30 November 2016

Dear Parents/Caregivers

To celebrate the end of the school year, all children in K-2 will be joining in a special Christmas Celebration on Tuesday, 13th December. On this day, children are allowed to come to school in mufti/Christmas clothes, however shoulders need to be covered and closed-in shoes worn.

A special visitor will be coming in the afternoon. During the day students will watch G rated movies and are invited to bring a small cushion or pillow with them.

Childhood is a time of learning. Children who grow up in families that enjoy a variety of nutritious foods are more likely to make their own healthy choices as they get older. This year we will be having a focus on healthy eating and fun physical activity; as such we are asking that lollies and sugary food be avoided.

Some suggested foods include:

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<td>chopped bananas</td>
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Each teacher will supply all plates, cups and serviettes. Due to some students having allergies to nuts and eggs, we ask that nut or egg products are avoided.

If your child has any food allergies or intolerances, please complete the form below and hand it back to your child’s teacher.

Thank you for supplying the fruits and vegetables for the Christmas party. The children will have a fun and memorable day.

Yours sincerely,

Mr. Jake Ross
Classroom Teacher

Mrs Kathy Browne
Principal

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K-2 Christmas Party

My child ____________________ from class __________ should not eat the following foods: ____________________ Allergy ____________________
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RESPONSIBLE PET EDUCATION PROGRAM

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

On Friday 9 December, a team from the Responsible Pet Education Program of NSW will visit classes from Kindergarten, Year 1 and Year 2.

The presenter and her dog, will discuss issues about owning a pet and responsibilities such as playing with dogs, identification tags, yearly vaccinations and visiting the vet.

They will also highlight safety around animals including:
- the rules of what to do if you see or are approached by an angry dog
- what to do if you see a scared dog
- what to do if you see a dangerous dog
- happy dogs
- the times when you do not pat a dog, including your own
- not to be cruel to or tease a dog
- how to say hello to a dog safely.

There is NO CHARGE for this incursion. All students will attend, however, please use this form to communicate any special circumstances for your child, of which teachers need to be aware.

Yours sincerely

Miss Elizabeth Woodhouse
Classroom Teacher

Mrs Kathy Browne
Principal

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I understand that my child ______________________ from class _____ will attend a session as part of the Responsible Pet Education Program of NSW.

It will be held in the school hall on Friday, 9th December. There is no charge for this presentation.

Does your child have an allergy to dogs?  Yes / No

Is your child likely to be fearful of this experience?  Yes / No

Comments:

______________________________________ Date

Parent/Caregiver’s signature