Dear Parents/Carers,

Plans have been made for a three day overnight camp to Canberra and the Snowy Mountains for Years 5 and 6. The excursion will be conducted from Wednesday 25 June - Friday 27 June (Term 2, Week 9). Activities will include;

- Parliament House Visit
- Questacon
- ‘Snowplay’ at Thredbo
- Snow Hydro Visitor Centre
- War Memorial

The proposed cost of the excursion is $371.00 if more than 31 students attend, however, with the very generous help of our P&C and several fundraising events we do expect this amount to be decreased to approximately $300.00. We realise this is a “big ask” for many family budgets but the experience is most valuable for the children - academically, socially and personally. This amount covers transport, accommodation, meals and all activities. Payment for the excursion would need to be finalised by Friday 16 June. It should be noted that the travel company imposes a cancellation fee should anyone pull out after our final numbers have been confirmed. This cost would need to be the responsibility of the parents.

Before we can officially commit to camp the school needs to gauge the level of interest from families. If you would like your child to attend the excursion please detach and complete the Expression of Interest below. A deposit of $25.00 is also required. The note needs to be completed and submitted with the deposit by Thursday 4 March, 2014 (Week 6). Please note that this deposit is refundable if the camp does not go ahead.

Once the level of interest is gauged, more detailed information will be provided to parents about the excursion including a full itinerary, list of staff attending and payment options. A permission note, medical note and dietary requirements note will also follow later in the term.

If you have any queries about the excursion Expression of Interest please feel free to contact Miss Chisholm at the school.

Please Note: School representation and attendance at excursions, special school activities and out of school activities is dependent upon the continued demonstration of appropriate behaviour and an appropriate attitude in all aspects of school life.

Androula Kavallaris
Principal

S.Saunders and C. Chisholm
Principal
Stage 3 Teachers
Please return to Mrs Thompson with the $25.00 deposit by Thursday 4 March 2014

2014 Year 5 & 6 Canberra and Snowy Mountains – Expression of Interest

I would like my child ___________________________ of class _________ to attend the Stage 3 three day overnight excursion to Canberra and the Snowy Mountains. A deposit of $25.00 is enclosed. I also understand that my child’s participation is subject to meeting the expectations outlined above.

Parent’s name: ______________________________

Signed: ____________________________ Date: ____________