**Editorial**

It is true what they say: “Time flies when you’re having fun”. This term seems to have come to an end very quickly and it certainly has been a lot of fun! I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of the staff, students, family members and P&C for being supportive and making me feel very welcome. Railway Town certainly is the ‘Best in the West’. Unfortunately I will not be able to join in with the end of term celebrations as I have to take leave from Wednesday to Friday for family reasons. I will however, leave the school in the very capable hands of our Assistant Principal, Ruby Church, and the rest of the amazing staff.

I would like to wish all of our families safe and happy holidays over the two week break and look forward to seeing everyone, refreshed, energised and ready to get back into more fun and learning in Term 2

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

*Kerry-Sue Pascoe  
Principal*

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**LAST CHANCE P & C Easter Hamper**

Raffle tickets need to be returned immediately sold or unsold. We are calling for donations of either Easter Eggs or goods to put in the hamper. Thank you.

**Important**

**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 teachers to attend a Professional Development course.***

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**Class of the Week BBQ**

The Class of the Week winners will be having a sausage sizzle on Thursday 10th April. Students from KR, 1/2C, 1/2V, 3/4M, 3/4S, 5/6R and MM will be eligible for this reward.

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**Year 6 Going into High School in 2015**

Forms for enrolment next year into high school went home some time ago. There are still a few students who need to return them. PLEASE RETURN ASAP
There will be no Assembly this week. Assembly will begin Friday Week 2 Term 2 at 12:30pm.

**Mathletics Awards**

**Gold**
- Tyreke Probert
- Jayden Craker

**Silver**
- Jayden Craker

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**Public Notices**

Sacraments for Catholic Children will soon be celebrated at the Cathedral. If any families are interested, please call the Cathedral on 80873198. Confirmation will be in Term 2, First Reconciliation in Term 3 and First Holy Communion in Term 4.
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
We have the tickets for our IPad Raffle which will be used to help fund the excursion. Tickets went home last Friday. Parents will also be contacted to sell tickets on a Friday evening with staff. 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

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.

Level 5 Awards

Congratulations to the following students

1/2C  MM
Malarkai Taylor  Morgan Langdon

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