19th February 2015

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**SCHOOL SPORTS**

Please let the school know if your child needs transport to Brauerander Park for the Sports on Tuesday 3rd March. - We can organise some Car Pooling to suit!

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**HEAT UPS**

**TERM 1**

On Thursdays students can bring along something for lunch that can be warmed up at school - perhaps a pie, sausage roll, some noodles or even leftovers from dinner. Please name their lunch clearly, with any instructions if necessary. A fork or spoon would be great too!

We need a parent helper each week to assist the senior students. If you can spare half an hour on a Thursday (12:30 pm), please add your name to our roster.

**FEBRUARY**

26TH  Seona Poynton  
5TH  VACANT  
12TH  VACANT  
19TH  VACANT  
26TH  Seona Poynton  

**THANK YOU**

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**WELCOME BBQ!**

Each year we have a Welcome BBQ to welcome our new families to our school community. Once again, we will be holding this BBQ at our House Sports which will be held at Brauerander Park, Warrnambool on Tuesday 3rd March, 2015.

Everyone is invited to attend - it’s a great way to meet other parents, families and support our students – all rolled into one day!

**Helpers for the BBQ are required please.**

(Leave your name with Suzi at the school office please).

We look forward to seeing everyone there!

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**IMPORTANT DATES**

**TO REMEMBER**

**FEBRUARY**

Monday 23rd  Science Show  
Tuesday 24th  KITCHEN GARDEN PROGRAM, Grade 4  
Friday 27th  Student Leaders Congress - Deakin

**MARCH**

Tuesday 3rd  School Sports  
Thursday 5th  Playgroup  
Monday 9th  Labour Day Holiday  
Tuesday 10th  KITCHEN GARDEN PROGRAM, Grade 2/3  
Tuesday 17th  KITCHEN GARDEN PROGRAM, Grade 1/2  
School Council  
Wednesday 18th  Moyne Sports  
Monday 23rd  Parent Conference Week  
Tuesday 24th  KITCHEN GARDEN PROGRAM, Prep/1  
Thursday 26th  School Photos  
Playgroup  
Friday 27th  Last Day Of Term 1

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**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

**KNOX KAVANAGH**  
16th February

**TADHG O’KEEFE**  
17th February

**MARLI MCRAE**  
19th February

**LACHY TAYLOR**  
21st February

**ISAAC BRIAN & PATRICK FORD**  
22nd February

**BEN NEGRE**  
24th February

**JACK MADDEN**  
1st March
iPADS FOR LEARNING

After some techie challenges/learnings we are now up and running with all student iPads. Thank you to everyone for your patience and support.

Already we are seeing from students the amazing things they can create, capture and do with their own personal iPad. Students are recording reading (reading to self) and capturing their numeracy thinking, they are taking and designing some very creative images and doing lots of research for their Discovery Learning projects. It’s great to see student’s sharing their maths and literacy learning by displaying their work on the iPad and projecting it up on our Apple TVs around the school. The iPad is a powerful creative learning tool like no other. Our students have access to some amazing educational Apps which will help their learning and develop their curiosity.

In term 2 (week 2) we will be holding an iPad night for parents and grandparents. This will be a chance to show the creative and amazing things our students are using their iPads for. You will also learn how you can use the iPad yourself to create and share with family and friends. More details will go home towards the end of term.

Don’t just watch, listen or read with iPad — learn to create. iPad comes with powerful apps for the whole family….create a multimedia presentation, a family photo documentary, create amazing art works and images for friends and family. See more possibilities here- https://www.apple.com/au/education/ipad/in-the-classroom/

HOUSE SPORTS DAY

Our House Sports this year are at Brauerander Park on Tuesday March 3rd. As in past years this is a great family event and we encourage everyone to come along on the day and join in on the fun. Our family welcome BBQ will be on this day also. The BBQ, along with salads will be provided by the Parent & Friends Association (PFA). No buses will run on the House Sports Day, parents will need to make arrangements for students to be at Brauerander Park by 8.45am. Events will start at 9.00am and finish by 3.00pm. Any parents who can help on the day with events and activities please contact Mr Miller.

PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES

Term 1 each year we offer parents a chance to meet with their child’s teacher early on in the year. This is an opportunity we believe to be clear on how we work together to support your child’s learning and development. The parent/teacher conference is an opportunity to have a conversation about your child’s strengths, interests outside school and focuses for improvement. The conference is less formal than the traditional parent teacher interview we had in the past and a chance for parents and teachers to learn more about the students’ needs. Appointments can be made on an allocated day during the week of March 23. Information will be sent home soon.

Grade 4’s working hard on their writing - using lots of “WOW” words!
iPAD APPS FOR PARENTS TO TRY
We will be sharing an iPad Apps which parents can try. Many of the apps can be used for work or personal things like moviemaking, creative photography and communication with friends and family. If you have an App to share please let me know.

**Dropbox** (Free)
Dropbox is a free service that lets you bring all your photos, docs, and videos anywhere. After you install Dropbox any file you save to your Dropbox will automatically save to all your computers, your iPhone and iPad and even the Dropbox website.

