FROM THE PRINCIPAL

On Friday, the students held their own ANZAC ceremony.

On Saturday, it was very pleasing to see most of our students attend the Warra Community ANZAC memorial ceremony. The students did an excellent job of the wreath and presented themselves well on the day, with all of them laying the wreath in front of the memorial.

Our curriculum is progressing as planned. NAPLAN testing will occur from the 12 May to the 14 May. A Timetable is included below. Our Year 3 students have been practicing the formats of the testing and are participating well with this.

As the year progresses, students will need to get more equipment, such as glue sticks, erasers, pencils and notebooks. Please ensure that your student has the equipment needed to complete their work.

Regards

Judy Angel

NAPLAN 2015 timetable

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TENNIS

Tennis continues this term for 10 weeks. Tennis lessons are on Wednesdays. Parent contribution will remain at $7.00 per lesson, with the school paying the remainder. This term the total parent cost will be $70 per student. This is optional, of course, but this is one of the few charges the school does pass onto the parents. Options are to pay in full or week by week.

CROSS COUNTRY

Our school cross country will be on Monday, 4th May (next week). Please ensure students are at school by 9.00am. It is desirable that all students compete in this to give them experience in participating in cross country events. As students are not old enough to compete in District Sport, there will be no nominations for this.

The cross country will be held in the morning, commencing at approximately 9.00am. It is expected to take (at the most) 20 minutes to run all the races.

SHOW AND SHARE

Show and share will commence again next Friday. Below is a timetable for this.
Students | Date
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Abella & Ashley | 1 May
Cody & Emma | 8 May
Harley & Jessika | 15 May
Michael & Abella | 29 May
Ashley & Cody | 5 June
Jessika & Emma | 12 June
Michael & Harley | 19 June

P&C MEETING
The next P&C meeting is 19th May at 3.30pm.

TUCKSHOP
Tuckshop is on Friday (1 May) with Mrs Poulsen. Chicken nuggets (3 for $1) and poppers $1 are on the menu.

BOOK CLUB
Book club orders are due Monday 4 May, please.

PREP ENROLMENTS
Warra State School is now taking enrolments for Prep 2016. If your child turns 5 by June 30th, 2016, they are eligible to commence Prep next year. If your child is born between 1st July 2010 and 30th June 2011, please drop into our office to collect an enrolment pack. Also, please contact the school for an interview time. Enrolment forms need to be completed and given to the school plus the interview needs to be conducted BEFORE your child can commence Prep. For the next 2 terms (Term 3 and 4), a Pre-prep program will be operating for those students who are enrolled for 2016, initially two afternoons a week, building up to two days a week. One day will be a Wednesday, with the other afternoon/day yet to be decided. More information will be in later newsletters.

SAY G’DAY TO JAY
Children’s entertainer Jay Laga’aia will be performing free family shows throughout South East Queensland to promote the importance of kindergarten. The Say g’day to Jay Kindy Concerts will visit the Gold Coast, Logan, Kingaroy, Toowoomba, Caboolture and South Bank Parklands in Brisbane from 16 to 23 May. Tickets are free but you have to secure a spot online. Visit www.qld.gov.au/kindyconcerts for details.

MAKE EVERYDAY COUNT IN 2015
Make 2015 the year when your child doesn’t miss a day of school. Research shows that students who have good patterns of attendance are more likely to achieve at school. If students aren’t at school or don’t stay the whole day, they are missing valuable lessons. Check out the Every Day Counts videos live on DETE TV. http://www.youtube.com/DETQueensland
Position Vacant

Position Vacant – Warra State School

Permanent Administration Officer - A02 Position (19 ½ hours per fortnight)

As the Administrative Officer you will:

Provide efficient and effective administrative, data entry and basic data collection/analysis tasks, keyboard and clerical support that contribute to the effective operations of the work unit.

Concurrently undertake a variety of administrative, clerical, data entry and executive support duties including reception services for the work unit.

Your role

You will have responsibility for leading the following activities and delivery of the following key tasks:

Provide effective and efficient general administrative support to work units or offices.

Provide data entry and basic level data collection/analysis, general computing, keyboard and/or administrative and clerical services.

Provide reception services including receiving telephone calls and visitors to the work unit and where necessary direct these to appropriate areas.

Sort, distribute and track correspondence and provide a follow up service where necessary.

Operate and maintain a range of office equipment.

Assist with ordering, stock control, records/file management and financial management.

Perform a variety of other administrative or support services as directed by the manager or unit team leader.

Undertake work activities in a cooperative and supportive manner as an active member of a diverse work team.

You will need:

1. A current Working with Children blue card
2. Experience and knowledge of OneSchool finance.

Please send written applications to:

The Principal
Warra SS
Robinson St
Warra Q 4411

Closing date: 8 May, 2015