



Acting Principal: Mrs Katie Lovel
School Council President: Mr Les Carless

Newsletter 18 – Thursday June 11th 2015

School Values

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| <p style="text-align: center;">ACHIEVEMENT</p> <p>Is striving to do the best we can through</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Personal best - always aim high ❖ Team work – contributes positively as a member of my group ❖ Enthusiasm - celebrating my learning and achievements ❖ Confidence – believing in myself and challenging my abilities | <p style="text-align: center;">COMMUNITY</p> <p>Is working together to achieve common goals or a common good through</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Citizenship - being a valuable member and making meaningful contributions to the community ❖ Global - understanding other cultures and caring for the environment ❖ Responsibility – taking ownership and doing the right thing for myself and the community ❖ Belonging – feeling safe and part of the community |
| <p style="text-align: center;">RESILIENCE</p> <p>Is persevering to achieve my goals through</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Determination - not giving up after the first go ❖ Risk taking - having a go ❖ Problem solving - using strategies to find solutions ❖ Optimism - approaching life with a positive attitude | <p style="text-align: center;">RESPECT</p> <p>Is valuing self and treating everybody and everything with consideration and courtesy through</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Fairness - being fair in everything I do ❖ Understanding – considering the feelings of others ❖ Integrity - being honest and true to myself ❖ Tolerance – accepting the differences of others |

Diary Dates

| Term 2 | |
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| June | |
| 12 th | Mother Goose 9.30am |
| 15 th | Wood Raffle being drawn PFA Meeting 9.15am |
| 22 nd | Prep – Kinder Visit |
| 23 rd – 25 th | Grade 3/4 Camp |
| 24 th | Highview Experience Day |
| 26 th | End of Term 2 2.30pm Dismissal |
| 27 th | Working Bee |
| Term 3 | |
| July | |
| 13 th | Start of Term |
| 14 th | Auslan Excursion |
| 31 st | Grade 5/6 Basketball Excursion 2016 Prep Transition |
| August | |
| 11 th – 19 th | Somers Camp |
| 21 st | Dunolly Cluster Athletics |
| 24 th – 28 th | Book Week - Bookfair |
| 27 th | Book Week Parade |
| 28 th | MDPSSA Athletics |

Values

This week's value has been
Resilience – Optimism
Approaching life with a positive attitude

Our focus next week is
Respect – Tolerance
Accepting the difference of others

Stars of the Week

This week's awards go to the following students –

- Prep/1 – Aisling Eddy
- Grade 2– Patrick Riley
- Grade 3/4 – Sarah Wright
- Grade 5/6 – Neville Stratford
- Principal's – Luke Guelen

Awards are given to students at assembly each week.

Last Week's Stars of the Week!!!

Below is a photo of last week's award winners.



CAMPS, SPORTS & EXCURSIONS FUND

The new CSEF is to help parents pay for camps, excursions or sporting activities.

If you have a current pension or healthcare card you are eligible for a \$125 allowance to help pay for camps, excursions or sporting activities. See Tracey at the office for a form or download one from www.education.vic.gov.au/csef

Old CDs/ DVDs needed!

Mrs Polinelli urgently requires old CDs or DVDs for an upcoming art project... If you have any old scratched CDs or DVDs or used cd-Roms that you no longer require, could you please send them along to school.

Thank you!

Grade 3/4 Sovereign Hill Camp

- Tuesday June 23rd to Thursday June 25th
- Cost per student is \$175.00 (you can use the new CSEF allowance to pay for part of the camp)
- Full payment of the camp is required by Wednesday June 17th

2016 Kinder / Prep Transition

- Commencing Term 3, Friday July 31st
- 5 half day sessions in Term 3
- 8 full day sessions in Term 4
- Enrolment Packs have been distributed to students at the Dunolly Preschool today.

Kinder Visit

- Monday June 22nd
- Prep students
- Leave school at 12pm
- Taking their lunch to eat with the kinder kids at the Gordon Gardens with games to follow

School Council Meeting

- Finance Meeting – Wednesday July 15th 4.30pm
- School Council – Wednesday July 15th 7pm

Mother Goose Program

- 9.30am to 10.30am Fridays
- Multi Purpose room



Auslan Excursion

- ✚ Tuesday July 14th
- ✚ Whole school
- ✚ Hansel and Gretel Auslan Performance at Her Majesty's Theatre in Ballarat
- ✚ No cost – The PFA and the Dunolly RTC have kindly donated funding to allow all students to experience this live theatre event.
- ✚ Permission forms due back by Monday June 22nd.

Parents and Friends Association

- Meetings now changed to the 3rd Monday at 9.15am. Next meeting Monday 15th June.

FUNDRAISING

- Wood Raffle – all books sold or unsold to be returned tomorrow please
- Wood Raffle drawn on Monday June 15th at assembly

Winter Health – Beating the Bugs

In Australia, our influenza 'flu' season typically runs from May to October, usually peaking in August.

It is just not possible to stop all bugs from spreading at school, however, a lot of illnesses can be prevented and controlled simply by practicing good hygiene.

Handy hygiene tips for you and your family

- Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when coughing or sneezing
- Throw used tissues in plastic-lined rubbish bins
- Wash your hands with soap and water, preferably warm water if available
- Reduce the spread of germs by avoiding touching your eyes, nose and mouth

Further information on influenza is available at the Better Health Channel - www.betterhealth.vic.gov.au

What can you do to prevent the spread of infectious diseases?

The three main ways of preventing the spread of infection are:

1. Remind your child of effective hygiene methods.
2. **Keep your child home when they are unwell.** Your doctor will let you know if your child has an 'excludable' condition. You will need to advise the school as soon as possible and keep your child home for the length of time that your doctor advises.
3. Ensure your child's immunisations are up to date.

Dunolly Preschool

2016 Enrolment Applications

2016 Enrolment applications for Dunolly Preschool and other YMCA managed kindergartens and preschools for first round offers **open on Monday 1st June** and **close on Friday 26th June**.

All enrolment information and application forms are available on our kindergarten website:

www.ballarat.ymca.org.au/kindercluster

If you would like assistance with this online enrolment process, please phone Ballarat YMCA on 5329 2810 or Trish Ipsen, Dunolly Preschool teacher on 5468 1334 (after 2pm of a Monday, Tuesday or Thursday, if possible.)

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