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"Learning and Growing Together"
Be Respectful  Be a Responsible Learner
Be Honest and Trustworthy  Be a Good Citizen

PRINCIPAL’S REPORT

This Friday is ‘World Teacher Day’. I would ask you to join with me to thank and acknowledge the outstanding contribution our staff across our three schools, some 41 staff, who make a difference on a daily basis in the lives of your children.

The Daylesford PS KG recipe book has arrived. ‘Grow Cook Eat’ is a delightful publication. At $29.95 it would make an excellent Christmas present. They can be purchased from the DPS Office.

Peter Burke
SWISS-ITALIAN FESTA

Please find attached a note re Help Needed for the Swiss-Italian Festa Polenta and Napoli sauce food stall. Could you please return this form by Monday 28th October, so that School Council will know what help is available.

It’s almost Swiss & Italian Festa time and the children have been busy preparing! The theme is GOLD(ORO).

Please try and keep these dates free.

Students are making gold masks for the Grand Parade. This is on Saturday 2 Nov. We will meet at 10.00 at the Savoia Hotel Carpark in Hepburn Springs. The Parade commences at 10.30. Please come along and support your school and community in this wonderful event. We need lots of families and students to carry banners and flags. Masks and costumes are encouraged. Students are performing an “Italian Rap” show, so costumes to suit the Rap – HipHop Style would be great.

All students have entered the Pinocchio drawing competition. Winners will be announced at the School concert after the Grand Parade, Saturday 2 Nov.

Grazie Mille for your support and we look forward to seeing you at these events

Signora Trudi

BOOKCLUB

Book Club was ordered today and will arrive to be distributed by Friday 1st Nov.

CAN YOU SPARE...

- Garden pots- any size for Kitchen Garden activities.

Performance Train of Thoughts

As part of our grade 6 transition program, Daylesford Secondary College have invited all grade 6 students to Peter Gray’s show: “Train of Thoughts” with the current year 7 students on Thursday November 14th.

STUDENTS AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Latest News from The Yandoit Chronicle

- The annual community bonfire will be held this Saturday evening, 26th October and hope to see you all there. If it’s pouring then we’ll reschedule for the following Saturday evening.

- Email list: If you know any other residents who would like to be on our local email list and receive their copy of the Chronicle plus other community information via email please let me know by reply email or mobile- 0432 232 073.

- Next Yandoit history in story event: If you are interested in coming to the second Yandoit history story event on the theme of Yandoit hills, stone houses and vineyards please keep late afternoon/early evening of Saturday November 23rd free. This will be a local community event and another edition of the Chronicle, coming soon, will provide details.

Bullarto Primary School

Goat FESTIVAL

Sunday 27th Oct.

10am to 3pm

Goat husbandry, cheese and soap making, Light Refreshments, Goat Sausage Sizzle, Stalls, Jumping Castle, cooking demo’s and more.

$5 entry includes raffle ticket!
**HOT SHOTS JUNIOR TENNIS PROGRAM**
The Mt Prospect Tennis Junior Association (Creswick) is proud to offer an **8 week Hot Shots Junior Tennis Program** From: Saturday 26 October 2013 through to Saturday 14 December 2013 for ages 5-8 years. **Facilitated by:** Ashleigh Jolliffe. Registration was last Saturday but there are still places left so get in quick! **Where:** Mt Prospect Courts (Creswick). **Bring:** Hat, racquet (if you have one), drink bottle. Cost $40 per player. Queries can be directed to Tulsa Andrews on 0400 299 882.

**CENTRAL SPRINGS CALISTHENIC CLUB**
**ANNUAL END OF YEAR CONCERT**
**SUNDAY, 3RD NOVEMBER 2013**
**DAYLESFORD SECONDARY COLLEGE THEATRE**
3PM START WITH AN ESTIMATED 5PM FINISH.
SAUSAGE SIZZLE AT THE CONCLUSION: FAMILY AND FRIENDS ALL WELCOME.
**TICKETS AVAILABLE AT CLASS OR ON THE DOOR.**
Adults $12 Child $6

**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.
**Venue:** ARC, Smith St. Daylesford. Cost $25 New Participants.
**Term 4 Dates:** Oct 10, 17, 24, 31, Nov. 7, 14, 21, 28 Dec. 5, 12.
**4-5pm Thursday**
**For further information please contact Jan-Marie 5348 3446**

**TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES (all to be held in Peart Wing, 103 Lydiard St, South Ballarat)**

* **Domestic Violence Response Training (DV-alert)**
  Fri 1st Nov from 9.00-11.00am
* **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)

**LIVE MUSIC FUNDRAISER for Campbell’s Creek Primary School – Nov 2nd at 5.00pm**
Tickets $20 online (kids U16 free) www.gigs4good.com

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

**Air Pollution and Asthma**
School age students and young children with asthma can often have breathing difficulties when exposed to air pollution. Air pollution can occur:
- Outdoors – smog (made up of nitrogen oxides and ozone), bushfires, cigarette smoke.
- Indoors – formaldehydes/resins (some building materials), volatile organic compounds (found in paints, furniture, cleaning products), cigarette smoke, poorly maintained gas appliances.

The most important way to reduce the impact of air pollution on your child’s asthma to avoid the pollutant completely if possible.
- Stay indoors on high smog days, close windows and external doors
- Make sure you have a bushfire plan if you live in a bushfire prone area
- Make sure your child’s asthma is well controlled and that you and your child know what to do if their asthma gets worse
- Make sure your gas appliances are serviced regularly by a registered or licensed gasfitter and that there is adequate ventilation in rooms containing gas appliances
- Choose building items, furniture, paints and wood items that are certified to emit low levels of formaldehyde and volatile organic compounds.

For more information about air pollution and asthma, contact The Asthma Foundation of Victoria on 1800 ASTHMA (278 462) or visit www.asthma.org.au.

**Persistence – Seeing it Through**