



Korakonui School

Rooms 1, 2 and 4

February 4th 2013

Dear Parents and Caregivers

Welcome back to Term 1, 2013. We hope you have had a wonderful time with your families over the holiday break. A special welcome to Miss Louise Dreyer who will be teaching in Room 2. Louise is very excited to be beginning her teaching career at Korakonui School. All of our students are keen to be back at school today which is great. We have another busy term planned for our students.

Our focus this term is around literacy especially reading and we have a guest author, a storyteller and other visitors coming to school this term. We will be continuing with Gaye Byer's writing programme and we look forward to further extending our students writing abilities, which is very exciting.

Maths is another focus. This term we will begin with number followed by statistics.

For our fitness and physical education programmes we will be swimming daily so please make sure your child has their togs and towel at school every day. Our school swimming sports and our junior swimming display will be on Friday 1st March. Your child will also be having four swimming lessons with a qualified coach during their swimming time. Our annual school triathlon will be on Friday 27th March.

Homework will be coming home shortly after the teachers have completed their testing and gathered their data on your child.

The Junior Team will be going on a school trip this term and more details will be sent home later in the term.

This Thursday 7th February we look forward to seeing you at our 'Meet the Teachers' evening in the Multi- Purpose Room.

On Friday 15th February we will be having our annual Family River Picnic. More details will be in our weekly newsletter.

A programme for four year olds continues this term. The first session will be on Wednesday 13th February at 1.30pm in the library. All four year olds are welcome.

Once again please don't hesitate to contact Louise, Magda or myself with any queries you may have.

Kind Regards

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