Dear Parents and Families,
Welcome back to our second school term. At school our focus for the term is on READING and using assessments to better cater for each student’s individual learning needs. We will be writing reports for students this term, but please make a time to see teachers before that if you have any concerns. As the first educators of our students, you are very welcome and encouraged to discuss matters with your child’s teacher, or just to reassure yourself that your understanding of your child’s progress matches the teacher’s understanding.

**ANZAC Day Service**
Warlawurru Catholic School was officially represented at yesterday’s ANZAC Day Service by students Dixon and Walter and principal Dean Savoia. It was great to see Miss Katherine and Miss Louise and students Gianni, Dana and Ciara also in attendance with their families. Walter placed a wreath at the ANZAC memorial as a sign of respect to those soldiers who have died in war in the service of our country. Mr Malcolm Edwards conducted the service and spoke of the ANZAC spirit that showed how loyalty, brotherhood and bravery could shine through as human qualities in the worst of situations. Fr Noel McMaster led a prayer for the dead, for their families and for all those in the world who are victims of war.

**UPCOMING EVENTS @ Warlawurru:**
**Week 2:** Visiting teacher Malissa Kelly will be with us for three weeks.
**Week 3:** Monday May 7 Bush Trip to the Elvire River. All welcome.
**Week 3:** Wednesday May 9: School Performance Tours 10.45-11.45am. All welcome.
**Week 4:** NAPLAN testing week Years 3, 5 and 7. Visiting teacher Christine Sell will be with us for two weeks.
**Week 5:** Monday May 21 and Tuesday May 22: Pupil-Free Days—school closure for regional teachers’ Professional Development (these days instead of the two days at the start of term).

May our God who gives us life and all good things bless us all in this new term and throughout the Easter Season.

Dean Savoia (Principal)
Any student whose name does not appear here missed more than three weeks of school for the term. If you are trying to help your child attend more, but find it hard, please ask Dean for help.