Dear Parents

All staff at Whitehorse Primary School are committed to helping foster a positive impression of school for your child and to ensuring an enjoyable and successful start. Children who will be starting school in 2013 are invited to share in the special “getting-to-know-you” and orientation sessions conducted in Terms 3 and 4.

**Term 3:**

**Information Evening**

Parents are invited to join Whitehorse staff to hear about our exciting programs and readiness for school. We warmly welcome you to bring any questions you may have regarding your child’s schooling.

**Date:**

- **Thursday July 26**
  - 7:00pm – 8:00pm

“**Stories at Whitehorse**” (Pre-school children)

All 4 year old kindergarten children are invited to a series of fun activities run by our staff. Whilst the sessions are in progress, parents are invited to join together for morning tea. This is a good opportunity to get to know about our unique programs and begin to develop strong networks with other parents.

**Dates:**

- **Thursday August 30**
  - 9:30am – 10:30am
- **Thursday September 13**
  - 9:30am – 10:30am

**Term 4:**

**Formal Transition**

Our comprehensive Transition Program exclusively for children enrolled for 2013, is designed to ensure each child becomes confident and comfortable with all aspects of the school. We encourage positive relationships between children and teachers, and introduce them to their Grade 6 buddies.

**Dates:**

1. **Thursday November 15**
   - 9:30am – 10:45am
2. **Thursday November 22**
   - 9:30am – 10:45am

**Prep in 2013 information Evening**

- **Thursday November 29**
  - 7:00pm – 8:00pm
  - **Thursday December 6**
    - 10:00am – 12:30pm

We look forward to meeting you,

_Kerry Wood_  
Principal

Marion Bird, Marcela Cotroneo and Peta Radda  
Prep Teachers