Well done to all students for settling back into the new term so quickly. We have so many terrific things planned so please check school bags to make sure you don’t miss information coming home.

Swim School for students in Years 2-6 starts on Monday, 26th October for a fortnight. If your child received a note, please return it as soon as possible so that we know how many spare places we have to offer other children. I stress that this is a Department of Education program targeting non-swimmers and weaker swimmers in Years 2-6. These students must have priority for the available places. If your son or daughter is attending the Year 5/6 camp this term and they are a non-swimmer or a weak swimmer, I would strongly encourage you to send them to Swim School prior to their week away at Berry Sport and Recreation Centre. If you have any questions regarding Swim School, please speak to Mrs Sharwood.

Thank you to the parents who were able to join us last night at our P&C meeting. It is a great way to stay in touch with what is happening at school. We know how busy our families are so we aim to finish our meetings in an hour! Our next P&C meeting will be in Week 6 on Tuesday, 10th November and we look forward to welcoming both new and current parents to the final meeting for 2015.

Charmian Cribb
Principal

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**P & C - STOP PRESS!!**

- Are you interested in finding out about Healthy Eating in schools? Our canteen coordinator, Mrs Vicky Noble, will be attending a one day conference in Yass on Tuesday, 27th October, 2015. If you are interested in joining her to find out how we can make our healthy canteen even better, please contact Vicky on 0413 183 201. It was considered a very informative day last year.

- Crazy Camel orders are due by Friday, 23rd October at the latest. Please check later in this newsletter for order and payment details.
**P & C CRAZY CAMEL FUNDRAISER**

- The P & C has extended the date for the return of Crazy Camel orders.
- All orders and payments must be enclosed in a separate envelope, clearly marked ‘P&C Crazy Camel fundraiser’ and returned to school by **Friday 23rd October** please.
- Please note: As this is a P&C fundraiser, online payments are not available. Cheques should be made payable to Goulburn East P&C Association.

**PIE DRIVE**

- Order forms and correct money should be placed in a separate envelope clearly marked ‘Pie Drive’
- Online payments cannot be made for pie orders
- Items that are sold in 1 dozen batches cannot be split
- Order forms and payment MUST be received at the office by Thursday morning 22nd October 2015. NO late orders can be accepted
- Orders are due to be delivered back to school the following week on Wednesday 28th October. Delivery time is usually around 10.30am. Please organise collection of your order as early as possible
- Spare order forms are available from the school office

**REMINDERS**

- Swim School – Monday 26th Oct to Friday 6th November (Yr 2 and above – selected students).
- Year 5/6 camp is now less than 5 weeks away! **Final payments are due by Friday 23rd October please.**
- Payments for swim school and instalments for camp can be paid online through the Parent Online Portal via the ‘Make a payment’ tab on the school webpage.

**Head Lice Alert**

We have had a report of head lice at school. Please ensure you check your child’s hair TODAY, and if you do find lice or eggs, please commence treatment straight away. A follow-up treatment will also be necessary within seven days to eliminate any newly hatched lice.

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**Canteen Meal Deals for Friday 16th October 2015**

All meal deals are $4 and include a drink (water, juice, or flavoured milk) and a vanilla yoghurt with berries.

**Meal Deal 1:** Homemade spaghetti bolognaise
**Meal Deal 2:** Hot dog with sauce

Orders should be written on a paper bag and include name, class, order and correct money. Students should place their lunch order in the box outside Mrs Robinson’s room on Friday morning.

This week’s canteen helpers are: Bevan and Monica Bridge