Principal’s Message

Photo Day
Thank you to all parents / care givers who sent their children in school uniform and looking so good for photo day last week. The day went very well and I’m sure the photos will look great. It is not too late to order. Orders will still be taken up until the end of next week. Please see Mrs. Sinekci in the front office if you need an order form.

Thank you very much to Mr. Baker who organised the photos again this year and did a great job.

World’s Greatest Shave Day (Crop for a Cure)
This term we are supporting the Leukaemia Foundation by participating in this day on Wednesday, 19 March. You should have already received a note explaining what is happening and how children can have “crazy hair” on the day in order to participate.

As you would have seen on the note, some staff members will be shaving their hair. I am shaving my beard – which I have had since I was in high school! (Now that’s a very long time)

If you would like to sponsor someone or just make a donation you may do so at the office. You will be given a receipt and all donations are tax deductible.

Everyone is welcome to come along on the day and join the fun.

Attendance Month
We are now well into our attendance month of March. Well done to everyone who has been at school every day. Make sure you keep it up and are able to go to our pizza party. Please remember if your child is sick he/she will need a doctor’s certificate, not just a note from home. Don’t forget the raffle too!

Student Safety
There are some very serious issues regarding student safety I would like to address. Please read below carefully.

Car Park
NO PARENTS OR STUDENTS ARE TO ENTER OR LEAVE THE SCHOOL VIA THE CAR PARK GATES. All access at the front of the school is to be via the two pedestrian gates. Only staff are to use the car park. Parents please do not drive into the school car park, there is limited turning space and the car park is often very full.

Pedestrian Crossing
ALL STUDENTS MUST CROSS TARTLINGTON PARADE AT THE PEDESTRIAN CROSSING. Some parents are collecting their children and crossing the road a matter of meters from the pedestrian crossing. This is not only dangerous but also sets a poor example for children to follow. I urge all parents to escort their children to the crossing to reinforce our messages regarding good safety.

Regards,
Peter Ward

School Calendar

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News and Information

Preschool waiting list forms for 2015 will be available in the school office from March 13th.

Our school website is regularly updated with informative articles, links to resources, photos and school information. Please keep it in your favourites and visit it regularly. All school newsletters are also stored on the website. The website now has a translator service. Look for the ‘Google Translate’ button and you can read our website in 80 different languages.

Attendance

Did you know if students miss as little as eight (8) days in a school term, by the end of primary school they will have missed a year of education.

Missing school leaves gaps in your education.

Why is regular attendance at school important?

Regular school attendance will help your child to succeed in later life. Attending school every day makes learning easier for your child and helps children to build and maintain friendships with other children. If your child doesn’t learn the basic skills in the early years of school, they may develop learning problems in later years.

Zumba Class

Have you heard about the new ZUMBA class operating in the hall every Tuesday night? Why not come along and give it a try. Please see details in the ad opposite.

Principal Awards

Congratulations to the students who have collected 5 honour awards and received the first Principal Awards for 2014.


Honour Awards

Congratulations to the students who have earned an Honour Award this month.

Nathan B 1S
Ryan L 1/2O
Tina A 2C
Alex K 2C x 2
Shemyah H 3/4K
Emilio L 3/4W
Jason P 3/4W
Alice K 3/4W

Sophie B 4/5M x 3
Ruby D 5/6B
Jennifer N 5/6B
Lita T 5/6F