This is the final newsletter for Term 3. School resumes for students and staff on Tuesday, 7th October 2014. Have a safe, healthy and happy holiday break.

NAPLAN 2014 RESULTS
NAPLAN results for our Years 3 and 5 students have been sent home. Congratulations to all of the stakeholders in our learning community. This year’s results represent ongoing achievement by our students and teachers in improving the learning outcomes of our students. There will be more detailed information about our collective school performance in the Annual School Report for 2014, but here are just a couple of highlights of our results: In Year 3 Writing, approximately 10% of our students achieved the highest band, 66% of our students scored in the top three bands, 85% in the top four bands. In Year 5 Reading, 75% of our students scored in the top three bands with no students scoring in the lowest Band 3. Congratulations to all of our students and teachers for their diligence and dedication in working together with the support of the whole school community to achieve improved learning outcomes. You are all learning legends!

SUBWAY Lunch – Last Day of Term
The last day of Term 3 is SUBWAY lunch day. Orders closed last week. There is no Canteen on Friday and no lunch or Subway orders will be accepted on the day, so if you aren’t having a Subway, be sure to remember to bring your lunch!

The quality of the Solar System projects has been very impressive. Tia created and produced a video to present her information.

CAR PARK SAFETY
Parents and children are reminded that the car park area outside the school office is not to be used for dropping off children before school or collecting children at the end of the school day. In the interests of the safety of all of the children, please use the Clare Street gate for dropping off and collecting your children.

~ Dates to Remember 2014 ~

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“Reading is to the mind what exercise is to the body.” ~ Richard Steele
P & C ASSOCIATION NEWS

The Canteen is only open on WEDNESDAYS & THURSDAYS. NO MONDAY and TUESDAY Canteen.

Have things changed....Can you help out in Term 4? Additional THURSDAY Canteen Helpers URGENTLY NEEDED!

The next P & C Meeting is MONDAY, 13 October at 7:00pm
Come along! Be Involved! Support our children!

Mobile Maths Games
Channel your child’s interest in playing mobile apps into a chance to improve their maths skills and recall. The free School A to Z app has a Maths Monkey game to help test times tables and the follow-up app, Maths Monkey’s Quest ($1.99), challenges kids from Yr 2 to Yr 8 with addition, subtraction, ratios and percentages. Both apps are created by the NSW Department of Education and are available for Apple iPhones and iPads, and Android phones and tablets. You’ll find links to both here: http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/about/mobile-applications

Selective schools
Are you already thinking about your child’s Year 7 placement in a selective school in 2016? Selective high schools are government high schools that cater for highly-achieving, academically talented students by offering an educationally enriched environment. Application for entry to a selective high school in Year 7 in 2016 will be online only, from 14 October, 2014. You’ll find more information about selective schools and dates for examinations here: http://www.schools.nsw.edu.au/learning/k-6assessments/shsplacement/index.php

ASSEMBLY AWARDS
Week 9 Term 3

| KG   | ZAYNE M.        | ISABEL M.       |
| 1E   | THOMAS C.       | LEON C.         |
| 2Y   | PANOS K.        | CALEB M.        |
| 3M   | YORK H.         | CHARLIZE W.     |
| 4/5G | VANESSA R.      | ISABELLA F.     |
| 5/6C | WILLIAM M.      | THANH P.        |

SPORTS AWARDS
Dance Sr - MANDY Y.        | ERICA S.        |
Dance Jr - ISABELLA B.     |
Bronze Award -            | BLAKE F.        |
|               | KEREHI M.       |
|               | JORDAN J.       |

Silver Award -            | KONSTANTINA Z.  |
Leon C.                  | ANGELINA D.     |
Sascha P.                | CAMERON M.      |
Yujin C.                 |

Gold Award -             | RAQUELLE R.     |
Tyra S.                   | ISABELLA B.     |
York H.                   | MARSHA Z.       |
Tyler R.                  | KOBE D.         |
Isabella B.               |

Principal’s Award        | CEILI D.        |

Credit to the School Award -
Toby R.                   | JACK M.         |
Raquelle R.               | RAQUELLE R.     |
Hannah M.                 | RAMIN H.        |

Check out our School Website!
Last week there were 293 hits to our school website. It is updated weekly and has permission notes, news, photos and newsletters! Have a look!

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exquisite... luscious... tantalising....
The winning Footy Colours jersey design entries from Angelina, Kai and Kellie. Well done!
A wonderful recount by Christian in 2Y on the Skyworks mobile planetarium visit.

More quality Solar System projects from Zoe, Mirsini and Breno. Well done!

Challenge Club resumes
Tuesday, 14th October
Week 2 Term 4