**iMovie** (Free)
Make beautiful HD movies anywhere with iMovie, the fast and fun moviemaking app that puts everything you need to tell your story at your fingertips. Create Hollywood-style trailers or sophisticated home movies in minutes. Learn various techniques and movie making processes such as editing and how to share final movie products.

**Site:** [http://www.ipadsforeducation.vic.edu.au/](http://www.ipadsforeducation.vic.edu.au/)

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Simon Perry | Principal | Woolsthorpe Primary School
Respect Excellence Care Teamwork

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**UNIFORM LIST - 2015**
*Available in the School Office*

- **Polo Shirt, Embroidered Logo** $18.00
  (Sizes 4 - 14)
- **Jumpers** $25.00
  (Sizes 4 - 14)
- **Hats with School Logo** $15.00
  (Sizes S, M, L, XL)
- **School Bag with School Logo** $32.00
  *(Not Compulsory but recommended)*
- **School Dress (Navy/White Check)** $22.00
  *(Limited Sizes in stock)*
- **Sunglasses, (Optional)** $7.00
  *(Small/Medium)*

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The best part of being a shopkeeper was selling stuff and getting the money!

Percy

Each Student has the chance to take Miss V’s “ME” bag home and bring in special things to share with their class. Yesterday our “ME” bag belonged to

Hayley

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**Respect Excellence Teamwork Care**
The hotshots tennis was very succesfull yesterday @lunchtime.

Those that are interested in doing hotshots, please put name down at Suzi’s desk. There will be a spread sheet to write names on. If there’s sufficient numbers tennis will go ahead as of next week.

If you do have any enquiries you can contact me on: 0428692319

Hawkesdale & District Family Services Centre

Welcome BBQ
The Parent Committee and Jo, Cheryl, Dianne, Kate and Sue invite you to our welcome to 2015 BBQ on the 26 February 2015 starting at 5.30pm.

BBQ Sausage in Bread provided. Please bring a salad and sweet to share

Please invite any new families in the area to come along and see our fun vibrant Centre

BULB FUNDRAISER

The order forms and payments for the School Bulb Fundraiser are due back in 3 weeks!!

Due Date:
Friday 6th March 2015

Both cash and cheques (made to the school) are accepted.

Remember the school can earn 50% of the profits if we order over $200!!

KITCHEN GARDEN PROGRAM 2015

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Respect Excellence Teamwork Care
Lost?

ALL AGES

Find yourself @ Koroit Athletics,
Starts Saturday 21st Feb, 9.30am-11.00am
Volunteers Welcomed

CONTACT: Kazz on Mobile: 0438 628 158
Email: kazzbodymoves@gmail.com

FACEBOOK: Body Moves for Health & Fitness
(Registered Gym, Fitness & Aqua Instructor)

HAWKESDALE AND PURNIM DISTRICTS TENNIS ASSOCIATION
Hawkesdale 9-54 d
Wangoom Hawks 0-7
Illowa/Mailors Flat 7-46 d
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Wangoom Owls 95.5
Woolsthorpe 59.5
Broadwater White 55
Minhamite Yellow 45

CARDIO TENNIS

There will be cardio tennis sessions running at Winslow rec reserve’s tennis court between
6:30 to 7:30 Wednesdays. Starting as of tomorrow. You don’t need to be “Serena Williams” or “Roger Federer” to join group. Any standard is welcome. Sessions will cost $15 per adult.

If you are interested give me a call on: 0428692319

Thanks Giselle

NEWSLETTER

If you have anything that you would like included in our school newsletter please forward them to Tracey at ttaylor2601@gmail.com

By Wednesday at 11am

Thank You

KEEP CALM AND COME TO AQUA FITNESS

Contact: Kazz - 0438 628 158 or Maxine - 0427 831 172 or FaceBook

Respect Excellence Teamwork Care
**Port Fairy Folk Festival**

Strawberry Cut-up will be held at school on Friday 6th March, 2015 from 9am.
Please BYO Chopping Board/Knife

**ALL WELCOME!!**

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**KOROIT ATHLETICS**

JOIN TODAY

**STARTS:**
Saturday 21st February, 2015

**TIME:**
9.30am - 11.00am

**LOCATION:**
Koroit, To Be Confirmed

**WHO CAN JOIN?**
ALL Ages, ALL Abilities

What is Koroit Athletics? Koroit Athletics is a modified version of Athletics. The whole family can join in, all abilities are welcomed. WHY?
Because we want you to improve your health by moving & having a go.

*Have fun with your family & friends. *Want to improve your fitness for other sports? *Be ahead of your game with specific training. *Maximise on all the benefits this session has to offer - Skills, Drills, Stretching, Running/Walking, Throwing, Jumping, Strengthening + MORE or maybe less.....

**CONTACT:** Kazz on Mobile: 0438 628 158
Email: kazzbodymoves@gmail.com

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**Warrnambool**

**Sunday 15 March 2015**

Register now at www.powercortourdedepot.com.au

Community Festival at the finish line with entertainment for the whole family!