Dear Parents/Carers,

**Kind Reminders 11.3.15**

**Newsletter**

Our newsletter next week will be communicated through ‘skoolbag’ and our website. Hard copies of our new newsletter can be organised if you do not have access to the internet and phone. Please ring our school office on 46282455 to request a hard copy for your family.

**ICAS exams**

Students in Years 3-6 took home information regarding participation in the University of NSW International Competitions and Assessments for Schools tests. If you would like your child to participate in these tests, please read the information and return the permission slip with correct money in a sealed envelope with your child’s name, class and what test they will be participating in. All money needs to be taken to Mrs Thompson in the office by Friday 27 March 2015.

Please note that this year we will need a minimum of 3 students to participate for each competition.

**Parent Teacher Interviews**

Notes have been sent home for parent and teacher interviews. If your child has misplaced his/her note you can access the note on our website. Interview dates for some teachers begin from Monday 23 March - Wednesday 1 April 2015.

Please note that if the time and date the teacher has allocated does not cater for your needs you can ring and speak to your child’s teacher and organise a time and date that is mutually convenient.

We are looking forward to seeing all our parents attend.

**Skoolbag App**

We are very excited to announce that our school now has our own Skoolbag iPhone and Android App to help us communicate more effectively with our community. This will be used in conjunction with our website which will still be updated on a weekly basis.

Later on in the year, we are hoping that skoolbag will be our main source of communication. Our aim is to increase our communication whilst at the same time reducing our use of paper.

We are kindly asking parents to install our free Skoolbag School App. For instructions please see Week 6 of our newsletter.

Androula Kavallaris
Principal

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Always Our Best