### Teacher Meet and Greet Sessions

It was wonderful to see the number of parents and carers who came to school on Tuesday evening for our Teacher Meet and Greet Sessions. Lots of valuable information was shared and discussed and we trust and hope this provides a positive start to the year for all.

### Staff

Detailed below are the names of staff members and their roles or class within our school and the Assistant Principal overseeing each stage:

#### Early Stage 1
- KH: Michelle Heaney, Early Stage 1 Assistant Principal
- KW: Jennifer Williams
- K/1B: Simone Bondzio/Alexis McInnes

#### Stage 1
- 1G: Sarah Gentle
- 1/2P: Jackie Pawl
- 2C: Michelle Crittenden
- 2T: Fiona Tweedie, Stage 1 Assistant Principal

#### Stage 2
- 3K: Carly Kinloch, Stage 2 Rel. Assistant Principal
- 3P: Cheryl Pont
- 4G: James Griffin
- 4P: Patricia Gooley

#### Stage 3
- 5H: Rachel Horn, Stage 3 Assistant Principal
- 5T: Renee Tarrant
- 6B: Kyle Brewis
- 6S: Kate Slacca

- Emma Walker: Learning and Support Teacher
- Aimee Harber: Learning and Support Teacher
- Jarratt Boyd: Library/Technology
- Lyndell Robertson: Music
- Nikki Burdack: School Counsellor
- Louise Dittberner: Preschool Teacher
- Jo Morgan: Preschool Learning Support Officer
- Dana Spiers: School Learning Support Officer
- Lisa McLaren: School Learning Support Officer
- Kirstie Yeo: Rel. Principal

### Weekly Assembly

We are thrilled to be able to introduce a school-based before and after school care facility for our students and families. Due to this facility utilising our school hall each day, weekly assemblies for both Infants and Primary are now going to be held at 9am each Friday. Infants assemblies will be held every even week of school, with Primary assemblies being held each odd week of school. We hope to see you at our assemblies.
Positive Behaviour for Learning
This week we are going to focus on how to be safe and walk on the path at school. Walking on the path means that we understand that paths are hard surfaces and we always walk on hard surfaces around the school. We develop a safe habit of walking on paths in an orderly manner so we do not hurt ourselves or others. We understand that gardens and grassed areas are not areas to walk on.

Kindy Patch Parking
We have been advised by Kindy Patch across the road from us that parents from our school are using their car park to drop off and pick students from our school. This is a private car park for the use of Kindy Patch parents only and it makes it difficult for these parents to drop off or collect their children when the car park is being used by people not attending the centre. We would appreciate if our parents do not use the Kindy Patch car park.

OOSH
In Term 1 our new OOSH (Out of School Hours Care) will commence. All parents and carers are welcome to attend an information session regarding how our OOSH will operate on February 16, at 6pm in the school Library.

School Disco
Our Beach Party Disco is on Friday 19th February in the School Hall. Canteen facilities will be available on the night.
Infants: 5.30pm – 6.45pm
Primary: 7.00pm – 8.30pm
Entry is $3 per person, with families of three or more only paying for two children.
Parent helpers are needed for canteen/grounds supervision and door entry on the night. If you are able to volunteer at the Disco, please leave your note at the front office by Monday 15th February.

School Banking
Wednesday is our School Banking Day. Don’t forget to take your deposit book to the ladies in the uniform shop before the bell.

Uniform Shop
The Uniform Shop is open Wednesday mornings from 8.45am – 9.30am and Friday afternoons from 2.30pm – 3.15pm.
2C are creative!

2C enjoy the opportunity to show their talents. Here are some of the pictures from a recent art activity. They decorated the creature and then folded the page so that you see a fish but when you open the page, a piranha appears!

Friendly fish or piranha?

- Harmony
- Samuel
- Zamara

I like being creative by building things with objects that are recycled. - Brodie

I like being creative with Lego as you can make many different things by following the instructions or making my own designs. - Caleb

I am creative because I build maracas using rice and plastic cups. - Charlotte B

I like being creative by using my imagination to make interesting things. - Mia

- Mackenzie
- Willow
- Zac