Yr 6 – High School in 2013
Reminder – All year 6 students and parents are reminded to complete and return the Expression of Interest form for 2014.

Selective High School - Reminder
Students in Year 6 who registered in 2012 for the Selective High School examination are reminded that the exams will take place on Thursday, the 14th March, 2013.

P & C Raffle Tickets – Mufti Day
Each year our P & C Association holds a wonderful and successful raffle in conjunction with the Easter/Holiday Hat parade. The Raffle tickets will be sent home this week. Children are invited to wear Mufti to school on Thursday, 14th March. Instead of a gold coin donation, the children are asked to donate an item to be used in an Easter/Holiday prize basket.

Easter/Holiday Parade & Sausage Sizzle
Parents and Visitors are reminded that the Easter/Holiday Parade will take place at 11:30 a.m. on Thursday, the 28th March 2013, Week 9. Parents and visitors are invited to have lunch with the children after the parade. Sausage sizzle order forms for students and visitors will be sent home this week.

Yrs 5 & 6 - CANBERRA Excursion
As a result of our application to PACER, the cost has been reduced to $215.00. Please return the green form and deposit as soon as possible! Please do not hesitate to ask Mrs Leslie if you have any questions about the Canberra excursion.

Catherine Leslie
Principal

"Education is the kindling of a flame, not the filling of a vessel."
~ Socrates
Thank you to all our new volunteers - and with the assistance of last year’s helpers we are putting together a roster - there are still lots of gaps on a Tuesday and Wednesday. Thanks again for your support. ~ Jo Taylor

BASKET DONATIONS!
This Thursday is the Mufti Day for the annual P & C Assoc. Easter/Holiday Raffle and Parade! Students are asked to please donate items for the Easter/Holiday Raffle. Donations of BASKETS are also needed!

ASSEMBLY AWARDS
Week 6 Term 1

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Citizenship Award ~
Kalil C.

Bronze Award ~
Sascha P. Erica S.
Ceili D. Malie I.
Vanessa R. Kailey S.
Monique D. Toby R.
Kellie Y. James B.

Defend – Head Lice Awareness Program
Our school has registered to take part in the MOOV Defend your Class Schools promotional program which aims to educate and inform school communities about Head Lice. Students have been given an animated CD ROM game and there are prizes to be won.

Raising Children Website
The Minister for Families, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs, Jenny Macklin has launched the Raising Children Network’s new mobile-optimised website at the Royal Children’s Hospital in Melbourne.
The Raising Children’s Network receives around $3 million a year from the Federal Government to provide information and resources for parents online.
The Raising Children Network website can be accessed at www.raisingchildren.net.au

Facts about tutors
Private tutoring to give kids a helping hand in their schooling is a growing business. However, it’s also an area where parents can be vulnerable to bogus offers and misleading advertising. Find out more: http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/homework-and-study/homework-tips/facts-about-tutors
Public speaking

Does your child suffer glossophobia? Fear of public speaking is common. Try creating opportunities for your child to present speeches to the family, without putting pressure on them to perform. Here are some tried and true tips to make your child’s next speech a success.


Science starters

Did humans live with dinosaurs? Does the moon disappear in the day? Kids love to know the answers to life’s mysteries but there are a few facts they often get wrong in the name of science.

Challenge Club has made some balloon powered rockets and launched some film canister rockets, too.

More photos of our young artists during the RawArt sessions.

Information Reports from Ila and Layla in 3/4M