Dear Parents

IMPORTANT DATES:

MAY:
- Friday 22nd: Zone Cross Country
- Tuesday 26th: Tuckshop—Therese West
  School Banking
- Friday 29th: Assembly
  Eagle Publishing Deadline
  Jump Rope for Heart

JUNE:
- Tuesday 2nd: School Banking
- Thursday 4th: Bookclub Orders and Money Due
- Monday 8th: Queen’s Birthday Public Holiday
- Tuesday 9th: Tuckshop—Bev Finnigan
  School Banking
- Friday 12th: Assembly
  Canberra Excursion Notes and Payment Due
  SRC Car wash
- Tuesday 16th: School Banking
- Friday 19th: Webster Colley Cup at Stratheden School
  (Please note change of day)
- Tuesday 23rd: Tuckshop—Jess Bresnan
  School Banking
- Friday 26th: Last Day Term 2
  Assembly

ASSEMBLY: Assembly will be held every second Friday at 2.45 pm in the new classroom commencing Friday 29th May.

SCHOOL BANKING: School banking day is Tuesday, please bring bank books to the office in the morning.

BOOKCLUB: Orders and money due back to the school by Thursday 7th May.

FUNDRAISING: We have 6 boxes left, please see Maria if you can sell more. Each bar is sold for $2.50. More boxes are available at the school, please just let the office know when you have taken a box. Thanks

DATE FOR YEAR 7 OPEN EVENING:
Casino High School open evening will be on Monday 25th May from 5:30pm in the Hall.
**CANBERRA EXCURSION:** This excursion is for Years 5/6 students. To be held from **Sunday 26th July to Friday 31st July.** The total cost for each person will be $500, the school and P & C will subsidise part of the cost. The cost to students is $125.

The cost to each student from Doubtful Creek School will be $125. This amount is required as a deposit by Friday 12th June.

Itinerary for the Canberra excursion is attached to the newsletter. We have a snow day planned for Thredbo on the Wednesday of the excursion. Students may choose to bring their own snow jacket, pants and gloves, or there is an option to hire parkas $8 and pants for $8 and boots for $5 (or a full package of parka, pants and boots for $16). These costs are in addition to the quoted cost of the excursion. Additional payments will also be accepted at this time if you choose.

Please find attached to last week’s newsletter permission notes and medical forms that need to be returned to the school By Friday 12th June.

**ZONE CROSS COUNTRY:** ONLY students who gained a place in the Small Schools Cross Country are eligible to attend the Zone Cross Country. Those students who are reserves, will only be attending if those who have a place, cannot make it. Please remember you do **not** have to pay the $5, the school will pay this for you. **It will be held at Corndale Public School, Corndale via Lismore on Friday 22nd May.**

Please fill in, sign and return permission note attached to newsletter a few week’s ago. Please have these in by Thursday 21st May at the latest.

**RUNNYMEDE SPORTS/WEBSTER COLLEY CUP:** To be held at Stratheden School on **Friday 19th June commencing at 9.00 am and finishing at approximately 3.00 pm.** All students are to be in full school uniform. Footwear (joggers must be worn for all events). Please make sure that your children wear a hat and sunscreen and that they have warm clothing in case of bad weather.

**PLEASE NOTE:** There will be no High Jump this year. Trials will be held at Stratheden on **Friday 17th July if children reach qualifying heights.**

Parents are to transport their children direct to Stratheden School by 9.00 am and pick them up at 3.00 pm.

Doubtful Creek is the Host school this year. At our last P & C meeting, a menu was organised. Help will be needed on the day, if anyone from your family who could possible help out, it would be greatly appreciated. Please let someone from the P & C know.

We will also be asking parents to supply cakes, slices or biscuits to sell for morning tea.

**THE EAGLE**

The second issue of the Eagle for 2015 is fast approaching, please make sure all articles, news etc. are at the school by **Friday 29th May.** Many Thanks.

Lennie
CLASS NEWS

Well done to Braxton and Brayden who focussed hard during NAPLAN last week. And also very well done to all the other students who were able to stay quiet and considerate while the boys were undertaking the testing. A great team effort!

The next huge effort is the Zone Cross Country this Friday. We wish our runners all the best—and we will be thinking of you on the day—Remember to return your form by Thursday.

Mr David Crowe, the Acting School Education Director (my boss) visited DCPS on Friday and was very impressed with our Small School. He told the students that he once ran a school of only 5 students, so he knows what a Small School is all about.

Work will commence today on the upgrade of our electricity panel and adding another outlet to our COLA (Covered Outdoor Learning Area). This will assist during our EOY concert—we don’t want to blow up the electricity box do we?

Barbara Walsh
Principal

TUCKSHOP

The special for Tuesday 26th May will be:

- Pasta
- Plus Popper of your Choice
- Cost—$4
- NO OTHER TUCKSHOP ITEMS AVAILABLE.

Therese West will be on tuckshop duty.

Please fill in and return order below and money on Tuesday in attached envelope.

| TUCKSHOP ORDER - NAME: ____________________________ |
| Pasta ___ | Popper ___ |

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