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**SCHOOL VALUES - RESPECT, HONESTY & INCLUSION**

## NEWSLETTER

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**The Last Day of Term 3 is on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September. Dismissal will be at 2.25pm.**

**Parents Club Meeting is on Wednesday Night at 7.30pm.**

**The last Munch N Crunch for the Term is on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> September.**

**AASC Program - Taekwondo Finishes tomorrow. Volleyball / Netball concludes next Monday.**

Hi everyone,

Last Wednesday we had an enjoyable time at Katandra West PS at our Cluster Book Day. It was fantastic to see so many of our children dressed up for this day and the teachers joined in with the spirit of this day as well. These days are a great opportunity for our kids to renew acquaintances with some friends and as always our children do us proud. Swimming began successfully today at Aquamoves without any major hiccups. Two teachers will accompany the children every day to make sure that the program runs smoothly and a teacher will remain at school to work with students who have chosen to not participate in the program. This program will run for the whole week and we anticipate that children will have an opportunity for some water fun on the last day of the program, provided all of the assessment requirements have been completed.

Practice for our School Production continues to be high on our priority list at present. We will be practicing extensively every day this week in preparation for the Concert Night on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> September. **This night will begin at 7.30pm sharp and we anticipate the concert finishing no later than 9pm that night.** If any students need any assistance with costumes they should see teachers at school ASAP.

Finally, major building works is drawing to a close but we still expect some future projects to begin very soon – undercover areas, car park redevelopment, concreting paved area, signage and irrigation. Personally, I would like to thank everyone for their patience and I have been pleased to hear some of the positive feedback in regard to this.

Karen will be at the office until Thursday and I will be teaching on Monday and Tuesday this week. I will be away at a Cluster Principals Meeting on Wednesday afternoon, but Karen will be able to assist anyone who has any specific concerns. Have a great week everyone and go those mighty Blues!!!

David Brodie – Principal

**THE DATE FOR THE SCHOOL PRODUCTION IS NOW TUESDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER – only 8 days away!!!**  
**HELP IS NEEDED TO REORGANISE THE MULTI PURPOSE ROOM AND PORTABLE**

Cluster Book Day at Katandra West PS



## Coles Vouchers Finish on October 18th



### 1. Building Update

Last week, painting began on our compressed sheets around school along with the rendered brick wall and these areas look terrific. Some painting will continue this week, so it is important that students stay right away from these areas. We were also able to put locks on all of our cupboards in the new school kitchen facility and we are now able to move items back into this area this week. **If anyone can assist with this it would be greatly appreciated.**

The Undercover Area outside the sport shed has been completed and we are hopeful that we will have our new basketball and netball rings erected this week – weather permitting of course. **On Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> September, the pavers in the Undercover Area outside the Multi Purpose Room will be removed so that this area can be concreted during the holiday period – we will rope this area off during the last week of school for the term and make sure that it is safe and secure for all of the children at the school.** Also during the holiday period, we anticipate that trees will be removed from the Car Park at the front of the school and this area will be levelled in preparation for a new redevelopment. Signage will also be put up around the school to make the school easily accessible for school visitors.

### 2. Book Day at Katandra West PS

Last week, all our children had an enjoyable time at the Cluster Book Day. The children participated in a variety of activities throughout the day which included cooking, mask making, outdoor games and a visit from a real author. It was great to see the students renew some friendships and participate in the activities which were provided. Special mention to Mrs Mitchell who should take the credit for such a rewarding day.

### 3. End of Year Excursion

In 2010, we had a successful end of year excursion to the Melbourne Zoo and we are hopeful of doing the same again this year. This was discussed at School Council last Wednesday night but **a possible date may be either Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> or 15<sup>th</sup> December to a venue to be determined.** This will be discussed further at the Parents Club Meeting this Wednesday night. Last year, parents were invited to come along with their respective children at school. At this stage, no Preschool children will be invited because we would like parents to see this trip as an opportunity to spend some quality time with their children who are presently enrolled at Tallygaroopna PS. We hope to confirm this event and specific costs before the end of the term so stay tuned.

### 4. NAPLAN Results

NAPLAN Summary Reports were made available to schools last Friday. Individual student reports are due to arrive at school before the end of Term 3. When these arrive they will be sent to families promptly, with a copy being put in each Students Individual File which is kept at school.

