**From the Principal**
Dear Parents and Guardians,

**Enrolment Intentions for 2014 Date extended to the 15th November**
Apart from Year 6 students, could parents/guardians who currently have children attending Wales Street and are planning to transfer at the end of this year please notify the school office by Friday 15th November. It is vital that we have accurate information as it greatly influences planning of class numbers and staffing for next year.

Yours faithfully
Christopher L. Sexton
Principal

**Active Travel group: Walk to school Month**
November is Walk to School Month here at Wales street Primary School. In collaboration with Vic Health’s www.walktoschool.vic.gov.au we are all jumping on board for a fabulous month of fresh air and healthy competition.

Each class has a class calendar. The teacher marks off each day just who walks to and from school. You can walk, skip, ride or scoot- as long as you leave the car behind!
At the end of the month we collect the data and give out a prize for most walkers in a given grade and of course there is the Grand prize of a trophy for the overall winning grade!!!! Ta da!!!!!
And we then send in the data to Vic Health to be in the running for more prizes for the school.
Oh……it’s just too good! Get those walking boots on!

**Active and Creative Travel Photo Competition!**
On the 25th October during assembly we launched the ’Walk n Wheel Wednesday’ campaign. This campaign encourages families to choose one day a week (minimum) to walk, ride, skate, etc to school. It might simply mean parking a bit further away from the school so that students can walk or scoot at least some of the way. Students will be able to enter a photo into our weekly competition to see who can come to school in the most creative, active and safe way possible! Why not trying skipping to school or ‘swimming’? Entries with a name, grade and date on them will be collected by the JSC on Friday at recess near the pinboard in the office block. All entries will be displayed for the following week and the winner announced and presented with a prize at assembly. Get active and get creative!

C. Chambers
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**JSC Fundraiser – Pajama Day** Well done Wales Street! Today we raised $667. All money raised will be used to restore the statue next to the oval to its former glory.