Week 2 Term 2 – 20 April 2016

ANZAC DAY CEREMONY

To commemorate Anzac Day this year, our school’s ceremony will be held this **Friday the 22nd of April at 10.00am**, with special guests from the RSL attending, our Adopt-a-Cop Officer Sharon Callander, as well as Mayor Mick Curran. Parents and community members are more than welcome to attend this ceremony and the morning tea afterwards.

Chatsworth State School will also be marching in the **Gympie Anzac Parade on Monday the 25th of April**. We would like to represent our school well and have a lot more students and families than last year. We will meet students in the full school uniform in Smithfield Street (near Commonwealth Bank) before **10.30am**. Parents can collect their child/ren from Memorial Park after the march.

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC NEWS

Due to the two consecutive Monday holidays, Mrs Morrow will be at Chatsworth on Friday from 11.30am (as per timetable) to do lessons. Don’t forget your instrument! See you on Friday.

**Mrs Morrow**

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC TEACHER

MUSIC NEWS

The Chatsworth State School choir is in need of a piano accompanist. Unfortunately, our regular accompanist no longer lives in Gympie and I have been unable to find a suitable replacement. The members of the choir work hard to prepare repertoire that they look forward to performing in front of an audience. For some performances, whilst not ideal, it is possible to perform with a backing track. However, in order to compete in the Gympie Eisteddfod, we must have an accompanist as the rules do not allow the use of backing tracks. The Chatsworth SS choir has been competing in the eisteddfod since 2012 and it is an important part of the choir’s development. If you know of anyone in the community who plays the piano and may be able to accompany the choir, please contact the school or email me directly at **dmead12@eq.edu.au**
CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- 22/4/16 – Anzac Day Service – 10.00am
- 25/4/16 – Anzac Day
- 2/5/16 – May Day Holiday
- 10-11-12/5/16 – NAPLAN TESTING
- 13/5/16 – Gympie Show Holiday
- 20/5/16 – School Photos
- 23/5/16 – Under 8’s Week
- 14 & 15/6/16 – Sports Days

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

PREPB: Matilda B – For always putting 100% effort into all that you do. It’s always a pleasure to see your smiling face Tilly!

Elyzabel L - For confidently being able to identify your SSP speech sounds and for the caring attitude you have towards everybody. Great work Bella!

PREP1/M: Arthur B – For making great choices this week in the classroom.

Samuele J – For wonderful Reading this week.

All Prep1/M Students – For wonderful trying at the Cross Country.

Year 1R: James R – For a fabulous start to your new class and School.

Year 2M: Harlen – For fantastic work in Maths and an enthusiastic attitude to SSP.

Year 4/6H: Riley H – For getting 100% on your Geography Test.

Hosea C - For getting 100% on your Geography Test.

Year 6C: Izaac B – For much improved effort and focus in class, especially in Maths.

CROSS COUNTRY

Congratulations to all the students who participated with enthusiasm in the One Mile Cross Country last week. Also a big thank you to the staff at One Mile who helped the day run smoothly. In 4 years this is by far the most students to qualify (those students who placed in the top 5 and made the qualifying time) for District Cross Country on Tuesday May 03, week 4.

Permission/Medical forms should be returned ASAP.

TRAINING

We are still training before school at 8.10am on Monday, Tuesday and Friday. For children in the team who wish to run the District course at One Mile Soccer ovals I will be taking children at 3:15-4pm from in front of the cricket clubhouse this coming Friday 22/04 and next 29/04. Parents please register your child’s name by calling or visiting the office. Only those student’s whose name has been registered will be allowed to come over the road for this training.

YEAR 6 NEWS

Year 6C need cardboard boxes and ice-cream containers for their Art projects this term. The lighter cardboard boxes, such as cereal boxes, would be perfect. If you are able to donate these, please send them to the Year 6C class. Thank you so much.

MOSQUITO BORNE DISEASES - RESOURCES

In light of the recent events and media coverage regarding Zika virus the Queensland Government has a range of information and resources about mosquito borne diseases, these include:

- Advice about how to avoid being bitten
- How to recognise the symptoms of mosquito borne diseases and what to do if you think you are infected
- How to remove potential mosquito breeding sites
- Prevention on when travelling

Visit the Queensland Government Mosquito borne disease prevent_on webpage for further information.

LIBRARY NEWS

Scholastic Book Club - Third issue for 2016... Hand your orders to the school office by Tuesday 26th April, 2016.

Redgum Book Club - Issue 2 for 2016....Fliers were sent home yesterday. All orders due in at the office by 23rd May, 2016.

The Library has a book available for Grade 6 Boys only, so you’re a Teenager Vital Facts for Boys

By Dr James Wright

Peer pressure, healthy lifestyles, self-acceptance, social relationships and more.

These books can only be borrowed with a parental written request.

The Library has three books available for Grade 6 Girls only, Teen Girl by Dr Jill Genobaga with tips for Health, Relationships and Beauty. And Dying to be Beautiful by Jennifer Schwirzer - Help, hope and healing for eating disorders. So You’re a Teenager Vital facts for Girls - by Dr James Wright

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Lesley O’Hern – Teacher/Librarian

MESSAGE FROM THE OFFICE

Statements have been sent home today with the students. If you have any queries, please contact the office.
SIGNATURE BEARS FOR SALE