FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents

Congratulations to the many parents, friends, students and staff who celebrated Book Week 2014 with us at school today! It was an amazing sight to see so many characters from our students’ favourite books come to life in our 2014 Book Character Parade. The theme for Book Week this year is ‘Connect to Reading’. Book Week celebrations have included colouring competitions, Book Prizes, Character Parade and special reading activities. Thank you also to the many parents, friends and students who purchased a book from our Book Fair.

Karen Kissell, Principal

Book Parade

Lots of fun was had today! Many interesting characters arrived for the morning parade. We had pirates and storm troopers, bush rangers and adventurers, witches and princesses and many more fantastic characters. The children did a great job of showing their imaginative costumes and the books that inspired them to a good crowd of other children and visiting parents, guardians and friends.

Thank you to all those who took the time to help the children participate.

Louise Regan, Library Teacher

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**Class 5/6 News**

This week we are continuing our study of State and Federal Government, in preparation for our major excursion to Canberra on 3rd, 4th and 5th September. The class has a mini project to complete for homework over the next two weeks, about one of Australia’s Prime Ministers.

**Dylan Thomas Portraits**

Have you ever seen an AFL PLAYER? Sweat-drenched, taking-hangers, kicking-goals, Determined.

*By Bailey Minogue*

Have you ever seen a coat? Large-pocketed, very-baggy, horrible-smells, Puffy.

*By Ryan Wandel*

Have you ever seen my goats? White-coloured, brown-headed, annoying-bleats, Pets.

*By Angela Craft*

Have you ever seen an apricot? Stone-fruit, yellowish-orange, fuzzy-skinned, yummy-tasting, Fruit.

*By Nykia Butler*

Have you ever seen a netball player? Sweat-faced, hard-thrower, fast-running, Winner.

*By Tallulah McFarland*

Have you ever seen a lizard? Scaly-body, long-tailed, sticky-tongue, Scared.

*By Mackenzee Dolan*

**K/1 Writing**

Yesterday (17th August) I went to the doctors. Tomorrow (19th August) is Book Week.

*Written by Nate Batten, Kindergarten*

After my party I had a fire. I toasted marshmallows.

*Amelia Harris, Kindergarten*

**Book Fair**

Throughout the day, many students, parents and friends took the opportunity to visit our bookseller, Mrs Wright in our ‘Book Store’ Library. A wide range of attractive and interesting books were available for sale.

**This week in 3/4:**

- We magnificently mastered mighty mind-blowing multiplications (while moaning for mercy last Monday!)
- We readily read and researched really relevant reasons for reading EVERY NIGHT!
- We finally finished finding fascinating facts about the Commonwealth Games in Glasgow!

Have a great week.

*Lorna Read, Class Teacher*

**Year 1/2** have been working on visualising tasks on our text studies in Literacy.
Home Reading Awards
Congratulations to the following students who have reached a milestone with Home Reading
75 Nights: Isabella Macartney
100 Nights: Alexis Macartney, Aria Glare
125 Nights: Nate Batten
175 Nights: Lilliee Rose Breeze

Thank you to Crystal and Shaylyn who attend workshops each Saturday with Flying Fruitfly Circus for bringing in this advertisement.

ACCEPTING 2015 ENROLMENTS FOR KINDERGARTEN

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COROWA SOUTH PUBLIC SCHOOL

Do you have a child aged 4 or 5, or know someone in our area who will be starting school in 2015? Ask them to contact the school for an interview and enrolment form.