13 September

Dear MBBC Sailing Parents,

**MBBC Sailing Program – Term 4**
The MBBC Sailing program is based at Royal Queensland Yacht Squadron, Manly (RQ) with training sessions held each Wednesday and Thursday afternoons from 3:30 pm until 5:30 pm/6:00 pm. Training sessions will commence in Week 1, Term 4 (Wednesday 6 October) and continue for 8 weeks, concluding on Wednesday 24 November. Boys will be advised on Tuesday as to which training day they should attend.

Participation in the MBBC Sailing program will incur a cost of $150 for the 8 week training sessions – these fees cover specialist coaching, powerboat and pacer hire – and payment is to be made by completing and returning the attached payment slip.

It is anticipated all interested boys will be divided into two groups for the first weeks of training. An invitation will then be made to a limited number of boys, who have demonstrated appropriate skills and attitude, to participate in the Fleet Racing competition.

**Competitive Sailing – Term 4**
The competitive sailing in Term 4 will be Fleet Racing which will commence on Sunday 24 October and continue for five weeks, concluding on Sunday 28 November. There is an additional cost associated with Fleet Racing of $50 and this is payable upon acceptance of a place on the team. Sailors participating in Fleet Racing will also be required to prove they have Junior Membership of a sailing squadron.

Once the two squads have been established, the Development squad will train on Wednesday afternoon and the Fleet Racing squad will train on Thursday afternoons. All sailors are required to have their own personal flotation device (PFD) and MBBC sailing rashie.

Boys who are interested in the MBBC Sailing program for next term need to complete the form attached and return this with payment by Monday 4 October (Day 1, Term 4).

Please note that whilst places in this program are limited, a minimum of twelve sailors are required in order for this program to proceed.

If you have any questions, please contact Deb Allen on (07) 3906 9443.

Kind regards

Mrs Diana Patchett
Acting Principal
Nomination Form

Student's name: ____________________________________________ Year level: ____________

Sailing training program

☐ I give permission for my son to participate in Sailing in Term 4, 2010.

☐ I understand the cost for the 8 week sailing training program is $150

☐ I understand that I am liable for these costs (please complete the payment slip below).

☐ I can confirm that my son will have the MBBC Sailing rashie and will provide his own PFD (personal flotation device).

Fleet Racing (competition sailing)

☐ My son would like to be considered for the competitive Fleet Racing team. Should he be successful in selection, this will incur additional costs of $50 and Junior Membership of a sailing squadron is required.

Parents signature: ____________________________________________ Date: ________________

MBBC Sailing payment slip – Term 4, 2010

Name on card: ____________________________________________ Expiry Date: ______/____/____

Type of payment: VISA ☐ Master Card ☐ Cash ☐ Cheque ☐ Amount: $150.00

Please print your son’s name and payment on the reverse of the cheque and/or envelope.

Card number: ___________________________

Signature: ____________________________________________ Date: ________________