



FORSAYTH SS NEWSLETTER

Term 1—Week 6

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PRINCIPAL'S DESK



Well...it's week 6 already and what a start to the year.

We have been very busy setting up routines in the classroom with Miss Dempsey looking after the four preps and Mrs Pommer and Miss McDowall teaching the Year 2-6 cohort. All students have settled in well and are working hard in class. Have a look at the preps in the photos section—they started reading on day one and haven't looked back!!!! Well done to them.

Swimming is going really well with the students all participating and enjoying the sessions. These sessions form our HPE key learning area for Term 1.

Our **P&C AGM** will be held on Tuesday 10th March. This AGM will then be followed by a general meeting. Everyone is welcome. Do you want to take on a position???

I was away at the **2015 Principals' Conference** in Brisbane recently and it was very refreshing to be acknowledged as school leaders for the hard work that we do. There was a lot of information shared during the two days and we got to network with some of our other small school principals in the Far North Region. We are working on keeping in touch with each other to improve and learn how we can better run our schools to maximise the learning and minimise the office work.

The **Croydon Eisteddfod** is fast approaching and the students are frantically practising. Miss McDowall and I have been taking the sessions while Claire has been away, however I think Miss McDowall has more grace and finesse than I do. We will be going to Croydon on Friday 27th March at lunchtime and will return late in the evening to Forsyth. Permission slips will be sent out later.

Chappy Joe has arranged for Forsyth State School to travel to Georgetown to see G-Force on 1st April. We will spend the day at Georgetown State School and participate in some workshops and view a performance.

We finish the term on 2nd April with **Good Friday** falling on the 3rd April.

Until next time,

Regards

Carol

Well Women's Clinics

Service includes Pap Smears, Sexual Health Screening, Breast Awareness, also info on Contraception, Continence, Menopause, Lifestyle Issues, Domestic Violence, etc. All services are provided by a specially trained Women's Health Nurse.

Georgetown Community Hospital—Tuesday 10th March
Ph: 4062 1266

Croydon Hospital- Wednesday 11th March
Ph: 4745 6133

Forsyth Primary Health Care Centre Thursday 12th March
Ph: 4062 5372

Birthdays

7th March—Carol (I did try to keep this a secret but somehow word did get out!!)

15th April—Tyan

19th April—April

Calender

10th March

P&C AGM

25th March

Croydon Swimming Carnival

26th—27th March

Croydon Touch Football Carnival

27th March

Croydon Eisteddfod

1st April

G-Force visit to Georgetown

2nd April

Last day of term 1

25th April—ANZAC Day

6am—Dawn Service

9am—March