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SCHOOL VALUES - RESPECT, HONESTY & INCLUSION

NEWSLETTER

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TERM 1 NO.6 12th March 2013

School Council AGM is tomorrow night beginning at 7.30pm. Finance will begin at 6.30pm

Permission forms are due for the Cluster Aquamoves Day. This is scheduled for this Wednesday. If the temperature is less than 27 degrees, the day will be cancelled.

Hi everyone,

Hard to believe that there are only 3 weeks left for Term 1. How time flies when you're are having fun!!!! Last week, was a very enjoyable one with a number of programs taking place in and out of the school. The children had a great time participating in the World Education Games online (Literacy, Numeracy & Science) and it was terrific to see some of the improvement that occurred over the duration of this event. It was also encouraging to hear that many of the students followed up activities in class with some at home. Last week, we were also fortunate to visit the local Kindergarten for the first time this year and we hope this occurs frequently throughout the year. To conclude the week, we also had our Sink or Swim program at school which reinforced Water Safety in and around the local environment with particular focus on lakes, creeks, dams and rivers.

There are many events planned over the next few weeks. Some of these include the Collingwood AFL Football Clinic, Athletic Sports, Motor Bike Program and the Easter Munch N Crunch / Raffle. Our second Cluster Day is on tomorrow at Aquamoves and we are all praying for a nice warm day which will allow our children to have fun in the sun. Please reinforce safety and being sun smart. Finally, our School Council AGM is on tomorrow night and all of the school community are encouraged to make some input into the Community Action Plan survey. Consultation is happening at the moment and I am sure everyone's input and suggestions will be taken into consideration – the link for this is below.

Karen will be in the office until Thursday this week, if any matters need addressing. I will be at school all week after a couple of disruptive weeks away at meetings. Have a great week everyone – if you can help out with the Bunnings BBQ it would be really appreciated.

David Brodie Teaching Principal

Tallygaroopna Community Plan Survey

https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/Tallygaroopna Community Plan

WHO MATTERS? - OUR KIDSMATTER!!!!!

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE THE NEWSLETTER VIA EMAIL – PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE.
THE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER IS ALSO AVAILABLE ON OUR SCHOOL WEBSITE.

There is a late arrivals, early departures (students) and visitor's (parents) book that needs to be signed at the office counter on a regular basis if the need arises. This will aid our emergency management of the school.

Sink or Swim Program - Lakes, Rivers, Creeks, Dams















Kindergarten Visit

















1. Premiers Active Family Challenge

Information went home to families last week. The challenge encourages Victorians to do 30 minutes of physical activity per day for 30 days over a six week period. In 2013 the challenge will run from 4th March to 14th April. This challenge is part of the Victorian Government's commitment to promote healthy and active lifestyles.

Participants in the 2013 Challenge will receive:

- 20 free YMCA passes
- 15% off Rebel Sport
- One hour free tennis court hire at Melbourne Park or Albert Reserve
- One free child pass to the Melbourne Aquarium
- One free child pass to the National Sports Museum and MCG Tour
- A chance to win Rebel Sports vouchers and coaching clinics at your school with high profile athletes
- Weekly email tips on being active and healthy eating
- They will also go into the draw to win some great prizes. All prize winners are informed in writing.

What are the rules?

- To participate in the challenge, you will need to have registered by March 16th, 2013
- Anyone can participate in the challenge friends, family or individuals
- Each team can only register once
- To successfully complete the challenge, all you have to do is 30 minutes of physical activity per day for 30 days.
 The 30 days do not need to be consecutive and you can do the activity on your own, together as a family or with your friends
- The 30 minutes of activity can be made up of any sort of physical activity, including incidental activity. It should be in 30 minute blocks, but if your team finds it hard, two lots of 15 minutes is ok.
- When you have completed the challenge, we will ask you to let us know how active you were by completing a short survey
- To be eligible for a certificate of completion you must complete the 30 days of activity and the survey. By completing the survey at the end of the challenge, you will also go into the draw to win some great prizes

Information and Registrations can be made here -

http://www.betterhealth.vic.gov.au/bhcv2/bhcsite.nsf/pafcpages/pafc_get_active_2013?open



2. Interschool Sport

Children from our school can try out for Division football, soccer, netball and basketball. If anyone would like specific information in regard to this, contact Mr Brodie immediately.

