Happy St Patrick’s Day to everyone! I hope that a little green leprechaun sprinkled a bit of gold-dust over your house today and made a wish come true.

I am very excited about meeting many of our grandparents tomorrow as they carry on the tradition of visiting classes and popping in for a cuppa and cake at morning tea.

Congratulations to all of our students who received a Level 5 Award. It is very pleasing to see so many of our students working hard in class and staying above the line. Keep it up!

Lessons in the Library are going well but I would like to see a few more students bringing in their library bags so that they can borrow one or two books to take home.

Reminder: Next Term begins on Monday 28th April we will be having a Pupil Free Day Wednesday 30th April for Teacher Professional Development.

Have a great week...

Kerry-Sue Pascoe
Principal

“Grandchildren are the dots that connect the lines from generation to generation”. ~Lois Wyse

P & C Easter Hamper

Raffle tickets have been sent home. If you would like more to sell, call into the office and pick them up. We are calling for donations of either Easter Eggs or goods to put in the hamper. Thank you.

KINDERGARTEN PERMISSION FORMS

Railway Town will once again be participating in the Allied Health in Outback Schools Program throughout 2014. This program is a partnership between the University Department of Rural Health (UDRH), University of Sydney, Far West Local Health District (FWLHD) and local schools. The aim of the program is to make it easier for families in Broken Hill and the Far West to access allied health services for their children. The Allied Health in Outback Schools program will involve Occupational Therapy and Speech Pathology students.

If you have not already done so, please return the permission notes to the office.

GRANDPARENTS DAY

Railway Town will be holding Grandparents Day tomorrow, 18th March. Beginning at 10:30am grandparents are invited to students classrooms and this will be followed by a morning tea. Please come along and take part.

Term 2 Start Dates

Next Term will begin on Monday 28th April for all students. We will be having a Pupil Free Day Wednesday 30th April for Teacher Professional Development course.

Year 6 Going Into Year 7 Forms

Year 6 students have received their Year 6 Going into Year 7 Forms. They need to have them filled out and returned no later than 21st March 2014. Thank you.
Caught Being Good Awards

KR – Tiffany Light, Nerida Taylor
1/2C – Frankie Walliss, Abbashay-Star Pinnuck
3/4M – Tan Bamrungphakdee, Elkie Philp
3/4S – Duang Bamrungphakdee, Kaleb Novello
5/6G – Kaleb Philp, Erin Johansson
5/6R – Danica Fernandez, Tamara Thomas
MM – Morgan Langdon
Library – Ebony Jewittt
Principal – Tyreke Probert

“Getting organised”
KR – Abby Gillespie
1/2C – Makenzie Hannan
3/4M – Kiarra Bloomfield
3/4S – Maddison Fenton
5/6G – Kiarra Cole
5/6R – Suni Forner
MM – Ryan Bugmy

Very Good

Mathletics Awards

Silver
Matilda Garrard
Jonty Campbell

25 Nights
Addison Bongetti
Taylah Brewer
Chloe Craker
Kyia Dumbleton
Macie Trembath
Nathaniel Bloomfield
Rhys Pitt
Emily Dyson
Ella King
Cooper Summers
Makenzie Hannan
Talan Pitt
Maddie O’Neill
Janica Lohmann
Rehaan Uddin
Kennith Lohmann
Chloe King
Savannah Trembath
Chloe Burke
Jayden Craker
Elkie Philp
Cooper Wielozynski
Oliver Campbell
Amali Elston
Arliah Pearce
Angus DeFranceschi
Jessica Langdon
Lucas Summers

Assembly
Caught Being Good Awards will have a targeted focus each week. This week it will be awarded for “Tune In” Assembly will be at 12:30pm each Friday. This week’s Assembly will be conducted by Miss Stechiwskyj and 3/4S.

P & C News
Thank you to those who attended the P & C AGM last Wednesday evening. Congratulations to the following people who took positions for 2014.
President – Bob Dyson
Vice President –
Secretary – Adele Huxtable
Treasurer – Allan Pearce
Level 5 Awards

KR
Nathaniel Bloomfield
Addison Bongetti
Taylah Brewer
Chloe Craker
Kyia Dumbleton
Emily Dyson
Abby Gillespie
Jezaabella Ortega-Minear
Lily Pascoe
Rhys Pitt
Henry Siemer
Nerida Taylor
Macie Trembath

MM
Lucas Summers
Cameron O’Reilly
Ryan Bugmy
Ryan King

1/2C
Noah Daniele
Aria Ferguson
Ella King
Cooper Summers
Harry Wilmore
Cameron Dunne
Makenzie Hannan
Janica Lohmann
Chakylah McEvoy
Lilli Philp
Abbashay Pinnuck
Talan Pitt

1/2V
Kynan McConnell
Stephanie Nicoli
Rehaan Uddin
Eadie Dening
Shayle Huxtable
Kayla Jones-Robinson
Kennith Lohmann
Crystal Nichols
Phoebe Philp
Zheon Rix

3/4M
Kiara Bloomfield
Jayden Craker
Matilda Garrard
Chloe King
Jake McConnell
Seth Wilson
Jonty Campbell
Rosell Edwards
Elkie Philp
Paige Stewart
Savannah Trembath
Savannah White
Cooper Wielozynski

3/4S
Justin Cochrane-Adolfson
Mia Dyson
Barbara Johnson
Ethan Poldrugo
Kiara Williams
Amali Elston
Caprice Nott

5/6G
Kacie-Lea Dodd
Tara Gray
Nataya Hayllar
Erik Johansson
Kaleb Philp
Tahlia Bannerman
Kiara Cole
Angus DeFranceschi
Hugh Dening
Ethan Halseth
Pyper Mashford
Dray Pascoe
Savanna Probert
Madelyn Wheatley
Jordan Whitelaw
Hayley Wilson

5/6R
Jordan Bloomfield
Jessica Langdon
Jason Stewart
Porshia Dragut
Michelle Galea
Brie-Ann Groves
Shelby Kennedy
Sophie Kennedy
Byron McGeorge
Shannara Murphy-Eyre
Kagen Pearce
Tyrke Probert
Kyeesha Sullivan
Tamara Thomas
Aboriginal Survival Technology Show
Railway Town will be hosting an Aboriginal Survival Technology Show on Monday 24th March, cost is $5.00. Students from Year 1-6 will be attending. It is a visual and tactile experience of traditional technologies used by indigenous people across varied environments of Australia.

Centenary 2014
Plans are forging ahead for our Centenary celebrations. If you have any old pictures or know of somebody with them please bring in to the office. We will scan the pictures and hand them back.

Paver Order Form
Attached to the newsletter is the order form for the paver if you or you know somebody who would like to order one please fill out and return with the money to the office. Please check out the pavers at the front of the school near the office to see what they look like.

Year 5/6 Canberra Excursion
The excursion to Canberra this year will include students from Menindee. Like Railway Town they have a small year 5/6 and so are unable to afford to fund an excursion to Canberra. We have invited 10 students and one teacher to come along. The cost of the excursion is $335.00. Year 5/6 are currently selling chocolates to help raise money for their excursion. If you would like to help us sell a box (put it at your work) please come into the office and we can provide you with one. Also just an idea ……..How about when you give out Easter gifts to people this year you buy a box of our chocolates. This means you help somebody and more importantly you can save money.

PLEASE RETURN CHOCOLATE MONEY IF YOU HAVE ANY AT HOME. Thank you
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Railway Town Public School

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Offer closes on Friday 23rd May 2014

Please photocopy and pass on to business associates and friends.
Railway Town Public School needs your support!