Easter is upon us again and I would like to wish everyone a happy Easter and a safe hassle-free break. Students return on Tuesday, 21st April. The school Fete is on this Thursday (this will be an out of uniform day) and the P&C have a lot lined up including rides and a jumping castle for the kids, raffles, ‘cow pat’ lotto, stalls and great food. Much more to see and do and it’s all on this Thursday. The Cross Country is on tomorrow and will be held at the Ariah Park Golf Course. The SRC will be providing a sausage sizzle lunch that will take place at the show ground before the run. Students will return to school after the Easter service, which is in the Baptist Church, have morning tea and then walk to the Golf Course. It’s a very full program for the last week of term 1 and I look forward to seeing everyone at the fete. ‘Til next term. Justin Dunn

Roster
Friday 24/4/15 - T McCormack, L Fairman
Monday 27/4/15 - A Pursehouse, S Dart

The roster for Term 2 is printed in this newsletter. Please remember if you are unable to do your roster shift, please organise a swap yourself.

Cake Stall
This is just a reminder to all families, about the Cake Stall that we are having at the fete on Thursday. Could you all please become friends with your kitchen and send in some yummy goodies to support the cake stall? All
proceeds go back into making the school a great place for our kids to come each day.
P&C Executive

**RAFFLE of WOOD OR GROCERIES**
Trailer Load of Wood or Wheelbarrow of Groceries
1st Ticket Drawn Gets 1st Choice
$2 A TICKET OR 3 FOR $5

**TREASURE/2nd HAND STALL**
Donations gratefully accepted 2/4/2014
*The wedding present never used
*The bike with training wheels no longer needed
*The clothes that were bought but never worn
*The toys the kids no longer play with
Will raise money for the APCS kids
Can be dropped off at the school, call 69741144 any queries

Year 3/4 Fete Prizes
Year 3/4 are running a ball throwing competition at the fete this year. Could students from 3/4 please bring in any items they still have?
Miss Pollard

please bring items in for prizes they may still have at home?
Mrs Jenkins

**Year 1/2 – “Duck Duck Prize”**
Year 1/2 are hosting a lucky dip game, “Duck Duck Prize” which will entail a pond of numbered ducks with the numbers corresponding to your prizes. Could students from Year 1/2 please bring in prizes that fit into a jar or container they still have at home? Yes, Pesca-jars can be used as prizes!
Thank you.
Miss Daniher and Mrs Jennings

**SCHOOL DIARY**

Please note that new items are in bold

**This Week (Week 10B)**

**Tuesday, 31/3/15**
Easter Service @ Baptist Church – 9.53am
School Cross Country – 11.06am onwards
SRC BBQ Lunch

**Thursday, 2/4/15**
PSSA AFL Trials
School Fete – Out of Uniform day

**TERM 1 ENDS**

**TERM 2 (Week 1A)**

**Monday, 20/4/15**
Staff Development Day

**Tuesday, 21/4/15**
School re-commences for students
Morning Reading re-commences

**Friday, 24/4/15**
PSSA Western Riverina Netball Trials @ Griffith
Students on Time
Could parents please make every effort to get their child/ren to school on time? It is very disruptive to classes to have several children a day arriving late to class.
Thank you.
APCS Executive

TSC Student Leaders’ Forum

Last Friday, Louise Chisholm, as our School Captain, represented us at the Temora Shire Council Student Leader’s Forum. After an enjoyable lunch, students met with Mayor Rick Firman and Michael McCormack MP, where they were asked their opinion on weighty topics such as the proposed heavy vehicle bypass, Subway franchise and council amalgamations.

Students were then asked for their own opinions about issues in the Shire, where interesting and diverse suggestions were made. These included flashing lights for school zones, youth unemployment, possible Youth Club activities which might include archery and baseball, support for students accessing higher employment, more playground equipment at parks eg. a jumping pillow, toilets at Fr Hannan Oval, a smaller skate park for younger children, footpaths / pedestrian crossings esp. near schools, more surveillance cameras in public areas and bike tracks.

