To the Parents and Community of Harlin State School,

Welcome back to Term 2 - A very busy week to begin our term. Firstly thank you to everyone who attended our ANZAC parade this week. During this short week, our students did a fantastic effort and it is always pleasing to commend the juniors on their attentive abilities. It was also a pleasure to have Mr Doug Cook return to our school to give the students a very insightful and thought provoking talk on what ANZAC means to him. Mr Cook is a representative of the Toogoolawah RSL Sub Branch and always welcome to speak at our school. Thank you to staff and parents who supplied a very delicious morning tea.

Good luck to all of our students at Tanduringie Cross Country today we will post results next week.

Please remember to support our Mothers Day Stall to be held on Friday 9th May as mentioned in P&C news.

We have NAPLAN coming up in Week 4 on 13th, 14th and 15th of May – this involves our students in Years 3, 5 and 7. Our students will be accessing Explicit teaching of strategies involving Numeracy, Writing and Reading and Comprehension. At this time Kerry and myself are working busily to prepare our students to the best of their ability.

will be conducting the NAB AFL Auskick program at Harlin State School again this year. The program will be starting on Wednesday 7th May and continuing each Wednesday until the 25th June between 1:20-1:50pm. The NAB AFL Auskick program provides boys and girls with a fun and safe Australian Football experience that serves as an introduction to a lifetime of involvement in the game. The program is not just about introducing children to AFL - it activates and develops within each child the desire for a healthy lifestyle and an association with a great game.

Thank you to the P&C who have agreed to subsidize some of the cost of the Auskick program which means it will now only cost $5.00 per student. Each student will receive a football as part of the program.

Please complete the attached form and return with the money by Thursday 1st May.

I am looking forward to another positive term and thank all of our staff, students and parents for their continued support.

Kay Rye
Principal

AS WE WENT TO PRINT WE RECEIVED THE NEWS & PHOTO OF THE 1ST, 2ND, 3RD & 4TH PLACINGS IN THE GIRLS (BORN 2008 EVENT) AT TANDURINGIE CROSS COUNTRY WELL DONE TO ISABELLA, ABAGALE, KATELYN AND ROSE FROM HARLIN SS!
FANTASTIC NEWS: Late last year the P&C applied to the Gambling Benefit Fund for money to start our project of putting a roof over the tennis court. A roof will enable our kids to play in wet or very hot weather, and also provide an area for parades. We are pleased to announce that this application was successful! The next step is to apply for the Smart Schools Subsidy Scheme and develop some building plans. It is a big project and we plan to complete it in stages, as funds become available. Thank you to everyone who has helped get this project off the ground.

YABBIE RACES: A big thank you to those families who were able to help with our BBQ at the Yabby Races and also to those who came along and bought a burger. The night was very successful.

MOTHERS' DAY STALL 9th MAY: There will be a Mothers' Day Gift Stall held at school on Friday 9th May at second break. Students will be able to purchase gifts for Mum, Grandma, etc. All gifts are $5. Enquiries to Trish Ashton.

AUSKICK: Last year our students participated in the AFL Auskick program. It was very well received and the kids had a great time. For this year the P&C have agreed to subsidize the cost of the Auskick program so that it only costs parents $5 per child.

RAILWAY MARKETS TOOGOOLAWAH 10th MAY: We will be running the sausage sizzle at the Railway Markets on Saturday 10th May. We are looking for helpers on that morning. If you have an hour or two to spare, we'd really appreciate the help. Set up will start about 6am and the markets run from 7am till noon. If you can help with the cooking or to set up, please contact Helen Golinski on 54235085.

CAKE STALL 16th MAY: A cake stall is planned for Friday 16th May, outside the IGA in Toogoolawah. This is a cattle sale day, so we are expecting a lot of people to be in town. We are asking for donations of baking, preserves, etc to sell. Jody Robinson is coordinating the donations and may be contacted on 54247161. Please read the information attached to this newsletter and have a think about what you may be able to make.

MEETING DATES THIS TERM: 30th April, 28th May, 18th June

Not everyone can get to the meetings, so if you would like a copy of the minutes emailed to you, please email Ngaio at ndeer3@eq.edu.au.

STUDENTS LAYING A WREATH AT OUR ANZAC CEREMONY HELD ON THE 23RD APRIL.
Community Notices

Toogoolawah PICTURES
Sat., 26th April
‘Mr Peabody & Sherman’ pg
Doors: 7.00 pm Movie: 7.30 – 9.20 pm

Sat., 3rd May
‘Noah’ m
Child to High School: $6
Adult: $8    Family: $25
Snack Bar. Hot Dogs & Pop Corn
Alexandra Hall, T’wah
Enquiries: Phone/Text: 0438149954
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