Dear Parents/Guardians/Community Members,

Congratulations to all the students who participated in the swimming carnival. Well done to the Eagles house for their efforts in retaining the house trophy. The age champions for the carnival were as follows:

Junior Girl: Elie Hughes
Junior Boy: Harrison Foster
11yrs Girl: Laura Toscan
11yrs Boy: Jai Morgan-Murray
Senior Girl: Aisha Tomkinson
Senior Boy: Brad Gilbert

Students who have qualified for the Griffith Zone carnival on the 26th February will receive a note home today.

Thank you to all those people who came to our carnival to support the kids. Special thank you to those parents who performed time keeping duties, without your continuing help our carnivals wouldn’t be possible.

FRIDAY ASSEMBLY

The first assembly for 2015 will be held this Friday the 13th February at 9:15am in the hall.

CHANGE OF DETAILS – 2015

Have you changed your address, home phone number, mobile number or emergency contact details recently?

Coming home with the newsletter today is a student information update form.

If any of the contact details/allergy details for your child have changed please return the updated information form to your class teacher.

Your assistance in this matter is appreciated, as it allows us to have current details to contact you quickly in the case of an emergency and also be aware of any significant medical information regarding your child.

Richard Busby
Principal

P&C MEETING

The next P&C Meeting will be held this Friday 13th February after assembly in the library.

Everyone is welcome to attend. Any parents interested in volunteering and helping out in the canteen should attend this meeting.
EXPLAINING ABSENCES
Parents / Caregivers are required to explain the absences of their children from school promptly and within seven school days to the school.

These explanations can be:
- Verbal – including a phone call or a conversation with a member of school staff.
- Written – a doctor’s certificate or a letter from a parent explaining the absence.
- Electronic – an email explaining an absence to www.darlingtpt-p.school.nsw.edu.au

SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS / PARENT HELPERS
Darlington Point Public School is very fortunate to have outstanding parent support in assisting us to implement our many and varied school programs. This support is very important to us and is a key part of our partnership with parents and the community.

In accordance with the Child Protection (Working with Children) Act 2012 NSW the NSW Department of Education and Communities’ requires schools to have volunteers, (which includes parent helpers) complete a Working with Children Check.

This check is free of charge for volunteers but must be completed before entering into child-related work.
To complete a Working with Children check please follow the links at www.kidsguardian.nsw.gov.au

Star of the Week

Emily Carter

Emily is Star of the Week for Kindergarten this week. Emily has made a wonderful start to Kindergarten. She is a polite student who always uses her best manners. She is a friendly and helpful classmate and always tries her best in all classroom activities. Keep up the great effort Emily!
**UNIFORM PRICE LIST**

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**SCHOLASTIC BOOKCLUB**

Scholastic Bookclub Issue 1 is due back to the school by Monday 16th February. Anyone wishing to order is to place order form with correct money in an envelope and send in to the school office.

**KINDERGARTEN STUDENTS**

Students enrolled in Kindergarten this year will finish at 1.10pm on Wednesdays for the first 5 weeks of the term. From Week 6 they will attend school full time.

**COOLIBAH CAFÉ SCHOOL LUNCHES**

The Coolibah Café will be doing school lunches on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. Orders and money are to be handed to the school office by 9:15am. A menu is available in the school office.
STARS PERFORMING ARTS ACADEMY

Griffith’s Newest Studio
Will be starting dance lessons on this
Wednesday 11th Feb
@ Darlington Point Punt Hotel Hall
3.30pm to 4.30pm
Cheerleading/Jazz
4 to 7 year old $8.00 per class
All other ages $12.00 per class

For further information call
Jessica Forbes on 6964 3323

STUDENT BANKING
School Banking with the Commonwealth Bank will take place every Fridays. Please send money with your child’s bank book to the school office. If anyone is interested in school banking for their child, please contact the school for information.