Relieving Principal’s Message

Well here we are - 41 newsletters later and it’s the last day of the school year for 2015. It is such a cliché but really where has it gone? I used my Presentation day speech to recap our key achievements so instead I will use this newsletter to say some goodbyes, some thank you’s and to include as many amazing quotes as I can. After all, it is my last newsletter as Relieving Principal.

Mrs Pearce and Mrs Wells will not be returning to the role of classroom teacher in 2016 so I would like to say thank you for your commitment, hard work and dedication. We wish you both well for 2016.

“A teacher takes a hand, opens a mind and touches a heart”

Mrs Michelle Benson has accepted a position for 6 months as a “Business as Usual Support Analyst”. We wish Michelle well in this role and know she will take to it her vast knowledge in the workings of the new financial and managements systems rolling out to all schools in 2016. When she returns in Term 3 2016 we are confident she will have all of the answers to all of the questions! “You never know how far you can fly until you spread your wings”

To the graduating class of 2015 - I wish you well for your future endeavours. Go forward and make your mark on this world. As I said in my Year 6 farewell speech:

“\textit{This is the beginning of a new day. You have been given this day to use as you will. You can waste it or use it for good. What you do today is important because you are exchanging a day of your life for it. When tomorrow comes, this day will be gone forever and in its place is something that you have left behind … let it be something good.”}
Relieving Principal’s Message

I’ve had many people question me in recent weeks as to my plans for 2016 and beyond. As at midday yesterday I had written a different ending to this newsletter. However, it is with excitement that I can now write I will be Relieving as Deputy Principal at Dalmeny Public School for Terms 1-3 in 2016 with the possibility of extension. I was offered this position Wednesday after the submission of an Expression of Interest and interview. Whilst a large part of my heart is at Thirlmere for me professionally it is time to spread my wings. So to the students, staff and parents of this wonderful school I’d like to say thank you. Thank you for the opportunity to lead you in 2015 as the Relieving Principal. I have had so many amazing moments– from the smiles, daily greetings, celebrations of achievement, conversations and questions to the words of encouragement and support I have received in abundance of late. This year will go down as one of the greatest of my career (so far).

From my family to yours I wish you the merriest of Christmases; may there be love and laughter in your stockings.

Selena Gandy
Relieving Principal
2015
THIRLMERE PUBLIC SCHOOL UNIFORM SHOP
PRICE LIST/ORDER FORM 2015

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Child’s Name _____________________ Year/Class ___________________

Contact Name _____________________ Contact No: ________________

Please tick option for collection: Payment options are cash/cheque

I will collect from school         ☐

Please deliver to my child’s class ☐

I will collect from the uniform shop ☐
January 2016

SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

Wollondilly

Movie Bus trip
Thursday 14th January
*Times and movie may change closer to date*
For: 8-18 year olds
(parents and carers welcome)
Cost: $6.50 for movie
+ $1.50 each candy bar item
Spots are limited.
For details ring Tegan 46832776

T-Shirt Screen Printing Workshop
Tuesday 19th January
10am—12pm
Tahmoor Youth Hub
For: 11—18 year olds
Cost: Free
One T-shirt provided or bring your own.
For details and bookings
ring Tegan 0427488599

Skate park BBQ
Wednesday 20th January
12pm—1pm at Tahmoor
2pm—3pm at Bargo
Cost: Free
Grab a sausage sizzle
and find out about youth activities
For details ring Tegan 0427488599

Recording Studio
Thursday 21st January
Tahmoor Youth Hub
2pm—4pm—Recording Studio
For: 11-18 year olds
Cost: Free
Learn how to record music in a recording studio. No prior knowledge needed.
For details ring Luke 0427488599

Guitar Lessons
For: 11—18 year olds
Cost: Free
When: Ring Luke to make an appointment 0427488599
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