I hope that everyone had an enjoyable Easter break. We now have just two more weeks of school before our two week holiday. Our Term one reports should be coming home this week. These reports concentrate on the social aspects of the students’ development. If you have any concerns regarding the reports, please make an appointment to see your child’s teacher.

Congratulations to all involved in our Easter Hat Parade. It was wonderful to see the magnificent creations. Thank you to our parents who ran the Easter raffle and to all our families who helped to support this exciting event. It was quite remarkable to have over 50 prizes. The wonderful support resulted in many happy faces for our lucky raffle winners.

I am sad to announce that Mrs Moanda will be leaving us from the start of next term as she has accepted a position at another school. Mrs Moanda has made many valuable contributions to our school and we will miss her greatly. We wish her well at her new school.

Mr Firth will be visiting his surgeon again this week and is hoping to return to school very soon.

Royal Easter Show 2013

Our excursion to Olympic Park for the Easter Show was a great adventure. The children were outstanding and need to be commended on their wonderful behaviour! They engaged in activities such as following the paw prints through various animal pavilions, feeding the babies in the animal nursery, pig racing and diving, milking demonstrations, spinning and weaving demonstrations, and many...
various displays. The showbag pavilion was a bit hit with all the children! Even though exhausted from the walking by the end of the day, the children's feedback was extremely positive and the day proved to be a valuable experience. The day ran smoothly because of the support from our wonderful helpers and teacher's aides. We would like to say a huge thank you to the following parents, grandparents and aides:

KM: Mrs Raminier, Mrs Handley, Mrs Hand
K/1N: Ms Evans, Mr Needham, Mrs Webster, Mrs Whiting, Miss Swinton
1M: Mrs Penna, Mr Irvine, Mrs Dejarlo, Mr & Mrs Green, Mrs Weekly
2R: Mr & Mrs Weekly, Mrs Aberley, Ms Hotchkiss, Mrs Dredge, Mrs Sheehan, Mrs Naing, Mrs Kontos
HUG / HUK: Mrs Yates, Mrs Poulson, Mrs O’Brien.
K-2 Teachers

Uniform Shop
Starting after the Easter break, the Uniform Shop will be open each Tuesday morning from 8.30 to 9.15. Due to other commitments, it will not be open in the afternoons.

P&C Easter Raffle
A very big thank you to the school community for bringing in your chocolate Easter Eggs and for buying the raffle tickets. Our Easter Raffle was very successful with over $1300.00 raised. What a fantastic effort.

Many thanks
P&C Committee

Combined Easter Service
As in previous years, children from the non-scripture classes are invited to attend the combined Scripture service held to celebrate Easter.

This year’s combined service will be held on Thursday 4th April 2013 at 12.45 in the school hall.

If you do not want your child to attend this combined service, please write Mrs Marks a note and hand it to the office.