Moore Park SS News

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

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Great state. Great opportunity.
Term 2  Week 3
26th April 2016

PRINCIPAL: Ann McCullough

Dear Parents/Caregivers

ANZAC DAY

Many thanks to the parents and community members who attended the school ANZAC Day Service last Friday. Congratulations to the student leaders for the moving service and to Amelia, Janneke and Kasey for their winning essays. The leaders put a lot of time into preparing for the service and practising their parts. Well done to Mr Morcom, who ensured the students were practised and prepared, Mrs Baxter who has been busying preparing the choir and ensuring they knew their hymns and National Anthems. Thank you Mr Luke for helping organise and prepare the grounds for the ceremony. The behaviour of the students throughout the service was excellent.

A huge thank you to the students and their families who attended the Moore Park Beach Community ANZAC service on Monday. The students who participated with the school were very well behaved and respectful. Congratulations once again to the school leaders, Amelia for the essay reading and the combined schools choir for their contributions to this community service. Also, well done to the dedicated people who ran the P&C sausage sizzle and of course the faithful teachers who assisted with students throughout the service.

Regards,

Ms Ann McCullough

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.

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2016 ATTENDANCE DATA

Our goal this year is to reach 94 % attendance rate.

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Well done to Prep, Year 2, Year 4 and Year 6 students for their data from last week.

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DENTAL VAN INFORMATION

By now every student should have received a medical/consent form to have a dental check-up. If you wish your child to participate and have not received a form please pick one up from either the school office or the dental van staff.

These forms are then sent into our administration office where they are processed and entered onto the computer. Please be patient, as we only have one administration officer and we are one of seven dental facilities in the Bundaberg region.

Should you have an urgent concern please contact the dental van staff on 0427 691 725 or our administration officer on 4303 8059.

The school dental van is currently located at Moore Park State School and operates Monday to Friday.

Regards, Dianne and Nadia

STAR STUDENTS

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.

Congratulations to the following students who will be receiving a Star Student award today for ‘Freedom’

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.

YEAR 4 / 5 NEWS

We are conducting Parent/Teacher Interviews this week. 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

P & C NEWS

MOTHER’S DAY STALL – The P&C Mother’s Day stall will be held on Thursday the 5th and Friday the 6th of May. Gifts will be $6 each.

The P&C are asking for donations ASAP of chocolates or wrapped sweets to add to the gifts we already have. All donations are very much appreciated and contribute greatly to our fundraising efforts. We will be wrapping the Mother’s Day gifts at 9am on Wednesday the 4th of May in the tuckshop. We would be grateful to anyone who could spare a little time to help us with the wrapping. Everyone is welcome and it would be lovely to see some new faces.

STUDENT LEADERS

Congratulations to the Student Leaders of 2016 for the professional way they ran the ANZAC ceremony last Friday. We have a proud tradition at this school and every year we honour the past diggers for the sacrifices they made over 100 years ago. Well done to the Student Leaders who once again showed just how talented the students of Moore Park School are.