

# NEWSLETTER

“Co-operation and Commitment”

July 27, 2017

*Happy 100 days of Prep*

*This term marked 100 days of learning in Prep. It is amazing to see how far our Preppies have come in just 6 months of school. Thank you to all the parents and carers who came to school to celebrate this milestone in our Prep learning journey. We enjoyed spending the morning with you.*

*We are all very proud of the preppies for all of the things that they have achieved. We look forward to the next 100 days!*



Swimming: Term 4

As you may be aware, Sunset State School offers **FREE** swimming lessons every week in terms 1 and 4 to students in our school who have achieved an overall attendance rate at school of 90% or better. I am writing to let all parents know that I have begun to check attendance rates at school for the year 2017 so far and all students who have achieved our standard of 90% attendance at school will soon be receiving an invitation from me to you and your child to attend our swimming program in Term 4 this year. Should you not receive an invitation for your child to attend swimming it may mean that your child has not met the Sunset standard of 90% attendance at school.

I would like to suggest the following if you do not receive an invitation for your child to attend swimming

- Check with your classroom teacher about your child's actual attendance at school for 2017
- Have your child at school every day for the next 6 weeks to improve their overall attendance so they are invited to swimming.

Quite a number of children are so close, having attendance rates at school well into the 80's but that is still not good enough to be included in our swimming program or such other events as school sport, excursions and camps.

I will be making final decisions about who attends swimming in Term 4 on **Friday, September 15:** plenty of time to improve any school attendance rates that need improving.

Should you have any questions about your child's attendance at school, or if there is anything the school can do to assist please contact me at the school on 44373444.

Regards,  
Bryon  
Principal.

## Thank You for a Fantastic PJ Day!

A big thankyou to all of the families that donated a gold coin and wore their pyjamas on Friday to help raise money for The Pyjama Foundation. A **MASSIVE thankyou** to all of our Sunset Teachers and Teacher Aides who kindly cooked and donated muffins to our muffin stand. We raised a total of \$380 dollars which will now go to the foundation to help children in foster care. Well done on another amazing Pyjama Day!



## SUNSET P & C RODEO FUNDRAISER



P & C will be raising money for the Year 1 and 2 playground.

Every year, we volunteer our time and services at the Mount Isa Rodeo, assisting with security and taking care of the grounds and facilities.

We will be volunteering from Friday 11 to Sunday 13 August. Every volunteer that completes a four (4) hour shift will get free entry into the Rodeo.

Please contact the school if you are interested in helping. Inductions will be held in the Library on 3<sup>rd</sup> August at 3.15 pm. Inductions must be completed by all volunteers.