Three very busy weeks of this term have already passed and the long weekends were very enjoyable.

**ANZAC DAY**

Congratulations to the students for their contribution to the ANZAC day commemorations. The poppies and wreaths were made in class as a part of the discussion about ANZAC, what it means and the significance of the ceremony to us today.

**P & C**

A meeting was held to discuss catering for the NRL visitors lunch. The catering for the Stonehenge Rodeo was also raised. There was also a discussion regarding the sports days. The dates have now been changed and more information is in this newsletter. There will be another meeting near the end of the term.

**NRL Players Preston Campbell and Clinton Toopi Community Tour**

On Friday 29th April the NRL players Preston Campbell and Clinton Toopi visited school for the middle session. Stonehenge State school joined us for the session. Preston and Clinton talked with the children sharing their stories and then played ‘flags’ with the students before having a game of touch football. The healthy lunch and afternoon tea catered by P&C was enjoyed by all. Clinton did comment on the lovely healthy food and how good it was to see the children eating so well.

**Book Fair**

Book fair will open on the Tuesday 3rd May and will only be open until the end of the next week. Students filled in their wish list and took them home last week. Thank you to Miss Gillian for running book fair.

**Windorah Sports Camp**

The Windorah Sports Camp will be held the week starting Monday 11th July (Week 1, Term 3) and forms are attached so numbers and arrangements can be made before the end of this term.

**Sir Wally Ray Sports Day**

Sir Wally Ray will be held on Friday 10th June 2016. Forms are attached so arrangements can be made.

**LSODE Sports Days**

The LSODE sports days are on Thursday 16th and Friday 17th June in Longreach. Forms are attached so arrangements can be made.

**Reading**

Congratulations to Jacob, Bridie and Lillie who have achieved their 25 nights reading and are now working towards their 50 nights of reading.

**Staff**

Linnea Olsson will be taking a leave of absence and will be back as soon as possible. Genalyn Sotto will be working four mornings a week Tuesday to Friday from 9.00am to 1.00pm in the meantime.

**ARD**

Brendan Smith Visit

Brendan Smith, the Assistant Regional Director for this area will be visiting the school on Wednesday 18th May 2016. He will observe some teaching, confer with the students and consult with the staff.

**Covenant Players**

The Outback Patrol Covenant Players will be at the school on Tuesday 17th May at 2.00 pm.

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**Our thoughts go to Windorah State School, family and friends of Rhonda Gorringe.**

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Healthy Eating
Congratulations to Jundah State School students for leading the way with healthy eating. All the students enjoyed the healthy lunch of meat and salad wraps, meat and salad sandwiches and the beautiful fruit platters on Friday.

Written by Tom Clark

English

The Otter and the Fish

There was one happy fish and as he was eating he saw something flash in the water. An otter was chasing him and a shark joined the chase. The otter and the fish bumped into each other. They were in trouble. The shark was getting angry and they swam into a little hole. Then they saw lots of colourful fish and they were playful. They swam out of the cave and carried on. They became good friends. The otter wished he was cold blooded and the fish wished he was warm blooded.

Written by Tom Clark

Writing

Written during 7 Steps To Successful Writing in five minutes.
The wind was howling and the storm was starting to come over. The dead leaves were blowing off the trees from every direction. It was crazy. Everyone was in their house safe from the wild gusting wind outside. The dust was hitting the back of peoples’ legs if they were out in it. I’m glad I wasn’t because it does hurt.

Emily Dicinoski Years 6

ANZAC DAY

Jundah State School gathered at the school at 10.45 am on Monday 25th March in full school uniform and marched to the park.

In class the story “Here They Come - A Day To Remember” has been read and discussion about ANZAC and its meaning continues. There is also a display in the library of books about ANZAC.

Written by Heidi Batemen

Mr Twit makes a BIG mistake.

We all know that Mr and Mrs Twit are grouchy people; well Mr Twit is going to play a trick on Mrs Twit.

Mr Twit always thinks of mean tricks to play on Mrs Twit. This trick will be the meanest Mr Twit has ever done. He is going to glue Mrs Twit’s walking stick to the floor. While Mrs Twit is cooking dinner Mr Twit starts the action. Mr Twit goes into their bedroom with a bucket of super sticky glue (made of: a tube of Mrs Twit’s special shampoo along with super glue and toenail clippings with a pinch of pepper, water, sheep brains, donkey pebbles and 800 giant cockroaches all mashed up) and paintbrush (the handle made of: Mrs Twits best dress, rotten wood from 90 000 years ago, a rotten rats tail wrapped around it and the bristles made of fish scales and echidna spikes). He grabs Mrs Twit’s walking stick and glues it to the floor. They ate dinner and went to bed. When they woke up Mrs Twit grabbed her walking stick. She couldn’t get it off the old cement floor. “Mr Twit!!!!” screamed Mrs Twit.

“Mr Twit yell back.

“What stick? Mrs Twit exclaims her face turns into a raging bull.

“What stick?” Mr Twit said putting his shoe on.

“You know what stick I’m talking about!!!!!!” she screams. She snaps the stick in half and hits Mr Twit as hard as she can. Mrs Twit has been hitting Mr Twit for so long Mr Twit’s eyes fell out and he turns into a purple old shrivelled up carrot. Mr Twit is now no longer Mr Twit, his new name is Mr Purple Carrot. Also Mrs Twit’s new name is Mrs Mean.

Written by Lillie Barr-Richards

Forms

Forms have been sent home in an envelope. Could all forms be filled in and returned to school as soon as possible, thank you.

Written by Sr. Mary