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Term 1- Week 4 2014

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What a busy few weeks it has been!

Firstly I would like to congratulate Lilly and Kelsey for their representation at the Small Schools Swimming carnival on the 7th of February. They were both wonderful ambassadors for our school and I was proud to accompany them on the day! Good Luck at Zone on Friday, Lilly!

Class Meetings

It was wonderful to see so many parents who attended our class information sessions last week. I hope you all came away from these meetings with a clearer understanding of your child's education at Stratford Public School. Please remember that if you have any further questions or concerns please feel free to contact the office and make an appointment to see either Mrs Sansom or myself.

P&C Meeting

Again it was great to see so many parents at this meeting. Many issues were discussed and new ideas put forward. I look forward to seeing you all again at the next meeting.

Drink Bottles

Please remember to pack your child a drink bottle with fresh water, especially on Tuesdays and Thursdays when we have AASC.

Homework/Home Reading

Well done! We have had a fantastic return rate over the past two weeks. Please continue to encourage and assist your child with their homework and home reading.

Stratford Schools Centenary Celebrations.

Yes.... This is the year we will be celebrating our 100th birthday! We are planning to hold some form of celebration in October, details are yet to be finalised. However, if you are aware of anyone in the community who would like to contribute ideas and/or memorabilia and memories please encourage them to contact the school as soon as possible. Their input would be most valuable.

Professional Learning

I am off for a couple of days this week attending a Bucketts Way Community of Schools Meeting at Booral on Thursday and a Primary Principals conference on Friday.

It is important that I attend these meetings as they provide valuable connections to schools in the local area and information into how better to effectively operate the school.

I hope you all have a wonderful fortnight! Until next time....!

Have a great Weekend
Mrs Hughes

AASC Squash with Belinda



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Assembly Awards

Week 3

Infants: Brady for an excellent start to his learning in 2014. Well done, outstanding job!

Primary: Tiera for a spectacular and continued effort with her reading. Keep up the good work!

Citizenship:

Kelsey for an outstanding effort at last weeks Combined Swimming Carnival. Kelsey 'had a go' at every race that she possibly could and demonstrated great sportsmanship, earned points for participating and demonstrated pride in her school as well as being a great ambassador for Stratford School. Top job!

Lilly

A special mention goes to Lilly, our Age Champion for 2014. Lilly is a regular attendee at Swimming Club and has gradually improved her style, strokes and personal best times over the years and she has finally achieved age champion for our school. Lilly demonstrated great sportsmanship and competed with fairness and kindness. Dani and Andy were extremely proud of her achievements as were we all at school. Well deserved Lilly! **We are sending Lilly all of our best wishes as she competes at the Zone Swimming Carnival today. Best of luck!!!**

Thank you

A big thank you to all families for the speedy return of our AASC Permission Notes for Term 1, and apologies for the lateness of them going home. I will send a further note home nearer to the end of the program for permission to travel on the bus for the last 2 weeks of Squash at the courts in Gloucester.

Thank you to the families who have already organised their 'white soled shoes' for these 2 weeks, there is no need to panic your children will need them for weeks 9 and 10 so you have a little time to source some.



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