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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

No.9 Wednesday 13th June 2018

Dear Parents, Students & School Community,

SAVE THE DATE X 2

Our School concert and Christmas concert have been allocated dates.

The School concert will be at Robert Blackwood Hall (Monash University) on Thursday 30th August. Following feedback from our parent community, the concert will be for 1 night only.

As the venue is the biggest we have utilised for many years, there will be a greater allocation of tickets for family members.

Booking will be via their website. More details to come!

The Christmas concert will at the school on Thursday 6th December 2018

This will be a twilight event from 6.00 to 7:30pm.

A BBQ and Christmas Hamper raffle will be provided by the PACC.

More details will be released during Term 4.

Claire O'Neil and Heng Tak Visit

Federal Member for Hotham, Clare O'Neil and the preselected candidate for Clarinda, Heng Tak visited the school on Thursday 7th June. Ms O'Neil expressed her frustration about schools within her electorate continually missing out on State Government funding. We discussed a variety of issues faced within our community. A short tour of the school grounds was conducted to talk about the school pride funding we have received.

Going forward, Mr Tak will send a letter to Minister Merlino about the opportunity for future funding. I will also encourage School Council to send a letter outlining our future funding with a view to starting master planning in the near future.

Curriculum Day - 6+1 Traits of Writing

Our Curriculum Day on Friday 8th June was a great success for all of our staff. Staff were provided with Professional Learning about the 6 + 1 Traits of Writing. The Writing Model of Instruction & Assessment comprises 6+1 key qualities that define quality writing.

These are:

Ideas—the main message

Organization—the internal structure of the piece

Voice—the personal tone and flavor of the author's message

Word Choice—the vocabulary a writer chooses to convey meaning

Sentence Fluency—the rhythm and flow of the language

Conventions—the mechanical correctness

Presentation—how the writing actually looks on the page

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Waverley/Monash Division Cross Country Carnival

Congratulations to Timmy K., Alex V., Zoe V., Yanni A. and Matilda K. on their participation at the Cross Country last Thursday. Mrs Leopold attended the day to support the students and has since spoken to me about *how proud* she was of their effort. The final results were:

Matilda (10y Girls)	7 th
Alex (10y Boys)	4 th
Zoe (11y Girls)	34 th
Yanni (11y Boys)	8 th
Timmy (12y Boys)	27 th



Regional Leadership Conference

Mrs Mackay will join me on Thursday 14th and Friday 15th June at the Melbourne Conference & Exhibition Centre for the annual Regional Leadership Forum. The forum provides an opportunity for leaders within South Eastern Victoria Region (SEVR) to workshop with expert practitioners from Victoria and abroad. This will be the second year that the forums have been provided for leadership teams throughout Victoria.

Shade Sail Repairs

You may have noticed that the shade sails from the senior school playground have been removed. They were taken down on Tuesday for repair and maintenance. A number of sections will be re-stitched. Both sails will also be pressure washed to remove any build up of dirt.

Enrol Now for 2019

We are continuing to take enrolments for Foundation in 2019. We currently have 2 classes ready to go for 2019. If you have a child who will be starting school next year, please collect an enrolment form from the school office, as this will help with our future planning. If you have friends who have a child commencing school in 2019 please invite them to book a tour to 'take a look' at our fabulous school.

End of Term

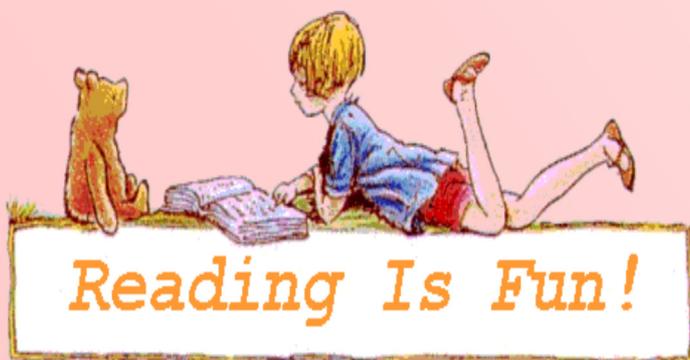
The school term will conclude on Friday 29th June at 2:30pm. A whole school assembly will start at 1:45pm in the hall. Term 3 will resume on Monday 16th July.

Parent Teacher Interviews

Parent Teacher Interviews have been scheduled for Tuesday 26th and Wednesday 27th June. Information about the booking process will be sent to every family this week. Once again, bookings will be via an online system.

School Reports—Mid Year

Our student mid year reports will be sent home on Friday 22nd June. Enjoy reading about your child's progress during the year.



SPECIAL GROUP PHOTOS FOR SALE
AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE

PAY AT THE TIME OF ORDERING \$14.00 EACH

JUNIOR SCHOOL COUNCIL
HOUSE CAPTAINS
SCHOOL CAPTAINS
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Don't let frustration get the better of you

It's completely normal for us as parents to feel frustrated, even if our kids are upset, and wonder when the lessons will be learned. And it's completely fair to have those conversations....again. But before we do that, there's a handful of words that we need to share. A handful of words that, when shared with sincerity, can have the most powerful impact on the emotional health and happiness of our kids over their lifetime.

The words? They're the ones that deliver a message of warmth and empathy. Empathy can change the nature of our family relationships, boost our kids' mental health, develop their emotional intelligence and promote warmer healthier, and even less violent, relationships for our kids as young adults. Kids with more empathetic parents are less aggressive, experience less depression, develop greater emotional intelligence (a predictor of success) and grow up to be more empathetic themselves.

