February Birthdays

Han Nguyen  
Tan Nguyen  
Sanjay Karthikeyan  
Saviti Te  
Santoss Wleh  
Casey Millante  
Linda Nguyen  
Cynthia Pham  
Donge Sokiri  
Junior Ayang  

Ethan Chau  
Mia Ngo  
Geoffrey Emmanueli  
Thien Nguyen  
Kylie Tran  
Lleyton Quach  
Ryza Rodriguez  
An Le  
Anthony Pham  
Michael Ta

UNIFORM SHOP NEWS
All students have been supplied with a new hat with their house colours. These hats have been named. If your child loses their hat you will need to purchase a new hat from the uniform shop.

Canteen Volunteers

NUONG  
JACQUI TERRYSCHILD  
ELLEEN PRIOR  
MARIANNA KONDRAT  
VAN NGO

Out of School Hours Care
is now being run by CAMP AUSTRALIA

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CAMP AUSTRALIA 1300 105 343
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HAPPY BIRTHDAY
Dear Parents and Community Members,

Last week I took the opportunity to visit all students in their new classes. These first visits for the year are such a great joy as I see many excited students who are happy to be back to school; learning, spending time with their friends and being in the next year level of schooling.

Meet the Teacher Evening (Tuesday 16th February)
On Tuesday the 16th of February we will be having our ‘Meet the Teacher’ evening. This will be an opportunity to develop an important relationship with your child’s teacher and form a partnership to help with your child’s learning. We will be having a free sausage sizzle, which will provide an opportunity to socialise with other parents and carers. All parents, carers and students are invited.

6:00pm-6:30pm   R/1D & R/1T
6:35pm-7:05pm   Yr 1/2 & Yr 2
7:10pm-7:40pm   Yr 3 & Yr 4
7:45pm-8:15pm   5/6S, 5/6BK & Yr 7

Annual General Meeting & Masterplan Forum - Wednesday 24th February
This year’s Annual General Meeting will be held on Wednesday 24th of February from 7:00pm to 9:00pm with drinks and nibble in the staffroom.
At the Annual General Meeting we inform our community about goals achieved in 2015 and the financial position of the school.

Meet the Teacher Evening - Parents and students are invited.

6:30pm
7:00pm
7:30pm
7:45pm
8:00pm
8:15pm

Project Compassion - Learn More, Create Change
Last Sunday was Project Compassion Sunday and marked the beginning of the Caritas Australia’s Project Compassion Lenten Appeal. Lent is a time when Christians are asked to strengthen their faith through prayer, reflection, fasting and almsgiving. With children we encourage ‘making good choices in their lives’ and helping to donate to the communities supported by Project Compassion.

Each week Project Compassion shares the story of 6 different communities. The first community is from Malawi in East Africa. Most people rely on farming small plots of land to produce food to feed their families but many have gone without enough food to eat. With the help of donations received through Project Compassion, communities were educated in how to make the most of their natural resources and trained in new farming techniques. They now have access to clean drinking water and their crops are growing. With our help communities like this one are developing greater skills.

Project Compassion boxes will be sent home this week and you are asked to fill it with spare change over the six weeks of Lent. The money raised will go towards education and training for communities of our world who are living in very difficult conditions. Their learning will help to make lasting and sustainable change for a brighter future.

Have a lovely week.
Anne-Marie Platten