Hi Everyone,

Bookfair was successful – thankyou for your support. Proceeds from the sales enabled us to buy nearly $300 worth of books. What a huge boost to our library. 🙌

Lynette Keir had a win for our school this week too. The above photo is showing off the seeds that she won from Mr Frothergills. Lots of potential there! Since so many of our teachers are currently using plants as the basis of science or technology, a good number have already been distributed.

This week has also seen the completion of a many little projects. Thanks to Stan Grinter (community volunteer) for completing the 75th anniversary wall by installing the plaque. Stan also put up the hat racks outside the resource centre. Thanks to Steven for fixing our BBQ wheels, and Mrs Micalel’s Mum – Pearl Paton for recovering the small foam matresses. Many helping hands are getting the school through its maintance backlog.

Important dates:
9 June – Queen’s Birthday Holiday
13 June – Cookie Dough pickup
16 & 17 June – Broadsound Athletics Carnival
19 June – Show Holiday. School resumes next day.
23 – 24 June – CQR open curriculum - Principal
23 – 26 June – Parent/teacher interviews / ILG discussions
27 June – Reward Day
27 June – Report Cards sent home.

We are a very privileged class this year. We have been fortunate to secure a regular time with our visiting Speech Pathologist - Miss Carmen. Miss Carmen visited us once a week in term one and is visiting fortnightly this term.

Each session, Miss Carmen reads us a children’s picture book, while she discusses our concept for the week. Next, we break into small rotational groups and practise our new skills. Last term we focused on metalinguistic concepts (sound lengths) and where they appear in a word.

This term we are focusing on language concepts: syllables, rhyming words and how many words are used in a sentence. The speech rotations are greatly benefitting our children with improvements viewed in speaking, listening, reading and writing.
**From the Sport’s Desk …**

**Broadsound Athletics Carnival**
This term students have been learning about athletic events in Physical Education. To celebrate what they have learnt and test out their skills, students will be competing at the Broadsound Athletics Carnival on Monday 16th June and Tuesday 17th June. This is carnival combines Carmilla, Koumala and Swayneville Schools who form the Broadsound sports cluster. It is an event that allows us to enjoy each other’s collective company and engage in some healthy competition. It also serves as selection trials for our 10 – 13 year olds who will be competing for a spot on the Broadsound team to compete at the Sarina District Carnival on Friday 18th July. Monday 16th June is set aside field event selection trials for u/9 to u/13 year olds who will be competing for selection in the following events: 200m, 800m, high jump, long jump, shot put and discus. Please note that all u/9 – u/13 students will be attending on this day to contest events and cheer on house mates. A bus has been organised to take students from Swayneville to the Athletics Club on the Monday only and return them to school. Tuesday 17th June is a whole school carnival filled with race and novelty events. Please be aware that students will need to find their own way to the Sarina and District Athletics Club on these days. If you are having trouble arranging transport please let the school know so transport arrangements can be made.

**Footy Stars**

**AFL - Jon Tromba** played in an AFL team (made up of several students from local small schools) on Monday afternoon at Harrup Park Country Club. It is exciting to share that Jon and his team won their heats. He is one of just 3 players chosen to join the St Anne’s AFL team in a competition that could lead to him enjoying a 4 day long, all expenses paid trip to Brisbane where he would also be playing at the Metricon Stadium before the main game between the Gold Coast Suns and Brisbane Lions. Go Jon!

**NRL - Braydon Dunbar** plays with the u/12 Sarina State Schoolboys rugby league team. This team is heading for the finals! They need to win this week’s game to secure a position in the semi-finals. We wish the team all the best for the finals series – Go Braydon!

**ANQ Development Officer visits Swayneville**
Last Wednesday. Dayne O’Hara from Athletics North Queensland, visited our school to conduct a Kids Athletics session with our 4 – 7 students. Dayne is a former Australian sprinter who shared his expertise with students and ran them through their paces. He was impressed with the enthusiasm Swayneville students showed and the excellent behaviour. We hope students will put this knowledge to good use at our up and coming Broadsound athletics carnival on the 16th & 17th June.
Our Learning Objectives:  1. Reading and writing must make sense!     2. Student know what they know, and know what they need
to know next!

Grandparents raising
Grandchildren

You are invited to an Open Forum
  ➤ George Street Neighbourhood Centre
  ➤ Wednesday 11 June 2014
  ➤ 10am – 12noon

Come along and,
  ○ Have a cuppa
  ○ Share the issues that affect your daily life
  ○ Share your concerns
  ○ Connect with others
  ➤ RSVP by Friday 6 June to
    Deb - 0423 749 552
    Kellie - 0434 035 124

Awards

Yr 6/7.
Trent Pucci - completing tasks independently.
Jade Tomlinson - always following the 4B rules.

Yr 4/5.
Jacob Cousins - great attitude to learning.
Cheyenne Palmer - displaying great work habits.

Yr 2/3.
Tayah Spencer - positive attitude to learning.
Jacaranda Rowe-Bailey - good work ethics in all work areas.

Yr 1/2.
Lachlan Alway - enthusiasm in maths.
Reed Beveridge - always keen and smiling.

Prep.
Frankie Cameron - being responsible and being a leader.
Koden Crawford - being a good friend and rescuing classmates
plans from the floor, before they were binned.
50 Bee Stamps.
Lucy Hamblin, Katie Davy, Hannah Alway.
Bee Stamps.
Donohue - 172, Jackson - 219.
Queen Bee.
Prep.