Message from the Principal

ANZAC Day March
At the ANZAC Day march last Saturday, Dubbo North was well represented with over 40 students and 7 teachers in attendance. All students marched with pride and listened attentively at the service, which was well organised and very moving. A special thank you to Emily Goedee and Bailey Ross who laid the wreath at the base of the Cenotaph on behalf of our school. It’s great when our school community is allowed the opportunity to come together on special occasions.

School Behaviour
It was very nice to discuss playground and classroom behaviour referrals at our PBL meeting yesterday, as there has been a major improvement with this. The number of negative behaviours is down and students are making a real effort to be Responsible, Safe and Respectful.

School Photos
These arrived at school last Friday and were distributed to students by Mrs Anderson yesterday. They are accompanied by a red notice which allows you to go online, view and then purchase further photos if you wish. Also, if you didn’t order any photos you will still receive this notice, so it’s not too late to order your 2015 school photos.

Parent Meetings
If you have any concerns about your child at school, either academically or behaviourally, please contact the classroom teacher in the first instance. Whilst I’m fully aware of major incidents that occur within our school, minor classroom and playground incidents are dealt with by playground and classroom teachers, and should be your first port of call if you are seeking clarification. If you are still not satisfied after this, then by all means contact the Assistant Principal for that stage who will then include me in the conversation, and hopefully resolve the issue for you.

PSSA Sport
All primary students are involved in PSSA sport this term unless their behaviour at school dictates otherwise. All the primary teachers are away at sport and there are no classes in operation at school, so even if your child wishes not to participate in sport, they will still be required to go to a PSSA sport and support, score or carry the drinks – all part of a team effort.

Have a great week.
Toby Morgan Principal

SCHOOL CONTRIBUTION
Student $40.00
Family $80.00
(2 or more children)

LOOK!
Don’t forget to download the new Active School Phone App
What A Great Idea!!
It’s an easy way to send in late notes, request a meeting with a teacher, change your details and see what’s available at the school canteen
Why wait download it NOW
Supa Breakfast
Breakfast has started again on Tuesday mornings, in the Planning Room, from 8.30am to 9am. Have breakfast & share some “good news” stories.

News From the Library

Library Monitor of the Week
As the Library Monitors do a such fantastic job helping to keep the Library running smoothly, it is only fitting that their great work be acknowledged. So at each K-6 Assembly an award for Library Monitor of the Week will be presented. The recipient will receive a certificate and their choice of a book or stationery prize. Keep an eye out in the Newsletter to discover the winners.

PRC
DON’T FORGET books that are read during daily 5 and read-to-self can be recorded for the PRC so you can keep your recording cards at school. Remember, fill in your card with the book title & author and return to the library for a reward after every 5 books. The maximum number of books read from one series is 5. Extra recording sheets are available from Mrs. O’Reilly.
I hope to see a lot more cards in the near future.

Book Club Catalogues
Book Club Catalogues go home this week and orders are to be returned to school by Friday 4th May, 2015. Scholastic have streamlined the process so that each child receives 1 catalogue for their age and parents can place orders securely online using LOOP on the scholastic website.
This term’s catalogues have some great specials for less than $5 including: “Twinkle” by Nick Bland $2 “Wombat Stew” by Mem Fox $5 “Kids Baking” $4.50 “Captain Underpants” $4
LOOK OUT for the books with PRC!

Wear Western Wednesday
Tomorrow 29th April. Wear Red & Green to show pride in the Western SSA. This is not an out-of-uniform day, so if you don’t wear the colours you wear your school uniform.

Mothers Day Stall
Thursday 7th May
Please bring in a gift to the value of 50c to $3, give it to the class teacher to have your name marked off, to have first choice at the stall.
Mothers Day Raffle
Prizes include Doona Cover, Ladies Necklace watch, Pamper Pack & Massage Voucher.
Tickets are $1-00 each & are going home with this newsletter. Please return your tickets & money by 6th May

P&C Uniform Shop
Open Thursdays 3pm to 4pm
Hats are back to $11 this Term

CANTEEN Meal Deal
Thursday 30th April
2 minute Noodle Bowl + Popper $5.50

Responsible  Safe  Respectful
Lest We Forget
100 Years on, our school remembers the ANZAC Diggers of the Gallipoli campaign.
Thankyou to the SRC & Mrs Acton for a very moving ceremony.

Dubbo ANZAC Day March - Thankyou to all the students & teachers who represented our school at the March last Saturday. Emily Goedee & Bailey Ross laid the wreath on behalf of our school community. Students were very well behaved throughout the very moving ceremony.

Library Monitors Destiny Wilson, Marshir Towers, Nick Pickering, Neysa Sebelic-Lodding & Jordy Morrow (absent) (Photo below left)

Well done Term 1 Class Captains - (Photo left)

ANZAC Soldiers by Blue Class

Western Divisional Netball

On Thursday 23rd April our netball team participated in the Western Divisional Day in Dubbo. They played Cudgegong Valley in the first game, Dubbo Public in the second & Narromine in the third game. We won the third game by 3 goals.

The girls had a great day & displayed excellent sportsmanship. 😊