Pathways to the future

Thursday 28th January, 2016

Welcome Back!!

I hope you all had a fabulous Christmas break and it’s good to see all the children looking fresh ready to learn. Learning, laughing and lots of fun are once again on the menu for 2016.

This is a brief newsletter to welcome everyone back – your usual newsletter will be sent home next Wednesday.

We have a few staff changes for 2016. Mrs Presti has reduced her time fraction to 3 days per week. She will continue to work in the Junior classroom - Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. Mrs B will also be working 3 days per week. She will be in the Junior classroom on Mondays and Tuesdays and will be teaching in the Senior classroom on Wednesdays. Lisa will continue her 4 days per week - every day except Thursdays. Leanne will be working in the office on Wednesdays. I will be working all week – my office day will be on Wednesdays and the other 4 days I will be teaching in the Senior room. I hope this is clear!

Our specialists programs are similar to last year. Japanese with Mrs Nash on Monday afternoon. Art/Library on Thursdays and we will have Physical Education with Mr Pod on Tuesday afternoons.

Newsletter – due to the change in the days staff are working, we will be changing our newsletter day to every 2nd Wednesday.

Foundation Students 2016 – as done in the past, Foundation students are not required at school on Wednesdays during the month of February. They will be able to stay at home and get some rest for the rest of the week.

Welcome BBQ – SAVE THE DATE. We are planning a welcome back bbq on the 12th February. The evening will begin with an information session about the year ahead followed by a bbq. More information will be in the next newsletter.

Please drop in and say hello and don’t hesitate to talk to us if you have any concerns.

Have a great week!

Wendy

Volunteers Wanted!!

If you would like to volunteer to assist in the Junior Classroom to hear reading one morning per week, (usually ½ to ¾ hour from 9am) you are invited to a briefing on Thursday 4th February at 8.45am in the Junior Classroom. Thankyou.

Jo and Jules

Kid’s Council News

Zooper Doopers

The cost is 30 cents each and they are on sale Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Dates for your calendar:

28th January – Students begin.
3rd February – Newsletter
4th February – Library
11th February – ART
12th February – Welcome BBQ 6pm
18th February – Library
25th February – ART
1st March – Cluster Day – Everton
3rd March – Library
10th March – ART
11th March – Curriculum Day
14th March – Labour Day Holiday
15th March – Athletics Sports
17th March - Library
24th March – Last Day Term 1 dismiss 2.30
11th April – First Day Term 2.

Remember to wear your hats in term 1