Principals Message from my desk

2014 Term 4 Week 9

The year continues to race along and this will be the penultimate newsletter for the year with swim camp taking up the last week of school for students.

Our literacy theme in class for the rest of the year will be Christmas Around the World. The students are practising their items for presentation night every day and are looking forward to sharing them with you.

Finally the T4L team have advised the school that they are coming on Wednesday to install the replacement short throw projector. I am very grateful that they have found time in their busy schedule as normally these projectors are installed by department contractors from around the state.

Last Thursday I undertook professional training in the ‘Live Life Well at School’ program. The program embraces both nutrition and exercise, and in conjunction with the local officer, Alex Walker, we have developed an action plan for the school in 2015 which has $2000 of funding attached. It was excellent that Alex was able to take me through what is normally a 2 day course on a personal basis at school (I had withdrawn from the 2 days as I was already heavily committed to principal meetings as well as running back and forward to Harden). She is coming tomorrow morning to run a practical session on fundamental movement skills with everyone, staff and students, which I am looking forward to.

Swimming this week will be on Wednesday from 11:30 – 1 pm, owing to the pool being heavily booked on Thursday, and this way we will not have to share the water.

I hope you all enjoyed the snow peas last week, don’t forget that we do have some veges ready for harvest.

Enjoy your week,

Jen

Thought of the Week

“Everyone and everything around you is your teacher”
**Fruit Break**

Thank you for sending in some fruit each day, the kids take 10 minutes to have a quick snack mid-morning to improve concentration and the kids really enjoy it.

**Coming Events**

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**Week 9**
- Mon 1st Dec - Puggles
- Wed 3rd Dec - Swimming
- Thurs 4th Dec - Proud and Deadly Awards, Tumut

**Week 10**
- Tues 9th Dec - Presentation Night
- Thurs 11th Dec - Swimming

**Week 11**
- Mon 15th Dec - Puggles
- Mon 15th-17th Dec - Swim Camp

**Cooking**

In our Wednesday Cooking lesson this week the children made some Corn Fritters for their lunch, followed by some very delicious Jelly slice and Chocolate Marshmallow cupcakes.

**Live Life Well**

The children learning all about nutrition and what makes a healthy lunchbox.

† Just a little Picture sent from Miss Gordon along with her best Wishes, she is missing everyone.