PRINCIPAL’S REPORT

THE LION KING

Our whole school excursion yesterday to The Lion King was simply amazing! The way in which students embraced this learning opportunity and behaved was outstanding. Our school ‘Trademark’ values of Respect, Excellence, Care and Teamwork were on display and visible for all to see. To me this is a reflection of our schools unique culture, you as parents and our dedicated staff who go above and beyond to make these learning experiences possible.

While the day was very busy, the students had a very special experience, one I am sure they will remember for a long time. Miss C is now in full planning mode for our school Lion King Production at the end of year. We look forward to the learnings from this.

Again, these opportunities for all our students cannot happen without the work of staff and our Parents and Friends Association (PFA). The work they doing in raising extra funds at events like the Port Fairy Folk Festival and January markets go towards supporting these excursions and extra curricula programs. So please, next time the PFA call looking for a helping hand think about how you can get involved and support them.

Well done again everyone, TEAMWORK at its best!

SWIMMING PROGRAM STARTS NEXT WEEK

Our 8 day Swimming Program commences Monday September 7th at the Warrnambool College pool. A special timetable will operate at school during swimming.

*Medical Forms 1 per student are due back tomorrow.
Students cannot swim if forms are not returned.

There will be No Heat Ups or Lunch Orders during the 2 weeks of the swimming program. Please ensure that your children bring an appropriate packed lunch, a drink bottle with water and plenty of healthy snacks.

Your children will need the following items in their Swimming bag:

Bathers, Towel, Goggles, Plastic bag (for wet swimming gear), Change of underwear, Hairbrush/Hair tie

*ALL ITEMS ARE TO BE CLEARLY MARKED WITH YOUR CHILD’S NAME

Happy Principal’s Day Mr Perry!
Staff had a special lunch to celebrate Principal’s Day on Friday.
Respect  Excellence  Teamwork  Care

IMPORTANT DATES

September

Mon 31st Aug - Fri 4th Sep LITERACY & NUMERACY WEEK
Tuesday 1st
Friday 4th

Wednesday 2nd
Mon 7th - Wed 16th
Saturday 12th
Thursday 17th
Friday 18th

October

Monday 5th

Term 4 Begins

Camps, Sports & Excursions Fund (CSEF). If families have not already applied this year and hold a valid concession card, the date for applications has been extended to just prior to the end of Term 3. Please contact Suzi in the office ASAP to fill out a very simple Application Form! It’s worth $125 per Primary School Student if you are eligible - SO APPLY IF YOU CAN!

WORKING BEE

Saturday 12th September

In preparation for the School Fete we would love all families to set aside some time on this day to help get the school grounds ready.

General tidy, maintenance, whipper snipping and other jobs will be on our list - please come along to help out. More details, including times, to follow. Thank You

DISCO
WILD THEME
Friday 4th September
6:30 - 8:00pm
Helpers Needed

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Father’s Day Stall
TOMORROW!
$3.00 per child.

Everyone has the chance to “shop” for that someone special.
GARDENING NOTES
August is a good time to plant deciduous trees, they’ll look like a bunch of sticks. But within a few weeks they will begin to burst into leaf. While deciduous trees are still leafless it is a very good time to inspect them for any dead or damaged branches. You should be getting your vegetable plot ready now for planting by digging animal manure and compost into the soil at least a spade’s depth. Add lime if your soil is acid. Most vegetables prefer a neutral or alkaline soil. If you have clay soil work some gypsum into it. This breaks up the lumps of clay, improves drainage and makes your soil easier to work. If you are keen to start from scratch or on a budget start your veggie garden with seeds.

August is a good time to sow carrots, cabbage, herbs, lettuce, onion, parsnips, peas, potato tubers, radish, silver beet and as weather warms up tomato. While large seeds can be sewn directly into the soil where they are to grow, smaller seeds are better raised in punnets and planted out as seedlings. Use seed raising mix and make sure they are regularly watered and protect from slugs and snails. A good rule is to cover the seed around the same depth as the size of the seed.

Flower seeds that can be sewn now are cosmos, dianthus, gypsophila, impatiens, marigolds, phlox and salvias.

The last meeting was the annual meeting. Outgoing President Shirley Bell welcomed everyone and gave a very informative report on the club’s year. She thanked all office bearers for their tireless work over the year. Shirley congratulated all the monthly competitors and the annual competition prize winners were.

Bloom: 1st Margaret Richardson 15
Equal 2nd Lorraine Shefferlie 13 Helen Brown
Produce 1st Lorraine Shefferlie 29
2nd Helen Brown 14
Special Bloom 1st Lorraine Shefferlie 22
2nd Brenda Uebergang 17

After the annual meeting a tasty lunch was enjoyed by all present. This was followed by keen bidding had on the plant auction.

Office bearers were re-elected for the coming year.

President: No Nominations. Volunteer needed.
Secretary: Marita Smith
Treasurer: Mary Underwood
Competition Secretaries: Helen Brown & Brenda Uebergang

Our next meeting is at 10 am at Penshurst Senior Citizens club rooms on Tuesday September 8th.

Remainder membership fees now due.

Please give the President’s position some thought if you want this club to function we must get a president.

Expression of Interest for Term 4
Boxing is a great way to get fit for fun, improve co-ordination & build confidence.

Offering a 4 week Combat Boxing Wellbeing Program
COST: $5.00/session
(must be paid for all 4 weeks & pay with enrolment to book your spot)
* Do not send money yet, until program is advertised that it’s going ahead *
TIME: 1.15-1.45pm (through lunchtime) WHEN: Monday’s
Contact Kazz on - FB: Body Moves for Health & Fitness
Mobile: 0438 628158 or Email: kazzbodymoves@gmail.com
OR place your name on the List @ the front office of School

PLEASE NOTE: This is a Private Program, it is not ran by your School.

SOUTH COAST JUNIOR AQUATICS
Now taking bookings for our Term Four program
Baby, Toddler, Kinda and School Aged children
All abilities catered to with patience and care
Call now on 55605964 to book your place

The Children’s Swimming Specialists

Thank You
Everyone who has helped out this Term for the Heat Up lunches on Thursdays, your time is very much appreciated!
We will be looking for volunteers for next term too!

Items For The Newsletter
ttaylor2601@gmail.com by Wednesday at 11am

Thank You