### 5. Swimming Program

Our Swimming Program began today with 43 students participating and as stated in the information that went home last Thursday, some small alterations have occurred. As a result, we will now leave by bus at 12.30pm and return to school at approximately 2.30pm. Students will swim in 6 different ability groups with qualified instructors from 1pm until 2pm only. This will enable us to spend more quality time working on our School Production back at school. All children should have a plastic bag with bathers and a towel with goggles being optional. These should be named accordingly. We will get changed for Swimming before we leave the school. Students are still required to wear school uniform for these days.

During the week, one teacher each day will remain with the few students who have chosen not to participate in the program. Work will be left for these students to complete. This can be summarised below:

Monday – Mrs Wallace

Tuesday – Mrs Haberfield

Wednesday – Miss Bicknell

Thursday – Mrs Wallace

Friday – Mrs Haberfield

### 6. Last Day of Term 3 / Hats

The last day of Term 3 is on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September. Dismissal on this day will be at 2.25pm – one hour earlier. Next term, school hats will be compulsory so it is a good time now to pull these out from under the bed and give them a wash in preparation for the first day back for Term 4 – Monday 10<sup>th</sup> October.

### 7. Casual Day

We will be having a Casual Day on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September, with a Footy Theme. All children will be allowed to wear football jumpers or footy colours on this day to celebrate the end of the term and the lead up to the AFL Grand Final.

### 8. Playground Soft Fall

On Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September, we will be laying and spreading some more soft fall in the two playground areas at the front of the school. We plan to do this from 11am until 1pm, so if any parents can assist on this day it would be greatly appreciated. We are in some need of some wheelbarrows to assist with this day.

### 9. Fete Sub Committee

The Parents Club are busily trying to organise the School Fete which is scheduled to be held on Melbourne Cup Day on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> November. If any parents are able to assist or go on the Fete Sub Committee it would be greatly appreciated. The day promises to be a fun one. Please contact the school or Leanne Florence on 58298381.

### 10. School Recipe Book

The Parents Club are planning to sell a School Recipe Book during the term 4. This book will comprise of favourite recipes by students. **Each student in the school will need to bring in 2 recipes which will be either a main, sweet or cake biscuit or slice. These will then be typed up during buddies' sessions and put into a book for sale. Recipes can come in now!!!** More details will be available soon.



Earn and Learn Points  
Close October 18<sup>th</sup>  
**OFFER EXTENDED**

### 11. Active After School Communities Program

Volleyball / Netball (Monday) and Taekwondo (Tuesday) will continue as per normal this week. Sessions begin at 3.45pm and conclude at 4.45pm. **Next week, only Volleyball / Netball will be held on the Monday because Taekwondo would have been completed.** Congratulations to Mikayla Church who was this week's participation winner. Mikayla wins a \$5 voucher from Book City.

### 12. Prep 2012 Enrolments

Tallygaroopna Primary School is now accepting enrolments for 2012. If you wish to enrol your child please contact the Office on 58298264. If you know someone who is thinking of sending their child/ren here please get them to contact us in the coming weeks. If any families are planning not to be at Tallygaroopna PS next year, this information would assist our planning for the future as well. **At present, we are looking at having 10 new Preps at Tallygaroopna PS for 2011. We are all excited by this, considering the large group of Grade 6 students who will be exiting the school at the end of the year.**

### 13. Term Dates

Over the next few weeks, I will continue to update this section. Confirmed dates for TERM 3/4 are:

September 12<sup>th</sup> > 16<sup>th</sup> – Swimming Program  
September 20<sup>th</sup> – School Concert (**Confirmed**)  
September 23<sup>rd</sup> – End of Term 3 (2.25pm dismissal)  
October 26<sup>th</sup> – School Council  
November 3<sup>rd</sup> – Munch N Crunch  
November 18<sup>th</sup> – Kanga 8's Tournament  
December 1<sup>st</sup> – Building Opening / Munch N Crunch  
December 22<sup>nd</sup> – Last Day of Term 4 (2.25pm dismissal)

September 14<sup>th</sup> – Parent Club Meeting – 7.30pm  
September 22<sup>nd</sup> – Munch N Crunch  
October 10<sup>th</sup> – Term 4 Begins  
November 1<sup>st</sup> – School Fete  
November 17<sup>th</sup> – Yachting Program  
November 30<sup>th</sup> – School Council  
December 15<sup>th</sup> – End of Year Excursion (not confirmed)

14. You Can Do It Awards

Congratulations for the following students for week 8 – Term 3



**P/1 – Campbell Steigenberger** for the confidence he shows in having a go at singing on his own in the concert. Well done Campbell.