3. Cluster Aquamoves Day

As a cluster we have organised the venue, Aquamoves for this Wednesday the 13th March. The venue has several features and staff have timetabled a few activities that will be interspersed with what our cluster students do well, mingle and just have fun. It is a relaxed day with the main purpose being the strengthening of our relationships. The day will start at 9:30 am and conclude at 2:30pm. If it is a cold, windy day and less than 27 degrees the day will be cancelled.

To begin the day, staff will speak to all students about the safety rules at Aquamoves before we arrive. Younger children who can't swim should not get in the Olympic Pool and in some sections of the indoor leisure pool and lap pool. It is important that all younger, beginning swimmers are confined to the splash park and the shallow pool. The lifeguards will enforce safety rules but all teachers will ensure that the younger students are safe and supervised. Liberal application of sunscreen is advisable before coming to Aquamoves and then regular applications every two hours. The wearing of broad brimmed hats is mandatory when not in the pool and not in the shade – school uniform is required.

Children should bring morning tea, lunch and a drink bottle. They will need to bring a broad brimmed hat, bathers and a towel. There are drinking taps at the pool for those who do not bring a drink bottle. **No students will buy food or drink** from the Aquamoves café.

Aquamoves has the following resources:

Olympic pool and surrounds

Beach ball Volleyball teams timetabled

Cricket free choice

Soccer teams timetabled

Raft races in teams using mats timetabled Biggest Splash (individual) timetabled

Pool play items noodles, mats, ropes, submersibles, buckets and numerous other items which will be distributed around the Olympic pool.

Splash Park

The Splash Park is available for the younger grades for the entire day and then the younger ones can choose between that and the indoor leisure pool from 12 o'clock onwards.

Indoor Leisure pool

After 12:00 pm the indoor pool is available and the following will be in operation:

Rapid River Water Slide Tarzan swing

Timeline

Schools to arrive between 9:00am and 9:20am A quick cluster meeting greeting welcoming everyone to our second cluster event.

Start timetabled activities at 9:30 Recess at 11:00 Lunch at 1:00

Get changed at 2:00 and leave by 2:30pm

	9:30-9:45	9:45-10:00	10:15-10:30
Soccer	Lemnos Vs Congupna	Katandra Vs	Wunghnu/Zeerust Vs Dookie
		Tallygaroopna	Currawa
	10:30-10:45	10:45-11:00	11:30-11:45
Beach ball	Wunghnu/Zeerust Vs	Lemnos Vs Dookie	Katandra Vs Congupna
Volleyball	Tallygaroopna	Currawa	
	12:00-12:30		12:30-1:00
Mat Race	Four in a team no limit to	Big Splash	All individuals invited for this
	teams	-	free for all.

PINK PARENT SURVEY FORMS CAN BE PLACED IN THE BRIGHTLY COLOURED BOX IN THE PROJECT ROOM.



4. Bunnings BBQ

Attached to this newsletter is some important information relating to one of our major Fundraisers for the year – the BBQ at Bunnings on Sunday 24th March. We would love some school community support so if you can assist in any way or give up a couple of hours to assist with the BBQ, return the form or contact the office ASAP.

5. Care Packages

Last week, we received a beautiful card from the Royal Australian Air Force in regard to the Care Packages which our school community sent away towards the end of 2012. This was a great gesture and shows that giving to others in need is very worthwhile.

Note in the card:

A few of our members received a care package at Christmas with a few letters inside from the children that attend your school. On their behalf, the C130 Detachment would like to thank the Staff, the Sutdents and their families for their efforts in supporting the Men and Women of the Royal Australian Defence Forces serving overseas.



