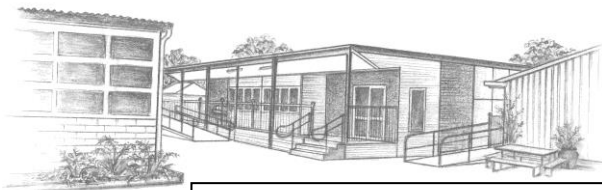


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SCHOOL VALUES - RESPECT, HONESTY & INCLUSION

MINI NEWSLETTER

REMINDER: PLEASE PAY FOR THE FUNFIELDS EXCURSION BY WEDNESDAY

1. Survey (School Production) - We are seeking some feedback on the School Production. It would really be appreciated if families could complete the following surveys ASAP. These surveys will close on Tuesday 1st December. Just cut and paste the following links into any browser.

Survey 1- <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/KZVTBQ7>

Survey 2 - <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/K5TKSB9>

2. Survey (Chaplain Program) - We are seeking some feedback on the School Chaplain Program which addresses Student Welfare. It would really be appreciated if families could complete the following surveys ASAP. These surveys will close on Tuesday 1st December. Just cut and paste the following links into any browser.

Survey - <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/XD7JNK7>

3. Farm Visit - On Wednesday 9th December, Foundation and Ones will be visiting Mr Pedretti's farm. We are very excited to see his new dairy. We will be leaving at 9:00am and returning approx. 11:00am. Parents are welcome to join us. Students will need gumboots or old shoes. We will take our fruit to eat there. Permission forms will go home this week.

4. Parents Club Meeting - This will be held on Tuesday after school this week at 3.30pm. Main agenda items will focus on End of Year Celebrations and we encourage all family members to attend. We are always looking for new Mum's or Dad's to be part of this group and any current or new 2016 families can attend and be involved.

5. School Council - The last School Council meeting for the year will be held on Wednesday night at school. The Finance Committee will meet at 6.45pm followed by the formal School Council Meeting at 7.30pm. All school councillors will receive the Information Booklet today.

6. Orientation Program - The final Orientation Day for the year will be held on Tuesday 8th December. We wish all of our current Grade 6's the best of luck as they venture on to Secondary School for the day. All of the students will be in the grades for 2016 (F/1, 2/3 and 4/5/6) and we will welcome both Ms Beer and Ms Triffett on this day. Mr Brodie and Mrs Wallace will still be at school on this day carrying out other school duties.

7. End of Year Excursion - Any parents wishing to attend this day on Thursday 3rd December at the Whittlesea Fun Fields should contact the office ASAP or email the school. The cost for parents will be \$22 each and students of the school will be \$15 each. **These payments are due NOW.** We look like taking 2 buses from Ford's Bus Lines (57 seater and 35 seater). Therefore, get in early to ensure your spot for this fun day. Students must be supervised by parents on this day. If you cannot attend let the office know and staff will assist with supervision if needed.

8. Sporting Schools Program - Our Sporting Schools Program for Term 4 concludes next week. As per usual, sessions after school begin at 3.35pm and will finish at 4.35pm.

Ten Pin Bowling - all sessions after school Monday 30 th November - Week 9 (Shepparton) Monday 7 th December - Week 10 (Shepparton)	Baseball / T-Ball - all sessions after school. Tuesday 1 st December - Week 9 Tuesday 8 th December - Week 10
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9. Graduation Night / Christmas Concert - This night has had to be rescheduled to Thursday 17th December. Can families RSVP this week, if they will be attending the Tea at 6pm to assist with planning. The formal part of the evening will begin at 7pm.

10. Play Group - There will be no playgroup this week because of the End of Year Excursion. The final playgroup for the year will be held on Thursday 10th December. All are welcome as per usual.

11. OSH Care - is available only on Wednesday this week because of the End of Year Excursion and Curriculum Day on Friday.

12. Library - Invoices for missing library books have been sent home to some families. Could these payments be made ASAP please.

13. Curriculum Day - The final Curriculum Day for the year will be held on Friday 4th December - staff will be involved in Report Writing on this day.

14. Polices Reviewed - At the last School Council meeting, policies relating to E Smart and Student Engagement were reviewed and amended. These have been put on Tiqbiz for the School Community and we welcome any feedback in regard to these. These 2 policies will be endorsed at the last School Council meeting of the year on Wednesday 2nd December.

David Brodie (Teaching Principal)

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