Dear Parents of 2015 Year 4 & 5 students

Re: Senior School Canberra Camp - 2016

This is just a courtesy note so that you can plan your budget for 2016.

Following our many successful trips to Canberra, once again the Senior School camp in 2016 will be to Canberra. This camp is designed to complement and celebrate the term 3 inquiry unit focussing on leadership and government.

This camp will be held over 5 days, i.e. Term 4, Week 2 (Tuesday 11 October – Friday 14 October inclusive). We will be travelling to Canberra by plane & returning to Melbourne by coach. We will be staying in cabin style accommodation and whilst in Canberra, will be visiting some of Australia’s historical and politically significant sites as well as tourist attractions.

Places of interest may include:

- National Science & Technology Centre
- Telstra Tower on Black Mountain
- Electoral Education Centre
- Australian Institute of Sport
- National Museum
- National Gallery of Australia
- High Court of Australia
- Parliament House
- Australian War Memorial

In this very early stage of planning, an “approximate” cost for this camp is $680.00. This “approximate” cost is based on today’s prices and expected number of students to attend. As we plan to travel in October, in order to help with your budgeting for this camp, a non refundable deposit will be requested to be paid by 27 February 2016 and a payment plan will be provided over the following two terms.

More information about this camp will be provided at the Term 1 Senior School Information Evening which will be held mid Term 1. A notice advising you of the date/time for this information session, will be sent home early Term 1.

Craig McKenzie, Camp Co-ordinator