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Dear Parents/Guardians,

It is hard to believe but we have finally made it to the end of term. It is also hard to believe that June is almost over and we are in the second half of the year. It has been a long haul and all staff thank you for your support and commitment as we worked together through the transitioning to remote learning at home and then transitioning back to learning at school.

School reports and Parent –teacher interviews.

Tomorrow all reports and portfolios go home. Parent teacher interviews will be held on Thursday afternoon for those families who requested an interview. Interview times are being sent home today so please check your child's reader packet.

Library books. Last week notes were sent home to families whose children have over due books. Please continue to look for books borrowed from our Library. If you can not find these books please come to the office so that replacement books can be arranged. Invoices for missing books will be sent home at the beginning of Term 3. I thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

75 Nights Reading

Congratulations to the following students who have reached 75 nights reading for this year. This is a wonderful achievement and shows that you are committed to developing a life long love of reading.

Oskar Douglas, Hudson Douglas, Lachlan Symcocks, Isabella Klahn, Zara Klahn, Luka Vassallo, Kendall Matautia, Seth Ansell, Blake Aitkens, Levi Eierweis, Marley Jones, Mahli Hope, Torah Affleck, Tyler Allender, Owen Montgomery, Xavier Frost, Malachi Fox, Gabe Diacona, Freya Fox, Sienna Willis, Hamish Fooks, Rupert Dellenijm, Chloe Beardsley, Declan Spry, Aiden Fitzgerald, Mia Bernotti, Ariana COgdell, Oscar Williamson, Matilda Willis, Sallina Simone, Talisha Allender, Zac Fox, Landyn Rowley, Braxtyn Affleck, Ben Maddern, Alannah Montgomery, Brooke Lamberton and Elijah Banjanin

Cookie Dough Fund Raiser Orders for the cookie dough fund raiser closes at the end of term. Spread the word to family and friends. All proceeds will go towards classroom resources in our student's classrooms.

Cook book—fundraiser Keep sending in recipes for our cook book. We need a wide variety of recipes. These may be traditional family recipes, recipes that you know are fail proof, recipes that are child friendly to make, recipes that are guaranteed to please the fussy eaters, gluten free or healthy alternatives to the average daily menu. Recipes can be emailed to the school or dropped off at the school office.

Tuesday Soup—\$1 a mug Chicken noodle soup All money raised from our soup days will be donated to the State School's Relief fund—an organisation we rely upon to help all new prep families and families in need of assistance.

Assembly will be on Friday at 2:00. School captains will be announce at this assembly. School will be dismissed afterwards at 2:30pm.

Thank you Presents In order to say thank you for all your support during remote learning, students can purchase a \$5 mystery gifts for their parents. The Mystery Gift stall will be open on Wednesday and is being ran by the Parents and Friends Group.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Happy Birthday Decan Spry Elijah Banjanin, Angelo Aitken, Torah Affleck, Ariana Cogdell . We hope you all have a wonderful day celebrating your special day.

School Captain Speeches

School Captain Speeches were presented to at assembly. It was unfortunate that parents could not see the presentations. Be assured, all students spoke extremely well and presented themselves magnificently. It will be a hard decision in choosing our new leaders. This announcement will be made at Friday's assembly. A huge thank you to Marley Jones and Levi Eierweis for your leadership and help over the past 6 months.

Important Dates

25th June Parent Teacher interviews

26th Last day of Term 2 School dismissed at 2:30pm

School returns Monday 13th July

15th July Cookie dough order delivery

21st July School Council meeting at 3:45pm

Term 3

School returns for Term 3 on Monday the 13th of July.

Fingers crossed that life will return to normal or as close to normal as possible.

It was decided unanimously at our School Council Meeting that the Grade 4/5/6 Melbourne Camp will not take place due to the COVID-19. This decision will remain in place even if all bans are lifted for camps. If camps can be conducted in Term 4 we are looking at holding a whole school camp at Sunny Stones. Younger students will sleep indoors at the camp center while older students camp outdoors in tents. More details of this event will be sent home in the future.

School Banking will resume in Week 1 so remember to send in your bank books for processing.

If we are required to continue limiting visitors into the school grounds then we will look at zooming our assemblies so that parents can watch and still feel connected to the school and know what is happening.

Dates that we can confirm are:

July

- 15th Cookie Dough Delivery
- 21st School Council meeting 3:45pm
- 31st National Tree Planting Day

August

- 10th Curriculum Day—Student free day

September

- 2nd Father's Day stall
- 4th Summer Sports - only if sporting events are allowed to resume
- 7th - 11th Book Fair
- 8th School Council Meeting 3:45pm
- 17th Working Bee 2:30—4:00pm
- 18th Term 3 ends and school is dismissed at 2:30pm.

If restrictions are increased and changes are made to the way schools are run then I will notify you all via newsletters and emails.

Remain safe and healthy,

Moira Ross