Dear Parents,

Thank you again for choosing Wallington Primary School. As the end of the year quickly approaches I wanted to direct you to a number of things that you should be aware of before the end of the year.

**Starting Date**
The Preps will commence on Thursday 31st January. The other Classes - 1 – 6 will commence on the 30th January. Tea and Coffee will be available in the Multipurpose Hall on Thursday 31st January at 9am for parents to meet one another.

Preps will have each Wednesday off until the week beginning 4th March.

**Christmas Picnic**
The Parents Club would like to extend the invitation to the 2013 Grade Preps and their parents, in an opportunity for them to get to know the current families attending Wallington PS.

The school picnic will be held on WEDNESDAY, 12th DECEMBER in the school grounds from 5pm onwards. BYO picnic. Santa will arrive at 6pm. Please leave a book wrapped and labelled for your child with a value up to $10.00 at the office.

**Location of Prep Classroom in 2013**
Getting to know the place
Please feel free to bring your child up to the school during the holidays to familiarize them with the school. Parents are reminded that they are responsible for the supervision of their children whilst on school property.

Michelle Hughes is organising a play date for the 2013 prep students. The date is set for 29th January at the basketball court behind the school at 12:30pm. BYO rug and picnic lunch. A notice will also be put on the noticeboard at the front of the school.

Early in the new school year the whole school gets together for a picnic. You will be notified about that via the newsletter.

Newsletters
These are available on the website. If you subscribe to the site (no charge) you get a system email notifying you when the newsletter has been put online and any other relevant information or notices.

I hope this information is useful. Please do not hesitate to call with any enquires you may have.

Leigh McLaren
Principal