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Welcome Back
We would like to welcome all of our families back to school after a very well deserved break. This term both classes will be studying science units. The Infants Class will be looking at “On the Move”, a unit about friction, and the Primary Class will be studying a unit called “It’s Electrifying”. We will be participating in Swimming Scheme, Fizzics Ed and attending the SHYAC performance of ‘Conundrum!’ We would like to thank the Whatman and the Shields families for looking after the chickens during the holidays.

School Performance Night
We would like to congratulate all of the children for their fantastic performances at the end of last term. It was wonderful to see a performance that allowed all of our students to shine. We would like to thank the parents and the community for coming along to support the children and providing us with such a delicious supper. We would also like to thank Luminous Entertainment for the use of their lighting and sound equipment and acknowledge the wonderful work of the staff for their wonderful organisation, creativity and direction of the play.

Newsletter Attachments
- P and C Agenda
- Term Planner

The Partners in Learning Parent Feedback Survey
Our school will also be participating in the Partners in Learning parent survey, another part of the Tell Them From Me suite of surveys (student, teacher and parent surveys) on student engagement. The survey asks parents and carers questions about different factors that are known to impact on student wellbeing and engagement. Running this survey will help our school understand parents’ and carers’ perspectives on their child’s experience at school. These include: communication between parents/carers and staff, activities and practices at home and parent/carer views on the school's support of learning and behaviour. This valuable feedback will help our school make practical improvements.

The survey is conducted entirely online at home or on public computers. The survey will typically takes 15 minutes or less to complete and is completely confidential. The parent survey will be conducted between now and 16 October. Participating in the survey is entirely voluntary, however, your responses are very much appreciated.

To log on to the survey go to www.tellthemfromme.com and use the randomly generated user name and password attached to your newsletter.

New Painting
During the holidays our toilets were painted with an anti-mould paint. They look lovely and bright and will be a much nicer facility for the children to use.

P and C Meeting
Our next P and C meeting will be held on Friday at 2 pm. An agenda is attached to this week’s newsletter. If you would like to add anything, please email Carmel.
Mittagong Blue Light Disco
Venue: Mittagong RSL
Date: Saturday 31st October
Times: 4pm to 6:30 pm
Cost: $5.00 per child 4 – 14 years
Parents and children under 4 free.