From the Principal

Engadine Band Festival
Good luck to all the members of our Advanced Band as they compete tomorrow at the Engadine Band Festival in Kogarah. Mrs Carter will accompany our Advanced and Training Bands to the festival. They will be met at the Festival by Mr Dunan. The bus leaves promptly at 8:20am and will return by 2:30pm. It is pleasing to hear the bands develop throughout the year. Tomorrow’s Festival allows our students to showcase their skills and expertise.

Dance Festival
Last Wednesday, I was a very proud Principal as I watched our wonderful Year 2 Dance Group perform “The Very Hungry Caterpillar” at the Illawarra Performing Arts Centre. Congratulations to Ms Griffiths and Miss King and our 20 very hungry caterpillars. It was indeed a privilege to watch our group perform. Well done everyone.

P & C
Tonight’s P & C Meeting will be held in the staffroom at 6:30pm. This is an earlier time than normal, due to the State of Origin game. (Go the Blues!)

Invoices
This term’s invoices will be re-sent out today. Please help us by forwarding any monies due by no later than Thursday 26 June – the last money collection day for the term.

Gold Assembly
Next Wednesday, 25th June at 10:30am, the students who have received their Gold Awards will receive them at the special Gold Assembly for Term 2. We look forward to celebrating their achievement with their family and friends.

Student Performance
On Friday 20th June, at our assembly at 12:15pm, 1/2A and 1/2K will be the “special performers”. We hope that you can join us for their special item. Assembly is generally 12:15 to 1:15 every second Friday in even weeks of the term. Everyone is welcome to attend.
**Author Visit**
Last week, we had a visit from well known children’s author Belinda Murrell and Illustrator Serena Geddes. Belinda has written over 20 books. Belinda spoke to our students about writing. She was both entertaining and inspiring. Many thanks to Mrs Ekroyd (Library) who organized this visit.

**School Reports**
School reports for K-6 will be sent home with all students on Tuesday 24 June.

It seems like yesterday that it was just the end of last term. We have had a short but extremely busy term! Just one more week to go. The last day for students will be Friday 27 June. School will resume for students on Tuesday 15 July.

Have a good week

*Lee Venables*

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**What’s Due?**

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**Save the Date**

**Education Week – 28 July to 1 August**
**School Open Day 30 July 2014**