Welcome back everyone. What a busy term we have ahead. Firstly I would like to welcome two new students to our school, Zac and Luke Turnbull. Zac is in Year 3 and Luke is in Year 1. Both have settled in really well for their first few days. They are both really excited about starting at Upper Sandy Creek and we welcome them to our community.

This term we have a smorgasbord of extracurricular activities planned. Firstly the kids get to practice their leadership skills when the kinders come visiting. On Tuesday we had an awesome day with the kids from the Tangambalanga Childcare Kinder. Matilda, Jackson and Toby came for a half day of fun games and activities.

Our students were really great leading them through some PE games and also helping them to make their colourful mouse creations. A big thanks to Casey, Jenny and Brooke who took the time to bring the kids up to our school. We look forward to seeing them again. Next week Kiewa Kinder will be coming on Tuesday and then on Thursday the Tallangatta Kinder will come. Another two very busy days ahead for us all.

Over the next few weeks on Fridays we will be practicing for the Winter Sports Carnival on Friday the 31st of July. We will going down to meet up with Eskdale, Mitta and Tallangatta Valley schools at the Sandy Creek Oval for a few practice sessions beforehand. We also have our usual Blueearth sessions as well as our Skiing program commencing on Wednesday the 29th.

Unfortunately we had to cancel our planned working bee as it just got too wet. Thanks to those who bobbed up to offer help. We will reschedule it to a latter date.

Next Tuesday on the 21st we will be having a School Council Sub Meeting. This meeting will commence at 4.00pm. We will be covering a few topics around the school enrolments and or sustainability. We welcome anyone to come along to this meeting, it is not limited to School Council Members only. If you are interested in coming along and having a say, please come down.
WARRICK’S SOMERS EXPERIENCE.

Hi, my name is Warrick and recently I was really lucky to be able to go to Somers Camp. I would like to tell you some of the things I did.

Day 1
I got on the bus to leave for camp. When I got there they put us into groups and showed us around.

Day 2
We had rock climbing and abseiling first up which was fun. They were two of my favourite activities. We also did low ropes, it was great.

Day 3
I did orienteering which was good. We had partners and I enjoyed working with someone. I also did the high ropes course.

Day 4
We did archery which was really good and orienteering again. I was feeling a little bit homesick, but was looking forward to seeing Mum and Dad the next day.

Day 5
I did the flying fox. Wow, it was great. Then Mum and Dad came, that was very good to see them.

Day 6
I did bike education. We got to ride on a BMX track and learn about bike safety. I had lots of fun.

Day 7
I did orienteering again, only this time I did it alone.

Day 8
On this day we did the challenge swing which was great. They pulled you 18 metres into the air. You had to pull a rope that meant you fell and swang back really high.

Day 9
I got my stuff on the bus and we left for home.

That’s just a bit of what I did at Somers Camp. I would really recommend going because you will have loads of fun and excitement.

By Warrick.