**Mrs H's Super Students – Teagan Brett** for the marvellous effort & persistence she puts into her schoolwork especially her poetry writing on Thursday. A fantastic effort Teagan!

**Grade 5/6 – Justin Lindrea** for the brilliant effort and persistence he demonstrated in running and also for the great work he is putting into learning his lines for the play. Well done Justin!

**Keyboard**

**There will be no keyboard lessons next Monday because of Production practise. Keyboard lessons will resume in Term 4.**

**Shepparton Show Entries**

**Entries for the Art and Craft section of the Shepparton Show close on the 23<sup>rd</sup> of September. Entry forms will soon be available from the Office, or you can contact the Show secretary on 5821 4677 between 9am and 4pm.**

**Parent's Club**

Thank you to those who have already donated goods to the school kitchen. There are still some items which are required including a recipe book holder (please see previous newsletters for list).

Parents' Club will hold a Munch & Crunch lunch on Thursday, 22<sup>nd</sup> September. Menu will be 2 slices of a Muffin Pizza (whole muffin) plus a piece of cake – Chocolate/Vanilla and a warm milo. Cake and milo will be served at recess Total cost will be \$5 and if students would like an extra slice of pizza it will cost 50 cents. Students can choose between fillings of ham and pineapple or BBQ chicken or one of each. Orders and payment need to be in by Tuesday, 20<sup>th</sup> September. If any parents can help on the day, please contact Bev Montgomery on 0400 914 464

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**Muffin Pizza Munch and Crunch Order – 22<sup>nd</sup> September**

Student Name:	Cost:	Student Name:	Cost:
Ham & Pineapple <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Extra slices <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>		Ham & Pineapple <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Extra slices <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
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**Production Costumes**

**Prep/Grade 1: Students in P/1 will need black pants and shoes. We will supply a coloured t-shirt for them to wear. We will hand them out on Tuesday morning.**

**Grade 2/3/4: Students in this grade will need to wear tracksuit pants, and a plain black or dark coloured t-shirt with nothing on front if possible. They will need to also wear sneakers, moccasins or slippers.**

# Northerners Cricket Club

Training for Under 16 and Under 14 teams will commence on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> September 2011 at Tallygaroopna starting at 5pm. For more information please phone U16 Brett McFarlane 58298538/0400650611, U14 Brendan Newbound 58298236/0437173596.

Mile In2Cricket Registration will be held on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> September 2011 at Tallygaroopna starting at 5pm. For more information on either of the above please phone Sue Lau 58298428/0408054233.



What – 7 week Basketball Program

When – Term 4, Thursdays 4.00pm – 5.00 pm

Where – Shepparton Basketball Stadium, Numurkah Rd.

Who – Children aged 5-10

Cost - \$60 for first time, includes; Ball, Backpack, T-Shirt, Water Bottle, Sweatband. \$50 for returning children, these children receive a reversible singlet instead of the pack. - Cheques to be made out to Greater Shepparton Basketball Association.

Starts – Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2011 (Registrations on this day)

## **Aussie Hoops Registration Form**

Aussie Hoops is about kids having FUN while experiencing basketball skills. The program can be played all year round, inside or outside and can be enjoyed by all children of all abilities. The Aussie Hoops program is a recognised national brand in the local community delivered in each State and Territory. Sessions are designed to introduce players to the fun of basketball, build confidence and hand-eye co-ordination in a friendly non-competitive environment.

For more details please contact Aimee Prenter 0430 163 473

Email – [manager@gsba.com.au](mailto:manager@gsba.com.au)

**\*\*\* IF YOU COMPLETED AN AFTER SCHOOLS PROGRAM IN TERM 2**

**RECEIVE 10% OFF YOUR FEES\*\*\***



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Name ..... D.O.B ..... Age: ..... Gender M/F

Address ..... **AUSSIE**

Phone (H) ..... Phone (M) .....

Email.....

School you attend.....

1<sup>st</sup> registration with Aussie Hoops Y/N

Emergency Contact/Number .....

Medical Conditions .....

PARENT/GURADIAN (Print Name): .....

SIGNATURE: .....

