Principal's Message

The new school year has started well and all students are settling in to their new classes and routines. Last week’s swimming carnival was a huge success; given it was the first time our school has joined with the Burrinjuck Learning Community to participate in a sporting event. It is anticipated that our schools will continue to work together into the future to provide a range of opportunities for all our students. Well done to all those that competed and “had a go”.

You will notice information attached to this newsletter in regard to a meet and greet BBQ that we will be hosting. This is a chance for school staff and parents to get together in an informal setting and discuss general school routines and procedure. Please feel free to come along and have a chat with all the school staff.

This week, we have had several incidents of kids bringing “special” items to school to show friends and to play with in the playground. And unfortunately we have had a few of these things get lost or broken, which is obviously very upsetting to the children. Please remind students that school is not a place to bring toys or any other “special” item for this reason.

“Together we are safe, respectful learners working hard to achieve success”
Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club has been a great success with many of our children attending. In order to enable the program to continue we are seeking donations of cereal, long-life milk, jam, Milo etc. Any contributions would be greatly appreciated.

School Street Stall

On Sunday the 28th of February the school will be having a stall to sell second hand clothing (not uniform). The stall is being organised by Louise Duncan and will be held out the front of the school. If you have any Clean, second hand clothing you would like to donate please deliver it to the school between the 24th and 26th of February. Anything not sold on the day will be donated to charity. The School will also be selling some second hand furniture and old sports equipment on the day.

Assembly

The next assembly will be on Friday the 19th of February in the school hall. Years 1 and 2 will be performing an item and parents and carers are most welcome to attend.

P&C Meetings

The next P&C Meeting is Thursday the 11th of February at 7pm in the School Library. $2.00 membership is now due. Please make payment before the commencement of our AGM on Thursday 10th March.

Burrinjuck Learning Community Swimming Carnival 2016 Champions

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COMMUNITY NOTICES

2016 Season Netball Registrations

10am - 12pm
Saturday 5th March @ Carr Confoy Netball Courts, Eastgrove
Saturday 12th March @ Goulburn Plaza (near K-mart)
Enquiries: secretary.gdna@hotmail.com or Mareeca 0439 400 129 Season starts Saturday, 2nd April, 2016 and Seniors on Monday 4th April, 2016

Sacrament of Penance

The Catholic Parish of St Francis Xavier, Gunning, invite children baptised in the Catholic tradition, year 3 or older, to continue their journey in faith by preparing for the Sacrament of Penance. If you believe your child is ready to take this next step and you are prepared to be involved in the journey, please contact Maryanne Hannan on 4844 2247 to register your interest.

Head Lice

Getting head lice is not a sign of poor hygiene, so don't be embarrassed if your child gets it. In fact, lice prefer clean hair because it allows them to move from hair to hair more easily. At this time of year it is a good idea to routinely check your child's hair as early detection helps break the cycle.
10th February 2016

Meet and Greet

Wednesday 2nd March 2016

Dear Parents,

On the 2nd March beginning at 6:00pm, we will be hosting a meet and greet evening at school. The evening will be an informal opportunity for you to meet your child’s teacher and other staff to have a chat with them. Teachers will be available to discuss class routines and give general information, as will our support teacher and librarian. We will also be providing a BBQ for those attending.

If you and your family would like to attend, please fill in the slip below so that we can cater accordingly. On this occasion the BBQ will be complimentary.

Please return the attached slip to your child’s teacher by Wednesday 24th February.

Danny Scott
Principal

Meet and Greet

Wednesday 2nd March 2016

☐ Yes, we will be attending the Meet and Greet evening on 2nd March 2016.

Students Name: ____________________________________________

For catering purposes:

Number of Adults: ________________ Number of children: ________________

Signed: ____________________________ Date __________________________

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