Welcome back. We trust you had a happy and safe holiday and look forward to working together in Term 2.

**School Photographs**
Individual and class photographs will be taken on Wednesday 22 April. Students are asked to wear uniform as listed below for their photos. If you would like to have a family group photo taken on this day please return the pink order form and money to school in a separate envelope.

**Girls:**
- White polo shirts – tucked in
- Checked skirt or dress
- White socks, black shoes with black laces

**Boys:**
- White polo shirts – tucked in
- Grey shorts or grey long pants
- White/grey socks, black shoes with black laces

**ANZAC Day Assembly**
Parents are invited to attend the ANZAC Day commemorative assembly at 10:15am on Thursday 23 April in the school Hall. The captains will deliver the commemorative address and the Senior Choir will perform. (Choir members are expected to wear full choir uniform.)

**Girls:**
- Winter check skirt, white shirt with school logo
- Short white ankle socks and black school shoes
- Hair is to be tied back or clipped off face with black, white or maroon accessories

**Boys:**
- Long grey pants, white shirt with school logo
- Grey socks and black school shoes
- Hair neat and tidy

*Students from years 2-6 are invited to attend the Queanbeyan City ANZAC Day ceremony at 10am on Saturday 25 April.*

**Staff Development Day**
Teachers participated in a variety of professional learning activities yesterday. Some teachers worked in teams at school to enhance understanding in planning and programming for technology and science. Others attended a combined schools day at EPIC that aimed to promote the sharing of expertise and encourage interaction and dialogue between schools.

**Easter Hat Parade**
On Thursday 2 April Kindergarten students participated in the Easter Hat Parade. The girls and boys had a wonderful time sharing some of the songs and dances they have learnt and ‘showing off’ their Easter hats. Many parents and family members stayed and enjoyed morning tea with the children and teachers. This celebration was a great end to term one and a great start to the holidays. As one excited student said, ‘You are just going to love my hat.’ And I did!
Year 6 Camp

On 31 March, seventy-eight enthusiastic Year 6 students waved their friends and families goodbye as they headed to camp for three days and two nights of exhilarating outdoor activities. The weather gods looked down kindly as the two buses left and headed down the Monaro Highway to Camp Cooba. One group went straight to the Snowy Mountains River for a day of expert raft building and canoeing while the other group was delivered to Cooba Sport and Recreation Centre where they completed a variety of outdoor activities such as: the assault course, the buggies, the Big Swing and bush games. Student participation in all activities was high and with the wise words of Mrs Jennaway ringing in their ears the students (and even the brave and fearless teachers) had a go at everything and ‘Just did it!’ An awesome time was had by all.

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