Mr McCormack had some advice for the young leaders which including continual education through reading books, and taking more challenging options when they are offered.
Overall, it was a valuable opportunity for student leaders in the Shire.
Mrs Drumore
Morning Reading
Due to the fete on Thursday, our morning reading for Term 1 will finish this Wednesday. We would like to thank all our volunteers for giving up their valuable time to listen to our students read.
We wish you all a happy and safe Easter and look forward to seeing you again next term.
Reading will re-commence Tuesday, 21\textsuperscript{st} April.
Primary Staff

Fish
Students in year 5/6 having been doing a lot of art based on coral reefs and marine life. For their final artwork this term they looked at images of fish and drew their own version of a deep-sea fish or an animal. They then drew lines to break up the bodies into segments and in each of those segments they drew a variety of patterns. After they traced over the lines in black markers they painted in water colours.
Here are some of the pictures.
Mrs Jenkins
2015 Southern Sports Academy - Holiday Junior Netball Camp
(Hosted by Jackie Murphy – former NSW Swifts player)
Wagga Wagga Netball Courts, Equex Centre, Kooringal Rd
7/8/9/10 Years - Tuesday 14th / Wednesday 15th April - 9am – 3:30pm
11/12/13/14 Years - Thursday 16th / Friday 17th April - 9am – 3:30pm
Cost $120.00 (includes Junior Netball Camp Gift Pack)
Forms can be collected from school front office and must be returned no later than April 10th to guarantee your position.

First Aid Course
Expressions of interest are sought for a first aid course that will run at the end of April early May. It will be run at Ariah Park at a cost of approx $170.00 possibly on a Tuesday or Wednesday evening 2 weeks in a row. Please ring / text or email if you are interested, or if you would like any more information. Rhonda Johnstone 6974 1122, mobile 0427 741122 email nodsa_rhonda@yahoo.com.au

We are still seeking volunteer host families to host international exchange students arriving in July 2015 for a period of 3, 5 or 10 months.
Hosting one of our students can be a unique and rewarding experience for a family and a wonderful opportunity to learn about another culture.
Many schools responded positively and were able to assist us, and to those we would like to say a huge ‘thank you’. Some let us know that the timing of our request didn’t suit their publication dates, or their newsletters were already full.
If you did not get the opportunity to run our insert, we would be very grateful if you would consider running it in your next newsletter if possible. And even if you have run it in the past, would you please consider placing it again if space permits? Alternatively you could pin it to your noticeboard or post it on your school website. (We understand that if you run your own exchange program this request may not be possible.) We would appreciate any feedback or a copy of your newsletter if possible.

If you can assist, please cut and paste the following ad:

LEARN ABOUT YOURSELF!
“*The real voyage of discovery consists not in seeking new landscapes, but in having new eyes*”. (Marcel Proust, 19th century novelist)
Volunteer to host an international high school student through Southern Cross Cultural Exchange and prepare to be amazed at how this unique and rewarding experience can help bring your family together, understand themselves better and see the world in a new light.
We have students aged 15-18 arriving from France, Germany, Italy, Spain and Scandinavia in July 2015 who are seeking welcoming families all over Australia, in both rural and urban communities. They will live like a local, attend a local secondary school, arrive with their own spending money and comprehensive insurance cover – all arranged by Southern Cross Cultural Exchange.
Capture the spirit of family and friendship - visit us on Facebook or at www.scce.com.au, email scceausc@scce.com.au or call us toll free on 1800 500 501 to request a booklet of international student profiles.
CANTEEN ROSTER  TERM 2 2015

Fri 24th April  Toni McCormack  Leonie Fairman
Mon 27th April  Allison Pursehouse  Sam Dart
Fri 1st May     Leah Harper  Felicity Doyle
Mon 4th May     Christina Harper  Jess Brill
Fri 8th May     Di Edis  Amanda Ford
Mon 11th May    Renae Denyer  Bec Stevens
Fri 15th May    Wendy Walker – Athletics Carnival
Mon 18th May    Melissa Bell  Alice French
Fri 22nd May    Karin Walker  Debbie Worland
Mon 25th May    Tracey Buerckner  Leah Maxwell
Fri 29th May    Rosemary Wood  Carol Heward
Mon 1st June    Glenda Prentice  Elizabeth Davey
Fri 5th June    Rachel Heath  Erin O’Hare
Mon 8th June    Public Holiday
Fri 12th June   Wendy Walker  Robyn Maguire
Mon 15th June   Renae Denyer  Cynthia Ingram
Fri 19th June   Amie Fairman  Felicity Doyle
Mon 22nd June   Monika Robinson  Clara Tolman
Fri 26th June   Rhonda Johnston  Susan Furphy

A big thank goes you to all the Ladies who volunteer their time to run our Canteen. If you are unable to do your turn it is up to you to swap or organise someone else to fill in for you. Anyone new to volunteering on the Canteen has been rostered on with an experienced person. Please contact me on 69741042 or 0427404114 if you need help with this or have any questions.

Thanks

Wendy