Swimming continues this week under the watchful eye of Mrs Bosscha. We have 3 groups going down to the pool each swimming day with teachers and SLSO’s. They will complete 10 days altogether with hopefully everyone being more confident or proficient in their swimming and water safety. Please remember for your children to have towels, swimmers, sunscreen and $2.20 on those days [Thursday this week and Monday, Tuesday and Thursday next week]

Library books returned please
It is that time of year when library books need to be returned to their places on our library shelves. Please have a look around the house and get these books back to their mates. Mrs Denning will be on the hunt very soon, it is Library stocktake time.

Life Education Van
Harold is making a comeback for us this week after he was washed out from dates set earlier in the year. The Life Education Van has been spreading the word on healthy lifestyle choices and Personal Development topics for many years. They have an upgraded programme and it is still amazing to watch the children react to Harold. Even some of the older children still think twice as to whether he actually does live in his van! For this week’s visit, children K-4 only will be visiting as our seniors took part in an Interrelate programme back in Term 1.

There are still many notes that have to come back to school. We did use notes for Term 1 but even those haven’t been returned yet. Money too needs to be in please for those who didn’t pay earlier in the year.

Tree Problem
Through next week or so you may notice one of the stringy bark trees has disappeared from our front fence line. It has been interfering with water pipes that run along the fence and there is also a gas line close by…the advice was to remove it, so unfortunately that has to happen. It is a shame but we will replant something without a big root system in that area. Any suggestions?

Christmas Message
NEXT THURSDAY [Dec.3] the children will be part of a Christmas Scripture message from Roy Cowan. This is for all children K-6, starting 9:25. If you elect your child not to be part of this please let us know.
Now it really is starting to feel like the end of year!

Come and have a clothing rummage
We have lots of lost clothing here at school. Some of the clothing includes great jumpers and new tops. Please come in and have a rummage around, to see if they belong to your child. Any left overs will go to the Op Shop over the holidays.
If you have any older uniforms also that are no longer worn, we would appreciate school t-shirts, shorts or pants for our pool of second hand and emergency clothing. It would be appreciated.

So the countdown might have begun in some families. There are still lots of activities to happen such as end of year celebrations that need permission notes returned or information spread.
Don’t forget our Special graduation from Transition Assembly on Monday Dec. 7th – starting 2pm.

Enjoy the week ahead leading into Summer…..

Chat time……
Please feel free to contact the office to arrange a suitable time to chat about any concerns or questions you may have, or if more convenient please email me at: jane.cottee@det.nsw.edu.au

Assembly Awards

KCT
Emilia Little-Albarracin—Excellent effort in reading.
Analissa Spek—Being a helpful and cooperative class member.

1-2 LP
Juwarn Williams—Being a good helper.
Mudhra Williams—Excellent Artwork.

3-4 CO
Jayden Faint—Great improvement in handwriting
Brianna Holmes—Settling into school well.

3-4 JC
Eliza Thurgate—Wonderful effort in all areas.
Jaxon Olive—Great effort in Numeracy.

5-6 MM
Izak Welch—Working well in Numeracy
Caitlin Writer—Excellent Numeracy work.

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Christmas is on it’s way—find those tree decorations!!!
Reminders:

Year 6 Graduation
Year six parents and carers may purchase their tickets for the Graduation Dinner from the Front Office. $15.00 per student and $20.00 per adult.

Life Education Van
For those who haven’t sent in a permission note or paid could you please send this in to the office as soon as possible.

Book Club
Book Club orders to be returned to the office by Friday 27th November as the order will be sent on Monday 30th November.
Transition Room

A few photos from activities in the Transition Room over the year. These will be some of our Kindergarten students next year.