*I hereby authorise the staff and volunteers of Shepparton Basketball Association and the Aussie Hoops Coordinator to act for me according to their best judgement in any emergency requiring medical attention and I agree to hold Shepparton Basketball Association and its staff and volunteers who deliver the program harmless and indemnify them in respect of anything so done. In addition, I hereby waive and release Shepparton Basketball Association and its staff and volunteers from any liability for any injury or illness sustained or experienced whilst at the Aussie Hoops Program, whether arising through the negligence or breach of contract of them or any of them or from any other cause. I understand that public liability and professional indemnity insurance is held by Shepparton Basketball Association and that personal injury insurance is held for financial participants appropriately registered with Shepparton Basketball Association for participants in the Aussie Hoops program but only for the duration of the program, for the purpose of playing basketball and actively engaged in the sport. I also understand and agree that Shepparton Basketball Association has the right to use for publicity and advertising purposes photographs of players and participants taken at the clinic.*



## SHEPPARTON SPORTS STADIUM JUNIOR PROGRAMS

The Shepparton Sports Stadium offers a variety of activities for primary school children aged between 5 & 10 to participate in a safe and friendly environment. During term 4 the following programs will be held:

- **Futsal Fun** (Indoor Soccer)  
Wednesday Nights
- **Aussie Net** (Introduction to Netball )  
Tuesday Nights
- **Aussie Hoops** (Introduction to Basketball)  
Thursday Nights

For more information on any of these programs, contact Council's Program's Coordinator Kyleigh Devine on 5832 9481, [stadiums@shepparton.vic.gov.au](mailto:stadiums@shepparton.vic.gov.au) or drop in to the Stadium at 120 Numurkah Rd, Shepparton.



## Game On

School Holiday Program



**September 27, 28 & 29 and October 4, 5 & 6**

The **Shepparton Sports Stadium**, in conjunction with **Premier Soccer**, are running the popular 'Game On' school holiday program! This fun-filled program offers a variety of different sports and activities to all primary school aged children (5 - 12 years).

**COSTS:** \$40 per child per day  
(Discounts apply for enrolling more than one child and booking multiple days)

**TIMES:** Drop off from 8.30am  
Pick up by 4.00pm

**REQUIREMENTS:** Children must bring a packed lunch, drink bottle, morning/afternoon tea and a hat.

**Bookings are essential, so get in early to avoid disappointment!**

Contact PREMIERSOCCER 0419998670 email: [info@premiersoccer.com.au](mailto:info@premiersoccer.com.au)  
REGISTER ONLINE at [www.premiersoccer.com.au](http://www.premiersoccer.com.au)  
or drop in to the Stadium to pick up a registration form at  
120 Numurkah Rd, Shepparton

## SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

Now that the holidays are approaching, it's time to think about keeping the kids entertained on those long, Spring days. There are many activities you can do with your children which are inexpensive and good fun. You don't need to entertain them every moment of every day, but if you plan a couple of special family activities with them, it helps to break the monotony as well as building relationships with them.

Have you taken the kids fishing lately or tried rollerblading or bike riding with them? What about yabbing or a picnic by the river, lake or beach? Had a barbecue in the bush recently? Take a picnic lunch to the local gardens and relax under the shady trees. Throw in the frisbee for some fun and games with them. Have you been out on a boat with them? Try canoeing or kayaking or a cruise on a paddle steamer. Or just lie on the banks of a river and watch the boats float by.

You can do some very simple activities with them on those rainy days when you are stuck inside. Consider these ideas: write or email a friend to come over and play; write a shopping list together; draw a map of the neighbourhood, your house or the way to Grandma's; plant some seedlings; look at photo albums and tell stories about when you were a child; design, make and fly a kite; estimate, compare and count collections of things; visit the local library and borrow a book, or buy a new one to share; teach them to play hopscotch or a board game; ride a bike, throw a ball, kick the footy; cook some biscuits together or make a yummy fruit salad.

Most importantly.....TALK, TALK, TALK with your children.

Have a great holiday and enjoy spending time with your children; they're very special young people!

### One World, Many Stories.

Cluster Day at Katandra West. Book Week. 7.9.2011

We saw lots of our friends. (Alyssa).

I liked it when we made the bats. (Eloise)

It was fun making the Tall Man. (Harvey)

The bats were fun to make. (Liv)

I like it when we saw Roland Harvey. (Daniel C)

Lots of people were playing football. (Jack)

I saw my cousins. (Campbell)

I saw lots of people who went to Kinder with me. (Leah).

I liked how Roland Harvey drew your name in people.  
(Cohan)

I enjoyed seeing all my friends from the other schools.  
(Ashleigh)

I had fun playing with other friends. (Beau)

I liked dressing up as Harry potter. (Daniel R)

It was fun to  
dress up. I  
dressed up as  
Mr Strong.  
(Kyle)

