Dungog High School

YEAR SIX ORIENTATION DAY Monday 5th December, 2011

Student and Parent information

All year six students and parents are invited to attend Orientation Day on Monday 5th December. The day is designed as an information presentation for both students and parents to help with the transition to high school. Please find below a program of the events for Monday

**Time:** 9:15 to 3:15

**Venue:** MPC

**Parking:** Parents wishing to park are requested to not park in the school bus bays. Limited spaces are available in the school car parks or suggested parking is on Eloiza Street or Common Road.

**Travel:** Year 6 Students may wish to travel to school on the school buses. Bus companies are aware this maybe the case.

**Program:**

**Period 1 & 2 9:15 – 10.27**

Welcome and introductions. Year 6 Students split into Peer Support groups

(Ms Gavin, Mr Dives, Mrs Bowen, *P&C Rep*, *Canteen Com*, Mrs Loveday, Local clergy rep. Uniform Shop Rep, uniform parade and Ms Rowley & Peer Support Program Facilitators).

 Parents – Morning tea (MPC),

**Recess 1** Year 6 students recess in science quad

**Period 3 and 4 (9.45 – 11.05)**

Year 6 students - Peer Support Activities in groups

Peer Support Facilitators Tour of school

**Recess 2** Year 6 students recess in science quad

**Period 5 and 6 (11.25 – 12.40)**

Year 6 students – Mini Lessons - Lessons will go for approx. 20 mins each.

Parents – Uniform Shop will be available and canteen for book pack sales.

Parents can return to collect students at 3.15 or students can catch buses home.

**Lunch 12:40 – 1:20**

**1: 20 – 3:10** Drama and Music Performances

**Conclusion** 3.15

Peer Support Facilitators take students to bus bay

From Dungog High

Hi, my name is Ms Gavin and as most of you now from your children already, I will be the Year 7 Year Advisor for 2012.I am looking forward to meeting all the parents when you come to the High School next week for Orientation Day. I have met with the students a couple of times now and am looking forward to being there for them over the coming years.

For some parents it will be a new adventure, for some of you an old adventure and for some it will be the last time that they will sit and listen to what can be expected of your child and what the school will provide for your child.

I am really looking forward to the Year 7 camp next year, when we will all get to know each other a little bit better. There will be loads of fun and great activities planned for us at The Great Aussie bush Camp.