Hello everyone,

We have a super busy week coming up with Book Week and our mini Olympics day. We are looking forward to all the fun we will be having!

Next week is Book Week and there will be a special assembly Monday morning to show off our costumes and talk books. Make sure your child dresses up as their favourite book character so they can get in on the fun.

We are very lucky to have Leo Juliff from Prep K (Miss Byron) bringing his Nan along Tuesday morning, to share with us her knowledge and skills as an Illustrator. We will get to see some amazing pictures she has done and will have her guide us in drawing something special.

Even more fun to be had with our mini Olympics day on Wednesday, 24th August. The students will participate in 8 events over the course of the day, earning points for their sports house. Please ensure your child wears their house colour on the day.

Whales - Blue  Stingrays - Yellow  Sharks - Red  Dolphins - Green

Just a reminder to all parents to please send a smock for your child for some fun with paint in their Art class.

Lucky Miss Fry is going on an adventure for the last three weeks of term. During this time Prep Fry will have Mrs Findlay, who is an experienced Prep teacher. Miss Fry will be back, all relaxed and rejuvenated, ready for Term 4.

Thank you.

The Prep Team.

**WRITING:**
We are learning to:

- Write recounts.
- Spell high frequency words.
- Use capital letters, full stops and spacing.
- Write and make the sounds of ‘Q’ and ‘U’.

**READING:**
We are learning to:

- Find details and the main idea.
- Identify beginning and ending sounds.
- Pause after full stops, question marks and exclamation marks.
- Listen for interesting words.
- Read smoothly.

**MATHS:**
We are learning to:

- Represent practical situations to model addition.
- Count forwards and backwards and skip count by 2s, 5, and 10s.
- Answer yes/no questions to collect and display simple data using pictures and then interpret data.