Welcome back to Term 3, which marks the half way point of the school year. I hope everyone had a good break, although the weather may have dampened some plans. Over the holidays the final two temporary buildings arrived. Works on these buildings will continue during the term in order to have them ready to move into. The tenders for the new school project close on July 31st which means we should have a builder appointed by the end of August.

With the current wet and cold conditions please remind students about the need to be careful at bus and school drop off and pickups. All students should be supervised when crossing roads and walk at all times. Please DO NOT park in front of the Wright’s drive way or bus parks at anytime. Please use the new car parks provided.

This term we have a number of fantastic programs planned for students. Staff are always looking for new ways to engage our students in different learning experiences. Swimming and our annual Speech Program take place in Term 3. Annie the musical excursion is only 4 weeks away, information will go home shortly. Our Kitchen Garden Program starts in week 4 and many more exciting programs.

**Official Enrolment for 2013 Prep Students** is the first 2 weeks of Term 3. If you know of any families interested in visiting our school, who want to enrol students or would like information please encourage them to contact the school for an Enrolment Pack.

**A few reminders**

**Head Lice Inspection Program** - At the start of the year details about the Head Lice Inspection Program went home. During each term we conduct head lice checks and so far this has been very successful in teaching students and parents about the importance of checking for head lice regularly. Please remember if your child has head lice you must inform the school and treatment should take place ASAP. If you have any questions please contact me.

Uniform Policy - It’s great to see students wearing full school uniform. Just a reminder; students should wear black school shoes and school jumpers. This term we will be asking students why! if they don’t have the correct uniform. A note to the teacher explaining why students don’t have correct uniform is expected.

It’s NOT OK to be away or late - It is a Department of Education requirement that students attend school each day on time. As parents it is your responsibility to have your child at school on time. If students are consistently late the Department of Education will be notified and referrals made to Human Services. Please ensure students are at school by 8.50 so they can be organised for the day’s learning. Your assistance with this matter would be much appreciated.

If you would like to get involved in our Kitchen Garden Program or maybe know of businesses that could help with donations, time, products or services please contact us at school. A major sponsor would be great! Who knows, the next MasterChef could be here at Woolsthorpe Primary School!

I am on long service leave from the **18th - 27th July**. Jodie will be the point of contact.

Mr Perry
HEATUPS
TERM 2
VACANT

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!
If you can volunteer your time to help out, please contact Jodie Mackrell on 0428 592 438 or Christine Watson on watsonchick22@hotmail.com

IMPORTANT! All lunches need to be named and utensils provided if needed. Please NO Easymac.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU....
GRACE ROBINSON    JULY 3RD
BRADLEY JAMES     JULY 12TH
AISHA GLADMAN     JULY 14TH
REBECCA KEEN      JULY 15TH
BAILLIE KEAST     JULY 17TH
ZAC HIRST         JULY 18TH
TOBIAS BEITZ      JULY 21ST
JACK BURGESS      JULY 21ST

HISTORICAL ITEMS Do you have any old photos or items that could be included in a historical display for the school? Woolsthorpe is 160 soon and Angela Roache is looking for any items showing education in the township. For further information, contact the school or Angela Roache.

FREE TO GOOD HOME
1 White Silky Rooster
3 Drakes: 2 white/1 green head
Ph: 0418 360 916
3 Roosters from School also need a good home. Please contact Suzi if you can offer them one. Will swap for a hen!

OLYMPIC GAMES STAMP COLLECTION
If anyone is interested in collecting the special stamps produced by Australia Post for the 2013 Olympic Games in London, please contact Dennis at the Woolsthorpe General Store. He will do up a Collectors Pack comprising a book and the initial Olympic Issue Stamps. For each Gold Medal our athletes win, there will be a special stamp produced within two days which can be purchased and added to your collection.

As there are only a couple of weeks left until the Games begin, get in quick to secure your piece of Olympic memorabilia.

COME & SEE WHAT'S ON THIS TERM
When?? Wednesdays during school terms.
Time?? 10 am to 12 pm
Bring?? Piece of fruit and a plate of morning tea to share.
Where?? WPS Multipurpose Room
Cost?? $3 per family
Any questions?? Tory Robinson 5569 2496
New members always welcome - feel free to bring a friend.

RESPECT  EXCELLENCE  TEAMWORK  CARE

Important Dates To Remember....
Monday July 16-27th Enrolment Weeks - 2013 Preps
Tuesday August 7th Start of Kitchen Garden Program Term 3
Wednesday August 8th Annie Musical
Tuesday August 14th School Council
Monday September 10th-21st Swimming Program

If you have any items you wish to have in the Newsletter, please send them through to Suzi's email (ireland.susan.s1@edumail.vic.gov.au) or contact Suzi at school.

ALL ITEMS NEED TO BE IN BY WEDNESDAY LUNCHTIME PLEASE

Don't Miss

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