Welcome to this week’s newsletter. Our school continues to be as busy and vibrant as ever. The Leadership Forum I attended last week in Dubbo was an interesting and informative experience. The keynote speaker, Dean Fink, had much to say about leadership in schools and has left me feeling positive about the direction of education in NSW.

You will find our draft “Kindergarten Transition Policy” attached to this newsletter. It is a requirement of the DEC for schools to regularly review their policies to ensure compliance with current standards. This policy is only in the draft stages and I encourage you to read the policy and send me any feedback you may have. This may seem unusual. In previous years it would have been the role of the P&C to represent the community in ratifying this policy. However, as we no longer have a functioning P&C I have put the policy out to the wider community for consultation. I would appreciate feedback before Friday 31st August after which this will become the official school policy.

Did you know?

Missing a few minutes of school each day may not seem like a big deal but your child may be missing out on important lessons and information if he or she is continually late.

Joke’s of the Week!

Did you hear About the magic car?
It turned into the driveway.
Where does an elephant keep its luggage?
In its Trunk.

Star of the Week
Wk. 4  William
Wk. 5  Zachary
"Birthday Boy"
ZAC
Flags of Australia

Australian Flag
Aboriginal Flag
Flag of Queensland
Flag of South Australia
Flag of Tasmania
Flag of Territory
Flag of ACT
Flag of Victoria
Flag of NSW
Flag of Western Australia
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Map of Australia

Capital cities of Australian States and Territories:
- New South Wales (NSW): Sydney
- Victoria (VIC): Melbourne
- Queensland (QLD): Brisbane
- South Australia (SA): Adelaide
- Western Australia (WA): Perth
- Tasmania (TAS): Hobart
- Australian Capital Territory (ACT): Canberra
- Northern Territory (NT): Darwin

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