**FROM THE PRINCIPAL**

**MOTHER’S DAY AFTERNOON TEA**
It was wonderful to see so many mums, nans, grandmas, auntie’s, special friends join us for our Afternoon Tea on Thursday 7th May. The children loved having you come and join in activities with them and they liked waiting on you.

*We hope you felt very special.*

We had 62 adults send back a reply, with 66 students being involved. However we had more families join us than indicated.

I would like to thank all of the staff for their involvement in cooking, preparing, cleaning, creating.

Thank you to Mrs Helen Savaris and our school choir for singing to us, as always the children’s voices were very sweet and entertaining.

*We wish ALL mums a wonderful day on Sunday.*

**SCHOOL EVENTS**

Most of our school events involve families informing us if they are participating by a due date. Returning forms by the due date helps us with catering and organising events so that we do not run out of food/have enough activities/spaces/staff/buses available to make the event successful and enjoyable for everyone.

To make organising events easier, we will be issuing tickets to all families who reply by the due date. Without a ticket families WILL NOT be able to participate. We want to include everyone in every event but we need your support in informing us of your intentions.

All notices are given out in class if they need a signature. Students who are away will receive their notices when they return to school. The newsletter, website, facebook, Tiqbiz and Notice board at the front of the school all advertise events that are coming. Please take the opportunity to access one of these to keep up to date with what the school is doing.

Communication is two ways. We all need to work together.

**DISABLED PARKING**

A reminder that we do have a Disabled car park. It is in the car park close to the Arts Centre. This car park is accessible to the public.

However this car parking space is not available during the hours:

- 8.45am — 9.15 am
- 3.15pm — 3.45pm

as it is booked for a student attending this school at these times.

**GOODBYE**

We would like to say goodbye and wish Claire, Ashley and their family all the best in their new home and new school. They are very excited and hopefully they will keep in touch and let us know how they are going.

*Elizabeth Thomas  Principal*
During our Excursion last Tuesday our students were involved in many wondrous and different activities.
SCIENCEWORKS

Looking what we can do.
**MOTHER’S DAY STALL**

Thank you to the Community Group for organising another very successful Mother’s Day stall. We hope all our mums and grans enjoy their presents.

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**Stepping into the Future**

2015 Prep Transition

Monday 12th May

9.30 am—10.30am

Bring along your favourite teddy.

Children aged 3 years and up may come along and join us.

Please sign in at the Office.
Mothers Afternoon

Thank you to all our special friends and family who joined us for Afternoon Tea. Happy Mothers Day

Congratulations to Tahlia for winning the door prize.
WALKATHON

What a great way to start the day. Many of the older students used today to practise for the upcoming Cross Country. Every student earned House Points and were very proud of how many laps they walked or ran around the school.
Results for this week

Gems  L6 - 24  Alesha S for a wonderful improvement with her confidence on our excursion
Glitters  W6 - 2  Ebony B for her outstanding offensive rebounding and continuously striving to score. Well done!
Gremlins  L11 - 16  Cody L for playing a great game whilst injured
Goannas  L4 - 20  Noah R for a great game
Giants  L8 - 30  Chloe F for great defence and getting in on play
Globes  forfeit from opposition
Gaters  L4 - 47  Blaze C for consistent good play and perseverance

Upcoming games

Glitters  Thurs 08/05  4:35 L4  Gems  Fri 09/05  4:35 L3
Gremlins  bye  Goannas  Mon 12/05  5:10 K2
Globes  Mon 12/05  4:35 L2  Giants  Mon 12/05  5:45 L2
Gaters  Mon 12/05  5:45 L1

Training times

Glitters  Tues 5.15 – 6pm  Gems  Wed 5.15 – 6pm
Gremlins  Thurs 3.45 – 4.15/4.30pm  Goannas  Wed 5.15 – 6pm
Globes  Wed 5.15 – 6pm  Giants  Wed 3.45 – 4.15/4.30pm
Gaters  Wed 3.45 – 4.15/4.30pm

Reminders

If you cannot make game night please contact your team manager so they can organize a stand in player – This is very important for the players that do turn up so they are guaranteed a game