Principal's Page

Christmas came and yet as did the new year and Australia Day. With a lot of plans in place, we are really looking forward to a wonderful year. Welcome to all our new Foundation students who started today and again welcome back to all students for 2017! A year to Be Proactive!

New Staff Member
We welcome Katrina Brookie to our staff this year. Katrina will be assisting Michelle Rudolf in year 4.

Student accident insurance, ambulance cover arrangements and private property brought to school
Parents are reminded that the Department does not provide personal accident insurance or ambulance cover for students. Parents and guardians of students, who do not have student accident insurance/ambulance cover, are responsible for paying the cost of medical treatment for injured students, including the cost of ambulance attendance or transport as well as any other transport costs.

In some circumstances, medical or other expenses will be paid by the Department where it is assessed that it is likely, that the Department is liable for negligent (careless) acts or omissions of its staff or volunteers. More information about the claims process is available below.

Private property brought to school by students, staff or visitors is not insured and the Department does not accept any responsibility for any loss or damage.

This can include mobile phones, calculators, toys, sporting equipment and cars parked on school premises. As the Department does not hold insurance for personal property brought to schools and has no capacity to pay for any loss or damage to such property, students and staff should be discouraged from bringing any unnecessary or particularly valuable items to school.

New OHSC (Before and After School Care) Centre
2017 is a very special year for our OHSC as they have a new building located at the back of the junior building. With much care and attention, this facility will be the envy of many centres as our children utilise this very clean, neat and comfortable building. The building was erected during the school holidays after School Council approval and also comes with a kitchen. We wish the OHSC team all the best in their new rooms.

Colin Avery, A Principal who is looking forward to a great year!
कॉलिन एवरी, एक प्रमुख जो आगे एक महान वर्ष के लिए लग रही है!

Our motto: Dream, Believe, Strive, Achieve
Our Vision: To build a community of leaders and life-long learners.
Parents Advice

Every parent wants to instill a spirit of generosity in their kids. But it can be hard during the festive season when the focus is on lists, gifts and receiving. So in the true spirit of Christmas here are three practical ideas to guide your kids down a giving and generous path.

1. Develop an action of gratitude
Encourage your kids to write a note, make a gift or cook something for someone who has been helpful, kind or even gone out of their way for them during the year. Make their thank you personal and physical.

2. Make a family commitment of giving
Pick a cause that’s close to your family’s heart and make a commitment to do or give something on a regular basis during the year. One-off events can lose meaning, whereas all-year volunteering or giving has greater impact on both the giver and the receiver.

3. Have a clean out
The festive season provides a great opportunity for kids to spring clean their toy, clothes and technology cupboards. Not only does this make room for the new, (and perhaps unfairly lift their expectations), but it provides the chance for children to pass on unwanted items to siblings, friends or others who would probably appreciate and use them more than they would.

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TERM 1 Lunch Order Form

THIS IS A PRE-ORDER AND MUST BE RETURNED BY TUESDAY 7TH FEBRUARY NO LATER THAN 9:30AM.

Date: Friday 10th February

Name: ........................................ Grade: .................

Please tick

Lunch Choices

--------- Hot Dog with Sauce $3.00
--------- Salad/Ham Roll (ham, lettuce, tomato, cucumber, cheese, carrot, alfalfa, beetroot) $3.50
--------- Hamburger (meat pattie, cheese, lettuce, tomato, sauce) $3.50
--------- Oven Baked Fish’n’Chips $4.00

Snack Choices

--------- Pancakes (2 per serve) $1.00
--------- Banana Bread Slice $1.00
--------- Jam Lamington $1.00

Drink Choices

Milk $1.50 Chocolate ....... Strawberry....... Honeycomb.......

Juices $1.00 Apple....... Tropical....... Orange Juice.......

Water $1.00 500ml Bottle....... Berry Smoothie $2.00 .................

Please add 20 cents if you do not have your own brown bag to send

Total.......................

Please place order and money in a paper bag. Limited stock is available over the counter

Please be aware that some items may contain traces of dairy products, eggs and or nuts. If your child has allergies or intolerances please contact the canteen via the office for information on all items available.