6. AFL Clinic - Collingwood

Our school has been very fortunate to be invited to another football clinic involving an AFL football club - Collingwood. This will take place at Congupna PS on Monday 18th March from 1.10pm until 2.20pm. We will leave by bus at approximately 1pm and return to school at 2.30pm. All students will receive permission forms, but the clinic is not compulsory for all students - children can stay at school if they wish with a teacher. The cost for the day will be \$2.

7. Athletic Sports

The EGPSSA athletic sports will be held on Monday, 25th March at McEwen Reserve, Shepparton (Little Athletics track beside the Sports Stadium). A back up day is planned for the Tuesday if there is inclement weather. Parents are requested to transport athletes to and from McEwen Reserve. Children will need to be dropped off no later than 9.00am and will report to Mrs Haberfield who will mark the roll. At the conclusion of the sports, parents are to collect them. This should be approximately 3.00pm. If families think they will have difficulty transporting their children to the sports please contact the school. In the event of inclement weather, the wet weather committee will meet at 8.00am, if there is going to be a postponement, this will immediately be announced on 3SR and 96.9FM and the principals of the schools will be contacted.

Children are asked to bring their own drink which will travel with them, or a plastic mug labelled with their name. Children may bring their own lunch or lunches and drinks can be purchased from the Canteen which is being catered by Lemnos PS. Children who are not competing in an event must bring along a note signed by a parent.

If any parents can help out in any way on the day of the sports could you contact the office ASAP. This year, we will use our new school marquee again, so there should be plenty of shade available. Tallygaroopna PS will be running the Hurdles event at the sports along with Congupna PS. We are seeking helpers to supervise a group of children as well. More details will be available soon.

School Uniform and School Hats are required for the day – sun cream can be provided on the day if needed.

8. AASC Program

AFL (Football) will be held on Thursday this week. All sessions start at 3.35pm and finish at 4.35pm. Participating students will be given fruit for afternoon tea prior to the start of each session. If your child/ren are interested, please contact the office. Andrea Walker will be our school supervisor during both sessions and staff will fill in Andrea is unavailable. Icy Pole Voucher was given to - Jade (Week 6).

9. Term Dates

June 26th – Parent / Teacher Interviews

Over the next few weeks, I will continue to update this section. Dates for TERM 1/2 are:

March 13th – School Council 2 (AGM) – week 7 March 13th – Cluster Aquamoves Day March 24th – Bunnings Fundraising BBQ March 18th – Collingwood FC Clinic March 26th – Athletic Sports Back Up Day March 25th – Athletics Sports March 28th - Easter Raffle / Munch N Crunch 2 March 27th – Motor Bike Program March 28th – Term 1 Concludes April 15th – Term 2 Begins April 25th – Anzac Day Ceremony (School Leaders) April 24th – School Council 3

April 29th – AASC Program Begins April 29th – Bike Education Program Begins May 3rd – Interschool Cross Country May 10th – School Photos (**Date Change**)

May 12th – Mother's Day May $14^{th} > 16^{th} - NAPLAN Testing (G. 3 & 5)$

May 17th – Division Cross Country May 20th – Education Week Begins May 29th – School Council 4 May 31st – Jump Rope for Heart Day June 4th – Performance at Dookie PS June $5^{th} > 7^{th}$ – Urban Camp (G. 5 & 6) June 10th – Queen's Birthday Holiday June 24th – Semester 1 Reports Go Home

STUDENTS ARE ABLE TO ACCESS SUNCREAM ON A REGULAR BASIS IF NEEDED. THIS SITS ON THE TABLE NEAR THE SINK IN THE PROJECT ROOM.

ONCE A WEEK, WE WILL BE SOUNDING OUR 2 ALARMS TO ALLOW STUDENTS TO BECOME AWARE OF THESE IF THE NEED ARISES IN THE CASE OF AN EMERGENCY.

10. Student of the Week

Congratulations to the following students who received Student of the Week for week 6.

Prep /1 – Terrific Turtles – Zoe Collins for the confidence she shows in all areas of her school work. Zoe is always willing to 'have a go' at untried things. Well done Zoe.

