Dear Parents & Caregivers

We apologise for so many things culminating towards the end of term with Creative and Performing Arts day Geurie next Thursday, the fantastic Life Education Van (Healthy Harold) and of course the new addition of the Zoo Night Stay (Year 2-6).

As you would appreciate all of these activities are extremely beneficial for our students and tie in very nicely with the current NSW Curriculum. Plus, which is always an incentive, they should not only be highly educational but also a lot of fun.

Please ensure all notes and money are returned promptly to Mrs Dunn in the administration building.

Regards

Peter George
Principal

THANK YOU SO MUCH!

An huge thank you to all those wonderful parents and grandparents who have been very busy covering books for the school library as well as Mrs Rich’s 2/3 class and Miss Muir’s K/1 class.

With so many avid readers in our school the children are extremely eager to be able to borrow the exciting new titles from the library as well as home readers.

SCHOOL COUNCIL

We had an extensive School Council Annual General Meeting last Tuesday night covering all the agenda items mentioned in last week’s newsletter.

Congratulations to our newly elected office bearers, Jamie Watson – President and Maryann Priddis – Secretary. Congratulations also to Jodi Yates who has been nominated as a parent representative on School Council.

We thank Nigel Payne – President – 2012 and Gillian Hill – Secretary 2012 for their fine stewardship last year.

ALTERNATIVES TO CHIPS & MUESLI BARS

Snack size potato chip packets and muesli bars are convenient options for lunchboxes; however they are not nutrient rich foods. Chips are high in fat and salt, while muesli bars are high in sugar. Instead try one of the suggested alternatives for healthier eating:

✓ Rice cakes or crackers  ✓ Pretzels
✓ Prawn crackers (cooked in microwave)
✓ Unsalted nuts and seeds ✓ Pita chips
✓ Pappadums ✓ Dried fruit
✓ Bread sticks ✓ Small tins of corn
✓ Wholegrain crackers with cheese
✓ Small bag of breakfast cereals eg. Fruity Bites
✓ Unsalted popcorn ✓ Mini toasts

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Tuesday 26/03/13       Wednesday 27/03/13       Thursday 28/04/13       Friday 29/04/13       4/04/13
AASC – Hockey in Dubbo       Chocolate Egg Making P&C Meeting @ 7pm       Small Schools Creative Arts Day at Geurie       Good Friday       Life Education Van
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NO ASSEMBLY
NEXT FRIDAY 29TH MARCH
GOOD FRIDAY HOLIDAY

Notes & Payments due
• Small Schools Creative Arts Day permission note
• Small Schools Creative Arts Day lunch order
• Life Education permission note
• Change of contact details
• School jacket orders need to be in by 28/03/13.
Please note that orders after this date will not be able to be processed.
• School Contributions

STUDENT PROFILES
Interviews and photography by SRC

Zander
If you could be an animal what would you be?
A Giraffe
What do you want for your birthday?
Chocolate
Who is your hero?
Superman

Emily
If you were stuck on an island what three things would you bring?
Friend, Food and water.
What are you scared of?
Ghosts
What is your favourite sport?
T-ball

Bailey
What is your favourite thing to do? Ride motorbikes.
What would you like to invent?
Money machine
If you could meet a famous person who would it be?
Ken Roczen or Chad Reid

WE ARE AMAZING!
ASSEMBLY AWARD WINNERS - Term 1 Week 7

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Match your savings for school costs, dollar for dollar, up to $500. The Smith Family is looking for new participants in your local area.
You may be eligible if you or your partner have:
• a Health Care or Pensioner Concession Card
• a child at school or starting next year
• some regular income from work.

Contact John Edwards, your local Saver Plus Worker on 6881 8032 or john.edwards@thesmithfamily.com.au.
Saver Plus was developed by AKZ and the Brotherhood of St Laurence and is funded by ANZ and the Australian Government.
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