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2006 Poetry Competition

The school's Poetry competition was again tightly contested, and all of the students did a very good job. The following students were place-getters in the internal school competition:

Year 5

1. Sabine Johnson
2. Lydia Skebar
3. Ella Gibson

Year 6

1. Karina Anders
2. Hannah Merl
3. Kiara Kurz

Year 7

1. Benjamin Neal
2. Jasper Johnson
3. Benjamin Ruhl

Year 8

1. Alexander Neal
2. Tamara Anders
3. Romy Minko

Thanks go to Margit, Johannes, Felix, Meindert Carmen and Peter for their help in judging the competition.

At the Regional finals, held at Donvale Christian College, our students again did themselves and the school very proud, with the following students as place-getters.

Sabine Johnson came 3rd in Year 5. Karina Anders achieved a Special Distinction in the Year 6 category, and Jasper Johnson received one for Year 7. In a terrific family result, Benjamin and Alexander Neal took out 1st place in Year 7 and 8 respectively.

These two boys go on to the State finals on the last Saturday in August at the Austrian Club, and we wish them all the best!

Open Day

The school will be inviting the parents into the school for its annual Open Day, on 9th September. More details will be available for this exciting annual event, particularly for those fond of cake!

Teachers Conference

The teachers will be attending a conference on 7th October, and there will be no school that day.

Learning and Writing Materials

We are putting out a general request for anyone who is able to donate second hand music/story CD's suitable for the junior classes, such as picture books or games and unused German colouring books.

It is also important that all children from classes other than Kindergarten bring a pencil case with suitable materials for the class. We are not permitted to borrow things from our Gold St Primary School hosts.

Laternanlauf will be celebrated soon. Parents are requested to provide a small torch for the children's lanterns.

School Fees

School fees are now due and it is becoming urgent that the school receive any outstanding money.

Important Dates:

Parent Committee Meeting:	Sat. 19 th August
State Poetry Competition Finals	Sat 26 th August
Open Day	Sat 9 th September
Teachers Conference	Sat. 7 th October

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