Grade 2/3/4 – Freaky Frogs – It is my pleasure to give Mitchell the award this week. Not only is Mitchell a Star Student every day of the week but he is also a wonderful caring friend in and out of the classroom. Mitchell is also a very responsible student and is always eager to help those in need. Thanks Mitchell!



Grade 5//6 – Mad Monkeys – Abby Klein for the diligence she shows towards her work, gets organised quickly and stays focused on her set tasks. Great attributes to have. Well done Abby.

All students received a certificate and also a free icy pole voucher to use this term.

Values Vault winner - Taylah Groves and Tayla Robertson



DISCO NIGHT



Come along to Giggle N Wriggle on Friday 22nd March from 6 – 8pm.

You must be 12 years or younger. Cost is \$5.00per child.

We will be playing the top 40 film clips thanks to the jukebox from Happy Snaps Photobooth.

Make sure you tell all your friends about it. It's going to be a wonderful night.

Like us on Facebook to keep up to date with upcoming events.



13a Callister Street, SHEPPARTON. Phone 5821 4661

HAVE YOU RECEIVED THE SCHOOLKIDS BONUS?

Do you know about the Schoolkids Bonus? It is a new cash payment to help eligible families and students with the costs of primary and secondary school studies. Around 1.2 million families have already benefitted from the first wave of payments in January 2013 - have you?

If you receive a family or income support payment, including Family Tax Benefit Part A, you could be eligible to receive \$410 a year for each primary student and \$820 a year for each secondary student, with half paid in January and half paid in July.

The Schoolkids Bonus replaces the Education Tax Refund (ETR) and is a much simpler system. You no longer need to collect rece ipts and payments are made automatically so you don't have to wait months to make a claim via your tax return. Unlike the ETR you can choose how you use the payment to best support your children's education – whether it be school books, stationery, uniforms, school fees, or excursions.

Check your eligibility by visiting australia.gov.au/schoolkidsbonus and if you think you might have missed out on the January payment, contact Centrelink – either in person at a Centrelink-Medicare Office or by calling 132 468.

BBQ ROSTER FOR BUNNINGS BBQ - Sunday 24th March

<u>8-10am</u>	David Brodie, Neil Walker, Martin Bassett
10am – Noon	Lisa Newbound, Donna McNab, Jill McFarlane, Katrina Brooks
Noon – 2pm	Philippa Collins
<u>2pm – 4pm</u>	Bev Montgomery
4pm - Close	Brodie

Athletic Sports Information – Monday 25th March

SCHOOLS IN CHARGE OF EVENTS: 2013

SCHOOLS RESPONSIBLE FOR AGE GROUPS

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1	SPRINTS/RELAYS	Kialla Central	Age	Girls	Boys
1.	STRINTS/RELATS	Kiana Central	5/6	Wunghnu	Invergordon
2.	SHOT PUT	Dookie/Wunghnu		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	m, orgondon
3.	DISTANCE 200/800m	Katandra West/Katamatite	7	Dookie	Kialla West
4.	LONG JUMP	Zeerust/Invergordon	8	Shepparton East	Kialla Central
5.	TRIPLE JUMP	Kialla West	9	Tallygaroopna	Kialla West
6.	HIGH JUMP	Shepp.East	10	Katandra West	Shepparton East
7.	HURDLES	Tally/Congupna	11	Kialla West	Zeerust
	CANTEEN	Lemnos	12/13	Congupna	Katamatite

PROGRAM OF EVENTS

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9:15	INSTRUCTIONS TO OFFICIALS & ASSEMBLY OF CHILDREN						HILDREN
	L/J 5-13	T/J 7-13	HUR 5-13	H/J 5-13	200m 5-13	S/P Vor 5/6	SPRINT 5-13
9:30 10:05	5/6	12/13	11	10	9	8	7
10:05 10:40	7	REST	12/13	11	10	9	8
10:40 11:15	8	7	5/6	12/13	11	10	9
11:15 11:50	9	8	7	5/6	12/13	11	10
12:00 –	12:30		LUNCH	BREAK			
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12:30 1:05	10	9	8	7	5/6	12/13	11
1:05 1:40	11	10	9	8	7	5/6	12/13
1:40 2:15	12/13	11	10	9	8	.7	5/6
2:30	RELAYS 10, 11, 12/13yrs 4 x 100m Parloof Relays CAPTAIN BALL						



