WELCOME !!!!!!!!

As always at the start of a new year we have hit the ground running. We would like to extend a big welcome to all our new families and a welcome back to our existing families. Please be patient with us as it takes us a couple of weeks to get things sorted and stabilised. Although if you have any queries please feel free to see the ladies in the office and they will endeavour to follow up on your concerns.

New Principal - As you all are aware we start this year with our new Principal Mrs Jayne Schmarr. Please introduce yourself to her if you see her about the school as she would like to like get to know not only our students and staff but also our parent community.

Kindergarten Photos Tomorrow Friday 30th - Each year Master School Portraits come to our school and take a photo of each of our new Kindergarten students. This is a free service and your child will receive their photo in the near future.

Yr 6 Buddy System - This year we are having a buddy system where Yr 6 will be assisting our Kindergarten children to become familiar with their new school.

Leaders Assembly - Our first assembly will be held Tuesday 10th at 2.10pm in the school hall, this assembly will be dedicated to the induction and pinning of badges on our new school leaders. We will also be presenting our first lot of class awards.

Swimming Carnival - The swimming carnival will be held next Thu 5th February a note with all of the details will be sent home tomorrow. The carnival is open to all children 8yrs and above that can competently swim 33mtrs (one length of Branxton Pool).

Book Packs - Hopefully our book packs will be handed out sometime next week when we have been able to finalise our class structures. If you would still like to purchase a book pack please see the ladies at the office as soon as possible.

School Hats - Please note, it is compulsory for all students to wear a school bucket hat, it is not necessary for you to buy a new one if last years is still in good condition, we would not ask parents to replace items that are still perfectly good.

School Photos - Just a reminder that school photos will be on Wed 4th March we will send out the envelopes as soon as they are available. The average cost is approximately $30.00.

New School Fence - As you would aware we now have our new fence/gates installed. Access is still available at all times via the front gate of the school. Please ensure you close the gate with the padbolt when you enter and exit. Many thanks.

P & C News
Canteen - The canteen will reopen next Wednesday 4th February
Uniform Shop - Will be open tomorrow morning (Friday) 8.30am - 12.00 midday and Monday 8.30 to 12.00

Dates to Remember
Swimming Carnival - Next Thursday 5th February.
Ka-u-ma Play 2 Learn Playgroup - Monday 9th February in the School Hall 9.30am - 11.30am.
Assembly - Tuesday 10th February
School Photos - Wednesday 4th March