Dear Parents,

In 2016, students in years 5 and 6 will be travelling to Canberra to participate in the Heart of our Nation Tour. This will run from 23rd – 26th May inclusive. The four days will involve a very full program visiting the most important sites in our nation’s capital. This camp forms an integral part of the History and Civics and Citizenship component of the Level 6 curriculum.

The students will travel to and around Canberra by coach and will stay at Camp Cottermouth, a purpose built student accommodation centre located close to the main attractions of Canberra. The return trip to Melbourne will be via plane to Tullamarine and then by coach to school. The arrival will be late on the Thursday night.

The cost of the camp will be approximately $700. This includes three nights’ accommodation, all meals except lunch on the first day, coach travel to and around Canberra, flight and coach back to school, entry to all venues and attractions, materials for activities at the camp, prizes and photo printing. It also includes travel insurance, which our school council has recommended.

During term 1, you will receive a detailed itinerary, luggage checklist, medical and permission forms and request for full payment. Could you please fill out and return the deposit form, together with the $100.00 deposit by Friday, 26th February. The balance will be due by Tuesday, 26th April, or it can be paid in instalments prior to this date. If any parents feel they may have difficulty meeting these payments, please arrange to speak to Rochelle Cukier or Christine Leyshan as soon as possible.

This camp is a very important and integral part of the students’ education program this year and we would urge all parents to encourage their children to participate. If there is a reason for not doing so, or you would like further details, please speak to the class teacher as soon as possible.

Gillian Brown, Lucy Gorman, Kate Pilgrim, Vita Vampatella and Zaim Zeneli

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ARMADALE PRIMARY SCHOOL Year 5 and 6 CAMP FORM

Child’s Name: ____________________________________________________________ Class: _________

☐ My child will be attending the 2016 school camp to Canberra

I enclose the deposit of $100.00 for this camp ____________

Signed: ________________________________________________________________ (Parent/Guardian)

☐ QKR payment Date paid________________

☐ Direct Deposit BSB: 083-298 Account Number: 02891 1383 Date paid: ____________