Dear Parents & Friends,

It has been a busy week since our last newsletter. Class teachers are preparing for Getting to Know You Interviews with parents towards the end of the month. Notes have recently gone home. We hope you are able to make the time to share information with your child’s 2015 class teacher.

As you can see below, there is a production of The Mad Hatters Tea Party coming up. Tickets are available online at www.chrisbarrettfoundation.org to benefit youth mental health.

Congratulations to our student leadership team. Selection of the school captains has been finalised and presentations of badges will happen in the near future at a special assembly. To see our student leadership team, flip over to page 2.

Until next time,

Brian McFall
Principal

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**Coming Events**

**Term 1 2015**

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To benefit youth mental health

**Every Day Counts**

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Meet our School Captains for 2015

Bethany & Sam

Meet our House Captains for 2015

ASHLEIGH
Loralie & Molang

BEACH
Morgandy & Keanu

FRAWLEY
Codie-Anne & Tamaroa

MENA
Bethany & Sam
**Student of the Week**  
**Monday 16th February**

P/1M—George G.—For fantastic letter work and sound recognition.

P/1S—Kaela F.—For making a great start to her school year.

1/2W—Shayla L.—For excellent work during reading groups.

2/3H—Kayla T.—Being a wonderful classroom helper.

3/4B—Blake G.—For showing persistence when working in class.

3/4S—Gabby C.—For being helpful and friendly to all class members.

5/6O—Hamish P.—For outstanding spelling results.

5/6S—Jordan F.—For excellent work during fitness training.

**Happy Birthday**

Feb. 12th  
Te Haeta T.  
2/3H

Feb. 16th  
Jack G.  
5/6S

Feb. 17th  
Frankie R.  
3/4S

Akilesh A.  
3/4B

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MATHS IN PREP/1M AND PREP/1S

We are making a Maths wall in our classrooms this year with lots of the Maths words we are going to use.

Sort and classify

Count on, count back

Order Take away sequence