 11.15 am for march off at 11.30 am. All students are invited to proudly march in the school uniform to demonstrate support for this important community event.

Regards,

Ms Ann McCullough

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**2016 ATTENDANCE DATA**

Our goal this year is to reach 94% attendance rate. We almost made this target last week. So close!

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Well done to Prep, Year 1 and Year 6 students for their data from last week.

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**Peanut Products at School** Please be aware that there are students at this school who are allergic to peanuts. For this reason avoid using peanut products in your child/children’s lunches if possible.
STAR STUDENT VALUE

Star student awards are an important part of Moore Park’s Positive Behaviour for Learning Program. They recognise students that exemplify the values that form our three school rules of SAFETY, RESPECT and RESPONSIBILITY.

Each fortnight one of the Values for Australian Schooling is chosen as a focus for students, based on our behaviour incidents data. Teachers discuss the behaviours associated with the value and identify a student from their class who exhibits those behaviours in class and the playground. These Star Students are awarded a certificate and Star Student pencil. These awards will be presented on parade on Tuesday at 2.30pm.

Freedom means that you enjoy, and allow others to enjoy the rights and privileges of schooling, free from unnecessary interference or control and stand up for the rights of others. This means that you are making a conscience effort both in and out of the classroom to minimise disruption for others by – doing what you are asked, working on the given task, clarifying expectations or asking questions and helping others where you can.

P & C NEWS

Our P & C Meeting will be held tomorrow night Tuesday 19th April, 6:30pm. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Mother's Day Stall - P&C Mother’s Day stall will be held soon. The P&C are asking for donations ASAP of chocolates or wrapped sweets to add to each of the gifts they already have. All donations can be dropped off at the school office.

The Mother’s Day stall will be in the tuckshop on Thursday 5th and Friday 6th May.

SPORTS

Cross Country

Our school will hold the Cross Country Run on Tuesday April 19th.

The event will be held at lunchtime. 10 Year olds will run 2 km and 11/12 year olds will need to run 3 km. Students who compete in the event should have practised regularly prior to the event.

SAUSAGE SIZZLE

There will be a sausage sizzle on every Friday for Morning Tea. The cost will be $1.50. Please give the money to your child’s teacher in the morning.

CHOIR

CHOIR PRACTICE IS EVERY WEDNESDAY MORNING AT 8:30AM

YEAR 6 NEWS

Parent interviews will be occurring soon, however, if you have any concerns or questions before this, I am only a phone call away!

YEAR 4 / 5 NEWS

We are conducting Parent/Teacher Interviews this week and next week (from the 18th to the 29th of April). This is an important opportunity for you to check on your child’s progress and ask any questions regarding their performance/behaviour. Appointments can be made by contacting Michelle in the Office.

We look forward to the opportunity to meet with you. Regards

Leanne & Elisha

WELCOME ROTARY READER VOLUNTEER – SUSIE BROAD

We would like to welcome local resident Susie Broad to our school community. Susie has trained as a Rotary Reading Volunteer and comes to the school weekly – donating her time to read with selected students. Susie has commenced working with students in the Year 4/5 classroom and is really enjoying interacting with the students. While Susie is not related to any student here at school, she decided to commence volunteering in this way as she has a love of reading and wanted to share that with children. If any other community members would like to know more about Rotary Reading or volunteering in another way at our school, please contact us—we would love to welcome you.

Karen Crook (Head of Curriculum)