State Swimming Team

We are very proud of our Relay Team who came first at the hunter Region Carnival, qualifying them to compete now at State level. Also, to Riley for his individual achievements, coming 1st in Backstroke and 3rd in Freestyle, also qualifying him for State. They will be competing in Sydney at Homebush on Thursday 26th March. We wish them all the best on the day!

Left to Right: Keegan, Jack, Riley & Andrea

Nobby’s Beach Day

Last Wednesday, students in Years 2-6 travelled to Nobby’s Beach for their Surf Life Saving Program. The students had a great day and displayed excellent behaviour. A big thank you to Mrs O’Hallaron and Mrs Walandouw for their assistance on the day.

Debating Team

On Tuesday, eight of our Year 5 students attended a Debating Workshop. They were willing to step out of their comfort zone and we were really proud of their behaviour on the day. We are looking forward to their continued efforts throughout the year.

Left to Right: Jack S, Andrea, Grace, Keegan, Claire, Breia, Jayde and Libby.

Cricket Team

Our school team played on Wednesday at Booth Park, Kurri Kurri. We played Pelaw Main PS. It was a very close result, with Pelaw Main winning, 87 runs to 82. Jack S scored 43 runs, not out. He also bowled 4 wickets. All students played fairly, and showed wonderful sportsmanship and team spirit. A photo of the team will appear in next week’s newsletter.

SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY

Our School Cross Country will be held on Wednesday 25th March for Yrs K-6, at Mulbring Oval. We will leave the school at 9.45am to walk down for a 10am start.

Parent helpers are needed. Please see Mrs Walandouw, if you are able to assist on the day.
CONGRATULATIONS - WEEK 6 AWARD WINNERS

K/1/2:
Talis - “Great technology skills” – Year K,
Ruby- ”Clever Story Writing” – Year 1.

3/4:
Mia-“ Outstanding effort to produce beautiful bookwork and homework” - Year 3.

5/6:
Breia-“Being a pleasure to teach and as our school motto suggests – Always trying her best” - Year 5,
Scarlett - “Trying hard to complete her class work with pride ” - Year 5.

Miss Lennard’s Library Award went to Libby—Year 5— for “Excellent presentation of work in Library lessons !”.

P&C NEWS
We have two raffles coming up soon, our election raffle and also the Easter raffle. Please be sure to get your donations into the office. We really need more helpers for the Election Day. We still need people between 2pm-6pm. If you could help out, it would be greatly appreciated. Please find attached to the memo, some Easter Raffle Tickets. Anyone wanting extra booklets, there are some available at the front office.

Just a reminder, too, we are still needing a Secretary for the P&C Committee., If you are interested in this position, please contact Karen Sellars or Miss Lennard.

LIBRARY NEWS - YEARS 3-6
Cessnock City Library is sponsoring an Author Event which will be free to our students in Years 3-6. The Author is Deborah Abela and she will be visiting our school on Tuesday 17th March from 2.30-3.30pm. Deborah is known for her books such as New City, Max Remy Super Spy, and Jasper Zammit (Soccer Legend). Some titles will be available for purchase with cash on the day but stocks will be limited.