Hello Everyone,

As you can see from our leading article today, a significant event has taken place within our school – the arrival of our junior laptops, which are called XOs. The school has purchased, with subsidy from One Laptop Per Child Australia, enough for our early phase children (with a few left over to share across the school). A bonus result will be the increase of computers into the middle and upper grades as displaced machines are redistributed.

This has not come without a hidden cost. I would like to publically acknowledge the huge undertaking of our staff – teachers, teacher aides and even our Chappie who have personally set aside – outside their ‘normal’ working hours - the so called 15 hours of required PD that had to be undertaken prior to their delivery. Training has in fact taken closer to 50 hours, and special thanks must be given to Julie Arnold, Beth Richards and Jacki Lamont for their brilliant leadership of our team. Dedication like this cannot be purchased. Thankyou Swayneville Team for this amazing opportunity for our children.

We would love to have the opportunity to show these machines to you! In fact, we have heaps of things that we can share – especially a handshake 😊. Please take the time out to come to our Meet and Greet BBQ on Thursday evening. The P&C will have the sausages ready to go around 5:30pm, and the teachers will be available to go over classroom routines and answer questions. All very low key and at no cost. Just bring a plate of fruit to share if you wish. The plan is not to have a long night – we hope to have it all wrapped up by 7:00 because we need your kids in bed! (Heaven knows that it will be us that will be dealing with tired kids, if we do.)

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Plastic water bottles
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Swayneville State School were recipients of the Reef Guardians “Ripples of Change” grant. $500 has been won to put towards putting dripper systems into the school gardens.

School Dental Van

A Medical History/Consent form has been issued to your child and must be fully completed and signed by a parent/legal guardian and returned by the due date:

14 March, 2014

The Child Dental Benefit Scheme commenced on 1st January 2014. To determine if your child is eligible for this scheme we require the child’s Medicare Number, Reference No and Exp Date. If your child requires treatment and you wish to have the treatment completed by the School Dental Service, please complete and sign the medical history and consent as well as the Medicare information form.

If your child suffers from a dental emergency whilst we are not treating your school please contact us to arrange an appointment.

Please be advised, once you have 2 broken or failed to attend appointments, during any course of treatment no further appointments will be offered. You will be put back on the Waiting List.

Swayneville P & C AGM
Monday 10 March at 3:15pm
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Tuckshop Roster

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Awards!

Yr 6/7.
Ryan Dennis - improvement in positive attitude.
Kia Walker - improvement in handwriting.

Yr 4/5.
Jacob Cousins - improvement in homework and handwriting.
Zach Tomlinson - improvement in homework, handwriting and working hard.

Yr 2/3.
Reagan Bella - for his positive attitude towards learning.
Katie-May Jones - improvement in spelling.
Amen Mooney - being a responsible and respectful class member.

Yr 1/2.
Charlie Carey - fantastic "have a go" attitude.
Lachlan Alway - excellent story writing.
Rori Matthews - great participation in discussions.

Prep.
Evandah Skien - working well in all areas.
Ella Wright-Cole - always being a great friend.
Jack Maxwell - top effort during group rotations.

Bee Stamps.
Donohue - 116, Jackson - 118.
Queen Bee.
1/2

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