Dear Parents/Caregivers,

**P&C Meeting.** October’s meeting has been rescheduled to 1.45pm Thursday 30th October in the Library Conference Room. We apologise for the late notice for this change of date. Please come along and become involved in the discussions and decision making for ways to continue to improve our school. We would love to see you there. 😊

**Year 6 & 7 Graduation Dinner** will be held at the RSL Ipswich on Wednesday 10th December at 6pm. Students will be paid for by the P&C. Parents/Step-Parents/Guardians will cost $40 per person. **Please return your attendance & special dietary forms with $5 deposit per adult by Friday 31st October.** All money must be paid by Friday 28th November.

**Year 6/7 Camp** will be held at Edmund Park Adventure Education from Wednesday 19th November to Friday 21st November. The camp medical & permission form and asthma management plan (if needed) **MUST** be returned to the Office by Wednesday 29th October as these forms will need to be sent to Edmund Park. The cost per child is $240. **Full payment is required by Wednesday 12th November.**

**Swimming** information is being distributed again, please see the back of this newsletter. Please return the permission form and payment to the office as soon as possible.

**LOTE** for Year 6/7 at Ipswich State High School on Thursday 30th October and 6th November.

**MONSTER BOOK SALE!** Thursday 30th October & 6th November in the Library before school, at lunch time and after school. All books are $2. Remember to bring your money and snap up some great bargains!

**Thought for the day:** "Every great achievement was once considered impossible." ~ Author Unknown

Jan Barton
Principal
Swimming will be held this term on the following Fridays: 7, 14, 21, 28 November, 5 December at Karalee State School’s pool. The students will be transported to and from the pool by bus.

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During their sessions the students will participate in:
- learn to swim classes
- stroke development classes
- safety and survival lessons.

Students will need to bring:
- swimmers – with a rash vest or a T-shirt
- goggles are recommended but are optional.
- towel
- sunscreen

Banksia and Wollemi classes will need at least 2 parents who are prepared to get into the water with their class.

The cost of swimming will be $3.00 per child per lesson. If everyone pays $15 per child whether your child swims every week or not, this will keep the costs down for everyone.

Swimming Permission Form

I do / do not give permission for my child/ren………………………………………………………………… to attend swimming lessons.

I am able to help supervise the …………………………………(class) swimming sessions.

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Parent/Carer (name)                                       Signed                       Date