Dear Parents,

I can’t believe that it is already the fourth week into this term. We have had a busy fortnight at Prairievale Public School and we are looking forward to the up and coming events for the rest of the term.

Next week our Kindergarten Orientation program will begin. I’m looking forward to meeting all of our new students and their families. The orientation program will run for 3 weeks.

Thursday 6 November  Parents and children attend
Thursday 13 November  Children only
Thursday 20 November  Children only

These sessions run from 9:30am –10:30am. Mrs White will be available to assist with uniform orders on these days. Letters have been sent home this week to all students who are enrolled for Kindergarten in 2015.

Next P&C meeting
Tuesday 11th November 2014 at 2pm
Rotary Club Dinner
We were very fortunate this year for our School Captains, Nadia Artinian and Desmond Hwang, to represent our school at the annual Rotary Club Dinner. Mrs Hird and Mrs Lawrence attended the event with our students at Lansvale Sports club where they were shown some very interesting animals.

Sun Safety
It is that time of year again where the days are becoming hotter. It is important for all students to wear their school hat during these hot months when playing in the sun. Students are also encouraged to bring plenty of drinks to school especially on those warmer days.

Kindergarten Excursion
Just a reminder that Kindergarten students will be attending the Manly Sea Life Sanctuary on Friday 7 November. Please return the permission note and money to the front office. It will be a fantastic day visiting the penguins and seeing all the sea creatures.
**Dental Clinic**

The dental clinic visited our school last week. It was such a successful program that the clinic needed to return back to Prairievale this week to ensure that all students who had completed their forms were seen. We thank the dental clinic for providing this service to our families.

**PDHPE lessons**

Each year through our Personal Development, Health and Physical Education (PDHPE) units students are taught child protection lessons. These lessons build a child’s understanding of how to identify safe and unsafe situations and provide them with strategies on how to protect themselves. If you require further information please see your child’s classroom teacher.

**Jump Rope for heart**

Just a reminder that our school is participating in the Jump Rope for Heart fundraiser. The Jump Off Day is on Wednesday 12 November. Many of our students have been practising their skipping skills in the playground during lunch and recess. It is a fantastic fundraiser for the school and we would love everyone to be involved. Happy Skipping!

**Daniel Morcombe Day**

On Tuesday 4 November the school will be a part of the Day for Daniel. Children are asked to wear a red piece of clothing on this day. The day is to promote the awareness about child safety and protection. It aims to help empower our children to ‘Recognise, React and Report’ if they feel something is not right.
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NRMA Science & Road Safety Day

On Wednesday 22 October the students took part in the NRMA Science and Road Safety Day. Some of our parents also attended the day. Students learnt about road safety in particularly about wearing a helmet. It is important for those students who come to school on a scooter or bike that

PRAIRIEVALE PS 2015

We will not be returning to Prairievale PS in 2015.

Student’s name(s) ____________________________________________
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New School ________________________________________________
Please return to the office as soon as possible
Students in K/1B love maths
Come Along to Coffee Club

Every Friday from 9:00am we host a coffee club for our parents and community members. Everyone is welcome to attend. Each week we discuss and learn something new. Recently we learnt how to make a ‘Filo Pastry Baklava’ and last week we made children’s hair ribbons. Each week is different. We would love to see you there. If you need any additional information please see the front office.
October

Friday 31  National Bandana day

November

Monday 3  Life Education/ Healthy Harold begins
Thursday 6  Kindergarten orientation
Friday 7  Kindergarten excursion
Thursday 13  Kindergarten orientation
Thursday 20  Kindergarten orientation
Thursday 27  K-2 Opera House excursion

December

Thursday 4  Year 6 Farewell
Wednesday 10  Presentation Day
Monday 15  Mini Fete