Welcome
Welcome to Term 2. I hope all our students and families had a relaxing and enjoyable Easter break. It was wonderful to see everyone back and ready for learning.

Congratulations to the students who received an award this week for their efforts last term. Consistent effort, golden words and reading awards were all part of this week’s celebration of student achievement.

Cross Country
The District Cross Country Carnival will be held on Friday 2 May from 9am for students selected. The event takes place at Col Bennet Park Algester and parents are required to transport students to and from the event. Staff will be at the ground to coordinate and supervise students. Parents are welcome to attend and cheer on our cross country athletes.

Uniforms
As the weather begins to cool it is timely to remind all families that a school jumper is part of the school uniform. The Uniform Shop stocks a range of new and second hand school jumpers, jackets and tracksuits at very reasonable prices. Your sons and daughters look great in their school uniforms and they wear it with pride. Please continue to support this during the colder months with appropriate jumpers and jackets.

ANZAC Student Ceremony
On Wednesday 23 April, I had the pleasure taking a group of students into the city to participate in the Student ANZAC Memorial Ceremony in ANZAC Square.

Our students not only represented our school with pride and exemplary behaviour, they also helped make up a contingent of over 3000 students from all over South East Queensland, who came together to acknowledge the sacrifice of thousands of men and women who participated in a variety of conflicts over the past hundred years.

ANZAC Commemoration Ceremony 2014
On Thursday 24 April at 10:30am, Runcorn State School held its ANZAC Day Commemorative Ceremony. Thank you to all our invited guests, past and present members of the armed forces and families.

This was an extremely moving and professionally presented ceremony, conducted by the students. Thank you to student leaders, Senior J, band and choirs for their outstanding performances. Thank you to the coordinators Mrs Mechielsen, Mrs Jarvis and Mrs Howes. Thanks to Mr Millar for conducting the band, playing trumpet and supporting the band with additional musicians.

ANZAC Day Service Sunnybank
On Friday 25 April, Mrs Schooth will be leading a group of Runcorn State School students in the ANZAC March at Sunnybank. Students are to meet Mrs Schooth at 7.45am at the corner of Station and Turton Streets. They will then March to the Sunnybank RSL on Lister Street. The event should conclude by 9.30am.

Students attending are required to wear their school uniform, as they will march under the Runcorn State School banner.

P&C Meeting
A reminder that the next P&C will be held on Monday 5 May at 9.00am in the P&C room. All school community members are invited to attend.

Regards

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