PREP – YEAR 2 ASSEMBLY
For this week, the prep – Year 2 assembly will be held on Thursday 24th April, at the usual time.

EVACUATION DRILL
On Thursday morning, after the Prep – Year 2 assembly and before the first break time, an evacuation drill will be undertaken. We had planned to hold this drill in Week 10, last term, but it was cancelled because of all the rain delays.

Emergency drills are important aspects of our school’s Workplace Health & Safety program. We do not intend to frighten our students, but instead work positively and supportively with the students to rehearse moving safely to safe areas just in case we ever have to do so in a real-life emergency.

The annual process is to have announced evacuation and lock-down drills in Semester 1 and then unannounced evacuation and lock-down drills in Semester 2. If you are at the school when a drill is called, you are obliged to participate – everyone’s safety is important.

P&C NEWS
As announced last term the 2014 Executive for the GWSS P&C Association was elected at the Annual General Meeting and is ready to continue the very successful traditions of this wonderful organisation. A motion to change the ‘week’ for meetings was tabled and passed at the last meeting – general meetings will now occur on the third Tuesday of each month. As this change will take a month to fit into the calendar the next meeting will be held on Tuesday 29th April, starting at 6.30pm in the staff room. New members are welcome.

P&C would like to thank all the volunteers who helped prepare raffle tickets.

LIBRARY NEWS
There are still outstanding library books from Term 1, could you please return all books ASAP.

PREP ENROLMENTS FOR 2015
Enrolment packages for 2015 are now available from Reception. Student details will be required when a package is given out. Eligible students for Prep for 2015 must turn five on or before 30 June 2015.

Completed enrolment forms are to be returned to the school office. We need to sight Original Birth Certificates when enrolment forms are returned. Enrolment forms will not be accepted without the Birth Certificate. Enrolment management conditions apply.

TRAFFIC CONGESTION – STAGGER COLLECTION TIMES
To help avoid traffic congestion at 3pm, parents/carers are asked to stagger collection times to 3:05pm, 3:15pm and 3:15pm. This should allow more traffic flow and help reduce lines of cars banking up.

PLEASE REMEMBER
• Collection zones are strictly 2 mins only.
• Staff are on duty at all collection zones until 3:15pm.

Uncollected students are always brought to Admin where they wait until parents arrive or have been contacted. If there is no space in the collection zone keep driving around the collection zone. If there is no space in the collection zone keep driving around the collection zone. Never cross the collection zone and never drop off students in the collection zone.

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC
Our instrumental music students are busy rehearsing and preparing for their first public performance of 2014. This event will take place at The Great Australian Ice Creamery on the evening of Wednesday 30th April and involves all Concert Band and String Orchestra members. String Orchestra members will need to arrive by 6.30pm. Concert Band students need to arrive by 6.45pm.

Each student must bring their own music stand and pegs, as well as their instrument and music. Students need to wear their West Instrumental Music performance shirt along with “black everything” from the waist down ie. Black long trousers/black skirt with black tights, black shoes, black socks. Please ensure no skin is visible, even when sitting. West Instrumental Music performance shirts may be purchased from the school office at a cost of $33 per shirt. Instrumental Music uniforms are required for all events and performances listed below:

- Ice Creamery Performance – Wednesday 30th April
- West Family Fun Night – Friday 2nd May
- FANFARE – Friday 6th June (changed and confirmed date)
- GYM Instrumental Music Workshops – Wednesday 16th July to Friday 18th July
- Eisteddfod – term 3, week 8.

Instrumental Music rehearsals are each Wednesday morning at 7:45am. Please ensure all Ice Creamery performance permission slips, and FANFARE Project Consent forms have been returned to the school office.

2014 TERM CALENDAR

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