JUNIOR STADIUM NETBALL/AUSSIE NET

SHEPPARTON SPORTS STADIUM 2013

FOR KIDS 5 – 8 YEARS WINTER NETBALL BEGINS FRIDAY 19TH APRIL FROM 4.00PM STADIUM NETBALL HAS THE UNIQUE BENEFIT OF ALLOWING KIDS TO MOVE FROM AUSSIE NET TO GAMES ALL IN THE SAME YEAR TO CATER FOR ALL LEVELS OF PLAYERS.

AUSSIE NET is a netball coaching and development program that caters for 5 to 7 years, introducing them to the basics of netball. It involves ball handling, footwork and general movement required for the game of netball.

LEARN AS YOU PLAY program introduces playing the game of netball on court with 2 teaching umpires. The players will learn with assistance on all court positions and how to move the ball down the court. The game is non-competitive and is focused on the individual development of each player. For players 6 to 8 years.

Fees: Aussie Net \$70 returning participants

New Participants \$75.00 with Netball and Drink Bottle.

"Learn as you Play" Games \$70.00.

NO VNA OR WEEKLY FEES, COST OF PROGRAMS ALL INCLUSIVE!!!

Current schools represented GUTHRIE ST, GRAHAMVALE, ST BRENDANS, BOURCHIER, ORRVALE, KIALLA WEST, ST LUKES, ST MELS and MOOROOPNA COME JOIN THE FUN!!!! © ©©.

For registration call Kylie.

Mobile: 0419 998190 Email: Hutchy0642@bigpond.com

Easter Raffle

We will again be holding an Easter Raffle to **be drawn on Thursday 28th March**, with proceeds to go to the Royal Children's Hospital Good Friday appeal. We ask that all families donate an Easter Egg/chocolate/Easter goods to make up the raffle prizes. Raffle books will be sent home this week with each family (there will be more available at the Office). Tickets are 50 cents each - \$5.00 for the book (please write on both sides of the ticket). Tickets will need to be returned with payment by Wednesday 27th March so that a cheque can be sent to the RCH Appeal before the Good Friday Appeal.



Our T Day.



On Thursday 28th of February, we had a Teddy Bear's Picnic to experience the letter "t". We started our picnic off by eating lots of "T" food, like Tic Toc's, Twisties and Tiny Teddies. We danced the Twist and played in the tunnels. It was fun playing with our Teddies. We changed 'Duck, Duck, Goose,' to 'Turtle, Turtle, Teddy.





NORTH SHEPPARTON COMMUNITY & LEARNING CENTRE INC. A0001745V VACATION CARE PROGRAM

MONDAY 1st APRIL 2013 - FRIDAY 12th APRIL 2013

Cost: from: \$6.72-\$38.00 per day

Assistance available Through Centrelink Ph 136150

Our Vacation Care Provider No: 555 011 070 T

Extras: Cinema \$14:50 CHILDREN MUST BRING HATS & DRINK BOTTLES

Ph: 0428354459

Time: 8:00am to 6:00pm

Venue: 10-14 Parkside Drive

Shepparton, 3630

	MONDAY 18T APRIL	TUESDAY 2ND APRIL	WEDNESDAY 3RD APRIL	THURSDAY 4TH APRIL	FRIDAY 5TH APRIL
8:00-10:00	PUBLIC	Klikko Construction	Group puzzle	Puzzles and board games	Drawing portraits
10:00-10:30		MORNING TEA	MORNING TEA	MORNING TEA	MORNING TEA
10:30-11:00	HOLIDAY	Egg and spoon races	Simon says	Craft:	Group ball games
11:00-12:30		Relay races	Drop it	Collage creations	Making play dough
12:30-1:30	EASTER	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH
1:30-2:30		Poison ball	Parachute Games	Bobs and statues	Wink Murder
3:30-4:00	MONDAY	AFTERNOON TEA	AFTERNOON TEA	AFTERNOON TEA	AFTERNOON TEA
4:00-6:00		Card games	Make your own book	Outdoor games (weather permitting)	DVD's/Colouring

