Dear Families,

Welcome back to term 3 which is looking like another term full of exciting learning and experiences for our students. This term we will have whole school events such as Book Week, Science Day, and Crows Visit. From week 4 we will also be involved in the NAPLAN online trial. We welcome John Matisons as PE teacher (Tuesday, Thursday and Friday mornings) and Laurie our new groundsman (Monday, Wednesday and Friday). We also welcome new families and students to our school.

School Values
This term our students will have a focus on unpacking our school values of Teamwork, Excellence, Accountability, Confidence, Honesty and Respect. They will discuss what each of these will look like in the classroom, school yard and wider community. They will determine what common language we will use when describing the school values and class assembly awards will start to be based around these values. We believe that having a common focus and language will enable our students to live the values and be successful.

Building Learning Power
Classes will continue working on the Learning Power Disposition of Resilience and be introduced to Resourcefulness. Whilst Resilience focuses on the emotional aspects of learning and feelings, Resourcefulness focusses on the cognitive aspects of learning and thinking. The learning capacities of Resourcefulness are questioning, making links, imagining, reasoning and capitalising.

Fundraising
Bogun Bingo was a great success and we thank our parents for supporting this event. A HUGE thankyou must go out to Kelly Webb and Kelly Wegener for their outstanding organisation in making this such a successful fundraiser with $4,879.45 profit being made.

Father’s Day Stall is our next fundraiser for this year. If you are able to help with the stall please let the front office staff know or Ms S (in A2) who is our staff rep for Fundraising.

Facilities
Our Anzac Memorial Garden has been completed with the final installation of a picnic bench alongside the area. We are currently having our DECD Facilities Manager look at the guttering and roofing at the Preschool, Northern and Southern Units. Whilst he is here we will look at ideas to develop the grounds in preschool where we yearly have large areas become mud pits. Due to the successes with fundraising we will see the installation of PVC blinds at one end of the verandah at Preschool to make this space more usable during the winter months.

Professional Learning
Many of our staff were involved in Jolly Phonics training on Monday night and we will continue with further training in week 4. As a school we plan on implementing Jolly Phonics across the Early Years and have a phonics approach across all year levels. This enables students to develop reading, spelling and writing skills. We also staff participating in Jo Boaler, from the Stanford University, Mathematics Training, online Digital Technologies Training and Running Records training.

Are you a Scientist? Do you know a Scientist? On Thursday 1 September we will be inviting a number of scientists to work with our students. If you know of any scientists who would be interested in being involved on this day please let me know.

Warm Regards,
Melissa
Melissa Evans
Principal
Premier’s Reading Challenge
Congratulations to the following students who have completed the Premier’s Reading Challenge:

Jackson (A1), Edith (A2), Max (A4), Sabrina (A5), Ryan, Mikayla, Matthew (A7), Hayden (A8), Noah, Kaitlyn (A9)

Reminder: The Premiers Reading Challenge finishes on the 9th September so there are only 5 weeks to go to complete the challenge!

Class Success Awards
Term 1 Week 11 and Term 3 Week 1

Congratulations to the following students:
Ashlee (A1), Lyla (A2), Archie (A3), Hayden (A4), Sabrina (A5), Destiny (A6), Hayley (A7), Dom (A8), Wyatt (A9), Tihana (A10)

BOOK WEEK 2016
22nd – 28th August

Book Week is celebrated each year in August. This annual event highlights the importance of reading, drawing on the joy of stories and creativity of Australian Books. Book Week is about encouraging students to read; to learn about and enjoy new books; to share favourite writers and illustrators; to re-read old, favourite books; and to make time to just read!
The Children’s Book Council of Australia creates a short-list of outstanding Australian books earlier in the year and the winners are announced at the start of Book Week. Each year there is a different theme, this year’s being:

‘AUSTRALIA: STORY COUNTRY’

Students will be involved in a variety of learning activities which focus on both the theme and short-listed books. We will also be having a local author, Phil Cummings, coming to the school to run reading/writing sessions with all classes.

Dress-up Parade

We will be having a BOOK WEEK DRESS-UP PARADE in the school hall on Tuesday 23rd August at 9:00am. Students (and staff) are encouraged to dress-up as a character from a book they enjoy or something to do with the theme ‘Australia: Story Country’. Eg. Australian animal, bush ranger, convict, early settler, swaggie, Bindi Irwin, gumnut baby etc. Please don’t go to great expense for costumes though!

Parents, family and friends are all welcome to our special parade. Hope to see you there!

Di Tulip
(Teacher-librarian)
NAPLAN Online – Getting ready for 2017

The Australian Government is committed to delivering NAPLAN online from 2017, with all schools across the nation transitioning over a 2 to 3 year period.

This change will provide each child with a more personalised learning experience and a better assessment. It also means that the results will be returned to you and your child’s teachers within a few weeks, rather than several months.

Our school will be participating in a trial of the new online system in August 2016. This trial is not a ‘test’ of content; it is a test of how the new online system will work in a real-life classroom environment. You may hear this trial referred to as the NAPLAN Online Readiness Trial.

As part of the trial, students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9 will undertake 2 online readiness tests. Each test will take approximately 45 minutes to complete.

It is important that we participate in this trial before the system is officially in use in 2017 to enable familiarisation with the system in a classroom setting. Participation will allow us to confirm that every school is ready and that our teachers are confident that their students will be able to participate fully. This trial will help our site to be well prepared to complete NAPLAN online in 2017 and provide feedback into final changes at a statewide level.

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Community News

For more information please contact the front office or view our Notice Board located in the Northern Unit

TEA TREE GULLY NETBALL CLUB - Weekly training session for girls aged 5 – 8. Start date: Wednesday 21st September - Wednesday 7th December. Venue: 88 Elizabeth Street, Banksia Park Time: 4:40PM – 5:20PM, Cost: $70.00 for program this includes a complimentary Training Top. Government sports vouchers can be used

Registration Night: 17th August 5:30 – 7:30 at 88 Elizabeth Street, Banksia Park. For further information please contact Helen - 0407 212 174

English and Mathematics Tutoring - English and Mathematics Tutoring available if your child needs help with English or Mathematics then you’ve found the right person to ask for help! Sessions are fun for the kids and affordable for you! One session costs $10 and is 45 minutes long. To book contact Anna via e-mail at anna@junius.info

Heritage on Sunday - ALL LOCKED UP! Sunday 21st August, 2016 1-4 PM

This entertaining afternoon is full of drama, as we open the recently relocated 1920’s police cell. The SA Police Historical Society members will come prepared to apprehend our VIP prisoner. Opening festivities commence at 1.30pm, do not miss out. Music by the SAPOL Brass Quintet Sausage Sizzle and Devonshire tea available

Also, visit 13 rooms in the Museum, 4 pavilions and working blacksmith. Surrounded in a beautiful garden setting take time to wander and explore. Gift Shop is a delight with unique craft. Entry: Adult $5, Conc $4, Children Free

Tea Tree Gully Heritage Museum, 3 Perseverance Road, Tea Tree Gully 5091, www.ttgmuseum.on.net This event is supported by the Tea Tree Gully Lions Club

KIDS TAEKWONDO - Greenwith Community Centre, Tuesdays Kids 6:30 pm Regular 7 – 8 pm and Golden Grove Primary School Thursdays Kids 6:30 pm Regular 7:30 – 8:30 pm Tel: 0412 909 500 or 0411 265 023 (Inst Michael McVeity)

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