



Assalamu Alaykum (wrb).

Dear Parents,

Welcome back to Term 2. Please be informed that this term has 10 weeks and during this time it is crucial that all students be at school every day to be able to meet the benchmarking, especially in literacy and numeracy. The Year 3 and 5 students will especially be engaged in further development of literacy and numeracy skills to enable them to do well in the Basic Skills Test which will take place at the beginning of Week 3 in Term 3.

### **CROSS COUNTRY CARNIVAL**

Please note that the cross country carnival will now be held on **Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> May** instead of Tuesday as Wiley Park will not be available to the school on Tuesday. Please ensure your child brings a water bottle and any asthma medication on Wednesday.

### **SPORTS DAY**

Commencing immediately, Sports day will be held on the following days:

**Infants – Friday**

**Primary - Thursday**

### **KIDS IN ACTION**

The Kids in Action Program is being conducted for Primary students (3-6) this term. The program will start next week. Please ensure your child pays the necessary fees on time. Please note, students will not be able to participate in the program if they don't pay their fees on time.

This program is highly recommended by me and I would encourage all parents to allow their children to participate in it. We may not be able to book them for next year because of the high demand for this program.

### **SCHOOL FEES**

School fees are due today. Any outstanding fees must be paid as soon as possible.

### **SCHOOL PHOTOS**

School photos will be taken on Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> May. Please ensure you put the correct money in the envelopes provided as no change will be given. Your child/children should also be wearing the full school uniform on the day. Third, fourth and fifth siblings will be half price for each child.

### **SCHOOL UNIFORMS**

There are still students who are not coming to school in the full school uniform – e.g. no ties, broken ties, wrong shoes, different pants, etc. All students have been put on notice that they will be sent home if they do not comply with the school's uniform policy.

### **MEDICATION**

If your child needs to take medication during school hours, you must send a signed note with the medication, giving the school permission and instructions for administering the exact dosage.

### **DIARY OF EVENTS**

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> May - School Cross Country Carnival

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> May – UNSW Maths Competition

Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May - ASSISA Cross Country Carnival

Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> May – UNSW Spelling and Writing

Competitions; NSW Premier's Respect and Responsibility Forum

Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> May – School photos

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> June – CIS Cross Country Carnival

Monday 12<sup>th</sup> June – Public Holiday

Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> June – UNSW English Competition

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> June – Half yearly exams/Formal assessments K-6

Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> June – Deadly Australians Workshop

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July – Parent/Teacher interviews for

Infants (K-2) from 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July – Parent/Teacher interviews for

Primary (3-6) from 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm.

Portfolios (including formal reports) to be given out this day (K-6).

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July – Portfolios due back

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July – Last day of Term 2

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