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Dear families,

SCHOOL PICNIC

Tomorrow, a school picnic will be held on the oval from 2:00-2:30pm. We encourage all families to attend and enjoy the last part of term 1 together. There will be adjusted times for classes during the day and students will not eat lunch before going out to play at 1:30pm. Teachers will take students to the oval at 2:00pm and families can join in. We do ask that families only share food within the same family in case of food allergies. At 2:30pm students will be dismissed from school - parents can collect students from the oval when they have finished lunch.



PARENT BEHAVIOUR

Earlier this year I shared new Department policy about parent behaviour, with a particular focus around acceptable and unacceptable behaviour. The school has received some upsetting news that parents are approaching students/staff/parents in an aggressive manner.

This behaviour is not acceptable and will not be tolerated. As a school we promote respect to all our students, and it is the expectation that all who attend or visit our school will do the same. Schools are positive places of learning where everyone has the right to be safe and happy. Negative behaviour from parents affects students, staff and other parents.

Parents who behave in this manner will not be allowed back onto the school grounds. If there are concerns about students/staff/other parents, the right step forward is to contact us and work with us to resolve the concerns. Parents who are aggressive verbally or physically to students will not be allowed access to the school.

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT

This week our School Improvement Team completed an end of term review. This meeting is held with leadership partners from the Department of Education and reviews our current curriculum, student engagement and inclusion, and teacher development to meet the needs of our school. We also discuss the future direction of Cranbourne Park for term 2.

This meeting was a huge success. Feedback from the Department leaders including the Area Director were all positive. The success of our school in such a short time of one term has been nothing short of amazing. Student learning continues to improve, engagement levels are increasing and the new curriculum and school-wide processes are proving fruitful.

As we work towards term 2 there will be a strong focus on the following areas:

- continuing the curriculum delivery and teacher development,
- student attendance will become a major area to engage students and
- the wellbeing and inclusion approach to develop consistency across all levels of the school.

We look forward to sharing the success of term 2.

Ross Carlson
Principal