Term 2 Week 6

Principal’s Report… By Cheryl Stevenson

Term 2 is always a busy time of year and this one is no exception. Read on to see what we have been up to and what we have coming up soon.

‘If you want something done, ask a busy person to do it. The more things you do, the more you can do’ Lucille Ball

I wonder if the same is true for busy schools?

You Can Do It Persistence

In the senior class we have been talking about obstacles that may stop us from starting or completing tasks. We identified the obstacles that stop us doing our homework and identified strategies to help us. I think many of you would know what obstacles we identified.

“You Can Do It” Award

– Ash

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**Student Reports…**

**Pet Visit**

Bonnie’s colour is chocolate. She is a cocker spaniel. Bonnie is a responsible dog and can be safe around other dogs. If you approach an angry dog you stop, hands down, be quiet as a mouse and look down. Roslyn told us how to take care of dogs and how they can be safe with us. Roslyn also said how to pat a dog. First you walk up and stay three steps away from the dog. You ask the owner “May I pat your dog please?” If the owner says yes you let the dog smell the back of your hand, move to the side and pat the dog quietly. Roslyn has five dogs. We like it when we got to pat Bonnie. It was fun.

By Lavinia and Paula

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**P & C News…**

**P & C Meeting:** Tuesday 10th June @ 3:30pm. All finished by 4:30pm.

**Pie Drive** for the holidays. What great timing. Cold days snuggled up and pies for lunch. Details today!! Take it to work and show the family and friends. Orders and payment due back to school by Wednesday 18th June. Thanks.

**Community Notices…**

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**Sunday 8th June 2014**

10am - 2pm [Event Details]

**Family Fun Day**

Supporting SIDS Kids Red Nose Day

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**Lollipops:**

Playland & Café

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**Freaky Family Fun!**

**Hunter Connect:**

Autism Spectrum Support

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