	MONDAY 8TH APRIL	TUESDAY 9TH APRIL	WEDNESDAY 10 TH APRIL	THURSDAY 11TH APRIL	FRIDAY 12TH APRIL
8:00-10:00	Board games	Quiet Activities	Colouring and puzzles	Block construction	Find a work
10:00-10:30	MORNING TEA	MORNING TEA	MORNING TEA	MORNING TEA	MORNING TEA
10:30-11:00	Craft: My	Excursion: Cinema	Freeze games	Cars and garages	Cat and mouse
11:00-12:30	Artwork	Extra \$14.50	Silent ball	Poison ball	Poison letter
12:30-1:30	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH
1:30-2:30	Free time	Minute to Win it	Duster hockey	Musical Games	Corners
3:30-4:00	AFTERNOON TEA	AFTERNOON TEA	AFTERNOON TEA	AFTERNOON TEA	AFTERNOON TEA
4:00-6:00	Celtic knots and colouring	Outdoor games (weather permitting)	Board games	Indoor Free Time	Card games

•	Remember to Bring Drinks, a Healthy Lunch, Morning & Afternoon Tea unless advise	d NO HAT NO OUTDOOR PLAY		
•	 Make sure children have an old shirt for clothes protection on craft days. 			
•	 All lost property will be donated to an opportunity shop one week after the program 			
•	 Please remember that if Children are bringing things from home they bring them Extra's Fees and Times are Subject to 			
	at their own risk	change		



Tallygaroopna Primary School Fundraising Event - BBQ at Bunnings (Sunday 24th March)



Our school will be holding another fundraising BBQ at Bunnings on Sunday 24th March. Last year, this was very successful and we were able to raise \$1600 on this one day. All money raised will go to the school and be used for buildings and ground maintenance. If any families are available to help on any of the times below could you fill out the slip below or leave names at the office please. This is a great opportunity for our school community to be involved in a worthwhile school event with proceeds going directly back to the children of the school (linking with our Kidsmatter initiative). It would be beneficial if we could have at least 2 to 3 families for each 2 hour block. Children will not be able to use the BBQ facilities but they may assist with collecting money on the day. The kids had a great time helping with this last year. If any families can assist with eskies for this day it would be greatly appreciated also. An updated roster will be placed in the newsletter leading up to the day.

Bunnings BBQ – Sunday 24th March

Famly Name: Helpers Names:

Preferred Time: please circle one below.

8am - 10am 10am - Noon 2pm - 4pm 4pm - Close



Noon – 2pm

Iren aged 2 – 10 year



Positive Parenting Telephone Service:

Are you the parent or carer of a child or children aged 2 - 10 years

Are you looking for ways to have more positive communication wi your child/ren?

Do you have other commitments that prevent you from attending regular group parenting courses?

Well, how about this?

We are running a fantastic parenting program for parents, grandparents and carers of children aged 2-10 years **that you can do from the comfort of your own home**.

It is called the Positive Parenting Telephone Service and you get a weekly telephone appointment at a time that suits you (day or evening) with a trained parent educator for 6-10 weeks.

Our program educators aim to assist you in developing a stronger and more positive relationship with your children, as well as offering some practical suggestions on how to manage everyday behaviour problems such as disobedience, temper tantrums and disruptive behaviours.

Interested?

For more information or to enroll phone FREECALL 1800 880 660

ENROLMENTS TAKEN ALL YEAR ROUND

Start now and make a positive start last a lifetime



This service is funded by Department of Human Services Victoria