Welcome back to a very busy Term 2. I hope all our students and their families had an enjoyable and restful holiday. This newsletter is to remind our school community of the important things that need to be attended to urgently. Our fortnightly newsletters will commence from Week 2.

Camps for Years 5 and 6
A friendly reminder that all notes and payment for the Year 5 and Year 6 camps must be received by this Friday, 24 April, 2015. Final numbers will be calculated at the close of school on Friday. Should you need to discuss a payment plan, please contact Mr Kay before Friday. All permission notes and forms are available on our school website.

Activity Statements
All Activity Statements for students in Years 1-6 are due for payment by Thursday 23 April.

UNSW ICAS Competition
Summer Hill Public School will once again be offering the chance for your child to participate in the UNSW ICAS English and Mathematics Competitions. Your son/daughter will be bringing home this week a note for permission slip and payment for these two tests. They are optional. The permission note and payment are required by the school office by Friday 1st May. You can pay online, as usual, if that is your preference and return the note with your receipt number by this date. The school has to submit the order to ICAS shortly after this date, so unfortunately we cannot accept any late payments.

New date for P&C Meeting
Due to the inclement weather, the P&C meeting that was to be held on Tuesday 21 April has been postponed to next Tuesday, 28 April at 7.30pm in the Library. We will be discussing the Traffic Changes that will take place shortly (weather permitting) around the school and other important issues. All welcome.

Comedy for a Cause—P&C School Fundraiser
Have you booked your ticket yet? Tickets are just $35 and you get a great night out with some good laughs. Why not get a group together, have dinner at the club before the show. Invite your friends, relatives, work colleagues. Make it your Class Event for this term. Friday 22nd May @ 8pm Canterbury Hurlstone Park RSL
Tickets: http://www.trybooking.com/HCGM

ANZAC Assembly
Our special ANZAC assembly will be held this Friday 24 April @ 9.30am. I wish to thank Mr Kay and the students of 5TK for organising this assembly, as well as Ms Donna Ross, Ms Renee Adele, our Senior Choir, Musical Theatre Group, Charlie Boyd and our special guests from the Ashfield and Canterbury-Hurlstone Park RSL clubs for their contributions to this event.

OC Applications for 2016
Opportunity classes cater for highly achieving academically gifted students who may otherwise be without classmates at their own academic and social level. These schools help gifted and talented students to learn by grouping them with other gifted and talented students, teaching them in specialised ways and providing educational materials at the appropriate level. Applications for opportunity class placement are considered mainly on the basis of the Opportunity Class Placement Test results and school assessment scores. The Opportunity Class Placement Test will be held on Wednesday 22 July 2015. If you would like to have your child considered for Year 5 opportunity class entry in 2016, you need to do so soon. You will need to apply on the internet using a valid email address (not the student’s email address). Detailed instructions on how to apply online will be available from 27 April 2015 in a printed application information booklet and at www.schools.nsw.edu.au/ocplacement. The application website opens on 27 April 2015 and closes on 15 May 2015. No late applications will be accepted. There are no paper application forms. If you do not have internet access, you could apply at a public library. If you have a disability that prevents you from using a computer, you can contact the Unit for assistance after 27 April 2015. You must submit only ONE application for each student.