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Great state. Great opportunity.
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Principal’s Report

Hi Everyone,

It seems this week that all of our students have settled well into their classes for this year. Next Monday we will have a new permanent teacher on our staff, teaching our children in the 1/2/3 class. Her name is Mrs. Bernadette Rodgers. Bernadette will be at school tomorrow and Friday to allow for her to be inducted to our staff and to get herself planned and ready for teaching this great class. I would like to thank Mrs. Preuss for her help in working with me to ensure this group of students are working hard on learning activities in the lead up to beginning their year long journey with their new class teacher. I also thank parents for their understanding of the departmental process involved in staffing procedures and for their support of their children during this time.

Next week all of our students will begin swimming lessons at Fairymead Swimming Pool. On Monday the Year’s 4-6 students will head off and on Thursday it will be the Prep – Yr 3 students’ turn. Everyone is looking forward to swimming, so please do ensure that you have returned the permission slip for your child(ren) by this Friday. Payment for swimming can be made via the office to Mrs. Morton. Payments over time can also be arranged if discussed with Mrs. Morton.

We hope to have Mrs. Kimber back with us as of next Monday 13th February. I would like to thank Emma Haack who has taught Mrs. Kimber’s class for the past two weeks for all her effort and hard work. We congratulate Emma on taking up a long term teaching contract as of next week, at Gin Gin High.

Hoping your week is a great one.

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STUDENT OF THE WEEK

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BIRTHDAYS

February
7  Casey H.
9  Byron G.
9  Dash R.

Happy Birthday!

CHESS

This Thursday Chess will commence in Mrs. Hodgson’s 456 classroom from 7:50am – 8:40am. We welcome past and new Chess
players to come along and be tutored by Mr.
Alan Menham from the Bundaberg Chess Club.
Mrs. Hodgson will also be opening her
classroom each Monday in first break for Chess
play.
The first Tournament for interschool Chess will
be held at Avoca State School on Tuesday 21st
February. Mrs. Hodgson is our Chess co-
ordinator so she will oversee which children will
attend. Parent help with transport of children on
this day will also be required. Please see Mrs.
Hodgson to discuss.

STUDENT BANKING
If you wish to open a “Dollamite” account for
your child/ren we have Stacy from CBA coming
in on Thursday, 16th February at 8.30am to open
accounts.

WHAT YOU WILL NEED:
Your CBA log-in details (if you already bank
with CBA), your drivers licence and birth
certificate for the child (that will make the
process a lot smoother)
WHEN: Thursday the 16th at 8:30am
WHERE: Staffroom

Also only the legal parent or guardian can open
the account on the child’s behalf, so this means
unfortunately no grandparents or aunty/uncles
etc. (unless they have proof they are now the
legal guardian).

If you do not hold a birth certificate for your
child, that’s ok, you can still open the account
however there will be a stopped placed on the
account, meaning you can still bank money in,
but will need to provide us with the certificate if
you wish to withdraw the funds.

Information may be collected from the office.

Hello Parents, Caregivers and
Students,
At the school Leader’s Meeting with
Mrs Cantrell it was agreed to have an
Arts Club. There will be dancing,
drama, painting or drawing. It will be
held each Thursday at first break. Next
Thursday, we will start with drawing.
We will be teaching students how to
create and decorate hand art. We hope
our fellow students come along and
enjoy these activities.
HAVE FUN!
Sincerely*
Kacey and Paige
2017 GSS Arts Captains
ABSENCES: TEXT TO 0472 845 451
LATE ARRIVALS: REPORT IMMEDIATELY TO THE OFFICE.

2016 Funrun Finale!
These advertisers support us, please support them.