Current Focus

Co-operation (Including Others)

Including others in your games and activities makes everyone feel good. It means that you are generous, willing to share your time with others and that you care about their feelings. If you include others in your games, they are more likely to include you when you are looking for someone to play with or talk to.

Look around and see if there are others who might like to join in. Sometimes they might not ask to join in but they may be standing close by. Remember there are many ways that we can include others when we are working in our classrooms, group work and in other learning situations.

Chris Tsiplakis

End of Year Library Dates

Week ending Thurs 28th Nov. - Last day for borrowing
Week 2nd to 6th Dec – computer use only, no borrowing.
ALL BOOKS DUE BACK BY 6TH DEC.
FROM 9TH DEC. ONWARDS LIBRARY CLOSED.

LIBRARY REQUEST...
WANTED - Volunteers to help shelve books;
WANTED – Volunteers to help cover new books;
please contact Gill if you can assist.
Thank you.

Library – As of this date the number of overdue books is 140. Please check at home as students may not borrow until item/s are returned or paid for.   Thank you
PRINCIPAL’S REPORT

- Swiss Italian Festa
- KG Recipe Book
- Help
- Tiqbiz

The Swiss Italian Festa was a great event. All three schools fully participated and I would like to acknowledge the extra work our staff put in place around lantern making, mask making, drawing competitions, banner making and involvement over the weekend. Also could I acknowledge the parents who were directly involved, particularly the amazing Polenta team from Yandoit and the promotion of our new recipe book by Kathleen Murray.

Some photos of the parade are already up on our website. Check them out!

The launch of our new KG recipe book ‘Grow, Cook, Eat’ has gone well, with many parents supporting the school by purchasing one. We also have a number of businesses supporting the school by making the books available at their business; Paradise Books, Overwrought, Chocolate Mill, The Mill, Wine Café, Glenlyon General Store, the Wombat Café, Taralee Urquhart and the Visitors Centre, which is terrific.
However we need to sell 2,500 books to secure the KG program for the next two years. So please help by promoting the book!

You can also help by volunteering two hours of your time assisting with sales at the Open Garden event at Musk Manor on Nov 23 or 24th Please call the front office if you can help.

Below is the roster as it currently standing

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Good news. The school has subscribed with tiqbiz, which will enable the school to communicate with parents via texting. This is an ‘opt in’ arrangement. If you would like to receive reminders from me about our school calendar and events, then you need to register and login in with tiqbiz, using the password ‘parents1609’. We will start with whole school messages, but eventually will move towards individual classroom messaging. I have included a handout with this newsletter from tiqbiz which outlines the steps you need to take.

Peter Burke
**CANTEEN DUTY TERM 4 2013**

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*CANTEEN - HELP ALWAYS NEEDED*

Please contact our Canteen Manager, Bev Adkins, on 5348 1839 or 0423 357 191 if you can assist. Thank you.

**PARENT/CARER VOLUNTEERS TERM 4 2013**

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**RE-USABLE LUNCH ORDER BAGS $10**

Available via the Canteen — order through your lunch order OR directly through the Canteen. Available only in Black with blue trim.

**ABSENCES**

If your child is absent please notify the office by telephone, and we will let the teacher know, or send a written note with your child on their return. These written records are required for audit purposes.

**LATE ARRIVALS/EARLY LEAVERS**

If arriving after 9.00am or leaving prior to 3.20pm can parents please sign students in/out at the office. Thank you.

**Important Information:**

Last week parents of students in grades Prep to 5 received with the newsletter important information regarding your details and your child or children’s enrolment information, as currently held by the school. We again ask that you check this information carefully, write any changes onto the sheets you have received, and return to the school as soon as possible. We ask that parents please also check the code related to their current employment status and make any alterations as necessary.

Easy Recipes for Cooking with Kids from Daylesford Primary School Kitchen and Garden.

- Over 80 simple, fun recipes with additional recipes from Stephanie Alexander
- All proceeds go to Daylesford Primary School Kitchen Garden Project

$29.95

WANTED - Old chest of drawers for garden project (see 3/4 team)
Daylesford Lawn Tennis Club
At last winter is over and the grass tennis courts at West St Daylesford are ready for the start of junior tennis. Daylesford junior tennis is for all ages and abilities and happens every Saturday morning. Tennis is a great summer sport and a fun way to get fit and learn new skills. For primary aged children, the club hosts a special beginner clinic to assist children to develop the necessary tennis skills to join the junior competition. The clinic starts promptly at 10.00am – 11.00am and it’s OK if you can’t make it every week. Membership for beginner players is $50 and includes the use of the courts over the whole season. For further information visit the website www.daylesfordtennis.com or call Vicki Horrigan on 5348 3894 or just come along before 10.00am on Saturdays.

Tennis is also for adults too and there are lots of opportunities at the tennis club to have either a social or competitive hit of tennis - so don’t just let your kids have all the fun… visit the website for further details.

Daylesford Junior Football Club AGM
MONDAY 18th NOVEMBER 2013
DAYLESFORD BOWLING CLUB 7PM
ELECTION OF OFFICE BEARERS + COMMITTEE
ALL POSITIONS VACANT
ALL MEMBERS + INTERESTED PARTIES WELCOME & ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND

AUSSIEHOOPS PROGRAM Term 4 2013
Aussie Hoops entry level program for children aged 5-9 yrs. In conjunction with Basketball Victoria Country Basketball Australia. A great way to learn and develop new skills. Most important make new friends and have FUN. CAN COME AND JOIN NOW.
4-5pm Thursday
For further information please contact Jan-Maree 5348 3446

Looking For Volunteer Host Families
World Education Program (WEP) is inviting you to experience another culture in your own home by becoming a volunteer host family to an international student arriving in January 2014. Our students from Italy, Belgium, Brazil, France, Japan, the Netherlands, Norway, Thailand, Canada and South America are looking forward to experiencing life in Australia, making new friends and becoming a member of an Australian family soon.

Hosting Is Fun! Find Out more!
Getting to know your student before he or she arrives brings fun and joy to everyone involved. To help you make this important decision, contact WEP today to receive a full information pack for your family.
Sylvia Kelly
Manager – Inbound Exchange Programs
Phone: 1300 884 733
Email: info@wep.org.au
Online: http://www.wep.org.au

TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES (all to be held in Peart Wing, 103 Lydiard St. South Ballarat.
*Mental Health First Aid Course – Tues/Weds 19th & 20th Nov. (Cost $220)
*ASIST (Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training), Tues/Weds 12&13 Nov., 9.00-5.00pm.
$280 (for these 3 courses please contact Nicky Barton, 5332 1009 email: nbarton@lifelineballarat.com.au

DAYLESFORD & DISTRICT AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY Inc. 141st Annual Show 2013
Victoria Park – Daylesford
Saturday, November 23.
Entries close Nov.17, 2013

COME & TRY CALISTHENICS!
We will be running two free “Come & Try” nights this term; come and see what calisthenics is all about. New and past participants are more than welcome! Classes held at the DPS gym.
Under 8 – Wed Nov 20th & 27th 4:30 – 5:30
Under 13 – Wed Nov 20th & 27th 5:30 – 7:00

For Sale - "Daylesford Dance Ballet Uniform"
Energetiks Brand (Jacaranda) ONLY WORN ONCE!
Paid $130 Sell $50
1 x Leotard size childs XL, 1 x wrap around skirt size childs XL, 1 x wrap around top size childs XL, 1 x pair of Ballet slippers size 2.5c, 1 x pair stockings childs XL
CONTACT Melanie 0408 243 094

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