Dear Parents and Families,

PE, BluEarth and SPORT (3-6 only) are held on a variety of days during the week. Teachers will send home a timetable over the next few weeks to let you know your child’s specific times. However, we sometimes require changes to the timetable at short notice. Therefore, please allow your child to have sport shoes either on their feet or in their bags each day. If possible, also please allow girls to wear bike shorts or sports nicks under their dresses, so that they can play and climb freely and without reserve.

School Council has approved a trial for a slight change to class times. It does not affect the school starting time or finishing time. 10 minutes has been taken from lunch recess and 10 minutes has been added to first recess. The primary reason for this change is that the Yard duty records were showing incidents with students not ‘getting along’ after 1:00 increased. Also, some students found the lunch recess too long in unstructured play time. The trial will last until the end of Term 2 when the yard duty data will be re-examined and students and staff will be consulted on the success, or otherwise, of the trial.

Bell goes for children to come in | 8:55
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First learning session | 9-11
First recess | 11:00-11:30 (ten minutes more than previously)
Second learning session | 11:30-12:30
Eating lunch inside or outside | 12:30-12:40
Lunch Play | 12:40-1:15 (10 minutes less than previously)
Third Learning session | 1:15-2:15
Afternoon Recess | 2:15-2:30
Fourth and final Learning session | 2:30-3:30
Dismiss | 3:30

If you missed the chance on Friday afternoon to see inside the new relocatable classrooms please feel welcome to inspect them this Friday afternoon after assembly.

Congratulations to our School Captains; Carli Jones, Reid Burgoyne, Casey Shields and Nicholas Reynolds on the magnificent facilitation of their first assembly.

Congratulations to our Semester 1 Junior School Councillors; Brodie Robertson (Grade 1), Mitchell Payne (Grade 2), William Ward (Grade 3), Ryan Green (Grade4), Kobi Mc Donald (Grade 5), Jazmyn Bryant (Grade6) and our School Captains.

Kind Regards, Pamela Heane