Welcome to Week 1

Welcome back to Term 2. We hope everyone has had a lovely break and is refreshed for the 9 week term which will see Semester One student reports being compiled and sent home at the end of the term.

While I will be relieving for Mrs Jackson this week with Mr Papoulis taking 6KS, we welcome Mrs Longley back for the first half of the term on 5/6JG and Mrs Dixon, who will continue to relieve on 3/4RJ. Congratulations to Miss Ward who has returned after her April wedding as Mrs Apathy.

A very important note has been sent home with every child in the school with an envelope containing a copy of information on the DEC file. It is essential that you look at the information and make any necessary changes on the sheet. Complete Parent 1 (and if able) Parent 2 information then return the form back to the school office by the end of week 2. This information is essential and a form MUST be returned for every student as it informs and determines the loading and impacts on the funds our school will receive for educational programs to support students.

Year 5 Opportunity Class of 2015
Applications for 2015 Year 5 OC placement are now open on line at: www.schools.nsw.edu.au/ocplacement or a paper copy can be obtained from the school office NOW. Applications close Friday 16 May and NO late applications can be accepted. The Opportunity Class Placement Test will be held on Wednesday 23 July 2014.

Active After-School Communities Years 3-6
Notes are going home today for this term's activities. Only 30 places are available for each day so get your notes back to the school ASAP.

ANZAC March Friday 25 April
Thank you to the 15 students who took time out of their holidays to accompany Mrs Johnson, Mrs Dodds and myself representing our school at the Queanbeyan ANZAC day March last Friday. Your behaviour was impeccable and involvement respectfully and responsibly appreciated.

Annual School Report
A copy of The 2013 Annual School Report is available from the front office for families to obtain. The report sums up QSPS events of the 2013 year and is a good keepsake with a lot of successes highlighted and pictures included.

Karen Soltan
Relieving Principal

CANTEEN CLOSED
MONDAYS
Please be aware that the Canteen will NOT be opening on Mondays for Term 2.

P&C Committee

Diary Dates

Term 2

Week 2

Wednesday 7 May
District Cross Country

Friday 9 May
Performing Arts Excursion
LIBRARY NEWS

Welcome back I hope that you all enjoyed the holidays and you were able to find some time to read some good books.

The shortlists of book for the Children’s Book Awards came on April 8. We are lucky enough to have many of these books already in the Library. Keep a lookout for a display of the notable too. These are books that were entered into the competition but did not make the final shortlist. See if you agree with the judges choice. Looking forward to seeing everyone this week and hearing about what you are reading.

"Reading takes us away from home, but more important, it finds homes for us everywhere."
~ Hazel Rochman

Sandy Swift ~Teacher Librarian

P&C AGM

Tuesday 6 May
7pm
Community Room at QSPS
(near the bike shed - entry via Anne St gates)

The following positions will be available:
• President
• Vice President
• Treasurer
• Secretary

We hope to see new parents come along to our meeting.

If the positions are not filled then we will not be able to have a P&C this year.

ANZAC Day 2014