Term 4 Week 6
12th November, 2015

Remembrance Day

This year November 11th marked the 97th anniversary of the Armistice which ended the First World War (1914–1918). This was commemorated by a service at our school run by our school leaders and accompanied by Year 5 and 6.

Mr O’Dell took Imogen and Chloe to a service at Morisset Country Club where they represented our school and laid down a wreath. Our Captains did a wonderful job commemorating the fallen service men and women.

Spelling Star – State Finals!

We are very proud of Bradley who was successful in making it through to the Spelling Bee State finals. A lot of hard work over the years has definitely been beneficial! Congratulations Bradley!

Maths Star
A huge congratulations to Cooper who has been invited to attend a gifted and talented maths camp in 2016. Our senior students entered the Newcastle Permanent Maths Competition and Cooper earned himself a High Distinction. Congratulations Cooper, we are proud of you!

**Tennis Star**

On Saturday 14th November, Eddie will be attending the Coffs Harbour Junior tennis tour. Eddie has been practising with his private coach and group coaching sessions 2 days a week, as well as lots of practice at home with his dad. The knockout tournament is for 12 years and under and Eddie was invited to be a part of this tour which could go for three days depending on the knockout process. Best of luck Eddie!

“I feel a bit nervous about the tournament because I want to do well,” Eddie

**Fantastic 2F**

Congratulations to our wonderful 2F red indian dancer. Mrs Floyd’s class had a wonderful time learning their dance and performing it with lots of smiles and enjoyment all around.

**Kindy Transition**

Our final Kindergarten transition session for this year was held this week with lots of children excited about having their families with them for the session.
Their buddies in Year 5 joined them and helped them through a variety of fun and engaging activities.

A big thank you to Ms Hamilton and Mrs Tukua for another fabulous transition program. A lot of hard work and dedication has gone into this program and we are very proud of it.

If you have any questions around this please do not hesitate to contact us. If you know of any other students who are wishing to enrol in our school next year, please let us know.

Disco

Congratulations all of our students who were able to participate in our Rewards Day disco last week.
The evening was a success with lots of fun and games as part of the rewards too.

A big thank you to Mr and Mrs Smith for donating your time and equipment for our children. You are very much appreciated!

“My Dad” – By Bailey

My dad will be representing Australia and fighting Muay Thai in Bangkok, Thailand, at the professional World Cup games. His team flies out of Sydney on 15th March next year. He will be fighting at a weight of 71kg. He has 3 fights over 4 days fighting different countries around the world. If he wins the 3 fights, he will be competing for the world belt! I am very proud of my dad!
Welcome Mr Smith

Mr Smith is joining us from the University of Newcastle as a prac student for the next few weeks in Mr King’s class.

A warm welcome to you Mr Smith, I am positive that your experience at our wonderful school will be very rewarding!

Important Bus Travel Information –

Beginning in 2016 the School Opal Card will replace the Bus Passes currently being used.

If your child is entering Year 3 or Kindergarten next year please complete an application form at transportnsw.info/school-students. Print, sign and date the completed application, then submit it to the office at school for endorsement.

9th November to 15th November is Planet Ark’s National Recycling Week. This week is a great time to send in uniforms that no longer fit your children to be recycled by the P&C or the office. These clothes will be used in emergency situations or be available in the second hand pool at the Uniform shop. Thank you!

Family Fun Day Update –

Lions Morisset are sponsoring our FREE Jumping Castle at our Fun Afternoon this year. Lions believe in the power of ordinary Australians to create strong, caring and compassionate communities by working together. We say a big thank you to them for their sponsorship.

We are still looking for volunteers for our Family Fun Afternoon for only half an hour.
blocks. Please ask at the office or text/ring Kay on 0432 275 276.

Don’t forget about the Most Sold Seller Draw. If you would like to go into the draw please return your Raffle Ticket stubs, money and front cover to the P&C box in the school foyer by 9.30am on 13 November. The winning class will be announced at the end of lunch tomorrow. Good luck! There is one more draw to go before the Fun Afternoon.

White Elephant Stall –

We are looking for donations for the White Elephant Stall which will be held at the Family Fun Afternoon. Donations can be anything from household items, books to toys. Please bring your items into the canteen or office.

Canteen News

Don’t forget Wraps are available Tuesday only and Fruit Salads are available Thursday only.

This week we would like to say a big THANK YOU to our volunteer father’s Shane, Apelu and Steve. We are always looking for Dads, Grandpas and Uncles to help in our canteen. Please let the office know if you can volunteer your time.

Canteen Roster –

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IMPORTANT DATES

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Just Turn Up Or Phone For Info
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