Empathy is defined as experiencing emotions of concern at the suffering of others and adopting the perspective of another. It's different to sympathy which is feeling sorry for someone. It's about demonstrating our concern and letting our kids know we get it. That we feel it too.

We can show empathy by saying things like:

"I get it."

"I hear you."

"Ahh, I can see that you're feeling...."

"That stinks."

"I understand."

For great impact use the right emotional response

Pairing your words with a matched emotional response, love, comfort, warmth and a willingness to sit with them as they express their emotions shows our kids we get it and validates for them that they have every right to feel the way they do. After all, there's no such thing as wrong feelings. We can't help how we feel about the things that happen to us, neither can our kids. We don't need to agree with how they feel, nor do we have to view their reaction as a reasonable response to what's happened. It's all about showing our kids that their message has been received, and that they have a soft place to land.

The conversations can come later.

See you around the school
Robbie Mallett

Oakleigh Little Athletics needs your support!

In our bid to persuade the City of Monash Council to invest in the local athletics facility at Davies Reserve (just off Huntingdale Road), the athletics club is gathering community support in the form of a petition.

The athletic track used by several local schools, including Clarinda Primary, is in urgent need of a new, rubberised surface to make it safer and modern.

We are seeking this \$1.5m upgrade not just for our small friendly community club, but for the wider, local community to enjoy for training and personal fitness.

Please lend your support by simply signing our petition which will be available just inside the front entrance of the school for the next two weeks. Thank you!



Division Cross Country

On Thursday the 7th of June 2018, 5 of our students represented Clarinda Primary School in the Monash Waverley Division Cross Country.

These students have excelled in their previous races, and were well prepared to do their best in this tough 2km or 3km race. These students are wonderful examples of fitness and physical endurance, and we are very proud of their efforts.



Results are as follows:

Timmy K. 27th Alex V. 4th Zoe V. 34th
Yanni A. 8th Matilda K. 7th

Yanni, Matilda and Alex will compete at the Eastern Metropolitan Region on Tuesday 19th June. Good luck!

Justine Leopold, PE Teacher

Parent Teacher Interview Evenings

Tuesday 26th June 2018

3.45 to 6.30pm

Wednesday 27th June 2018

3.45pm to 7.30pm

Online bookings start soon

Thursday 30th August 2018

CLARINDA PRIMARY SCHOOL ANNUAL CONCERT

EXCITING EVENT! - 'ROLL THE DICE'



There is a great deal of excitement around our school at the moment with the planning for our annual concert well underway.

With the guidance of staff, the children have been planning their concert dance, drama and instrumental items and making final costume decisions.

The students will roll the dice and play a board game taking you on an exciting journey through time.

Our students will be presenting their annual concert in a new venue on one night only.

At the Robert Blackwood hall at Monash University on Thursday 30th August 2018 in the evening.

TICKETS

This year families will be required to book their seats for the concert on line tickets will cost approximately \$25 each.

Save this date on you calender—more information will come home soon.

Dinosaurs in 1/2D



1/2D will be going on an excursion to visit the Dinosaur Walk at the Melbourne Museum on the 18th of June. During our unit of study on Dinosaurs, the students drew and annotated what a dinosaur might have looked like and where it lived. They also learnt about the food dinosaurs ate and observed which teeth were used to bite and chew the food.

We even had our own Dinosaur egg in the classroom. Students had a lot of fun making predictions about the type of dinosaur that would hatch from the egg.



PACC—Parent And Community Club

We had a great meeting on Wednesday last week where we planned the following activities.

PACC Meeting -

Wednesday 13 June at 2.30pm
in the staffroom all welcome

Pizza Lunch Day

Friday 29th June

Order forms coming home soon

Father's day Stall

Tuesday 14th August

TERM DATES

2018

TERM 2

16 APRIL TO 29 JUNE

TERM 3

16 JULY TO 21 SEPTEMBER

TERM 4

8 OCTOBER TO 21 DECEMBER

2019

TERM 1

31 JANUARY TO 5 APRIL

TERM 2

23 APRIL TO 28 JUNE

TERM 3

15 JULY TO 20 SEPTEMBER

TERM 4

7 OCTOBER TO 18 DECEMBER

DATES TO REMEMBER

TERM 2 - Monday 16th April to Friday 29th June 2018

June	Wednesday 13	ICAS Spelling 2.30~PACC Meeting
	Thursday 14	ICAS Writing
	Friday 15	Year 5 & 6 Sport Gala Day
	Monday 18	Years 1 & 2 Excursion to IMAX
	Friday 22	Student reports sent home
	Monday 25	ICAS Maths
	Tuesday 26	Parent / Teacher Interviews
	Wednesday 27	Parent / Teacher Interviews
	Friday 29	PACC ~ Pizza Lunch Day Last Day Term 2 Dismissal 2.30pm
	July	Monday 16
Monday 23		Excursion to Taskworks— Preps
Wednesday 25		2.30—PACC meeting
Friday 27		PACC year 1 & 2 Disco and Dinner
Sunday 29		Working Bee
August	Friday 10	Green House Fundraiser

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STOP THE
SPREAD OF
INFECTION**



**IF YOUR
CHILD IS UN-
WELL PLEASE
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THEM TO
SCHOOL**

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FOR THEM
PROPERLY**





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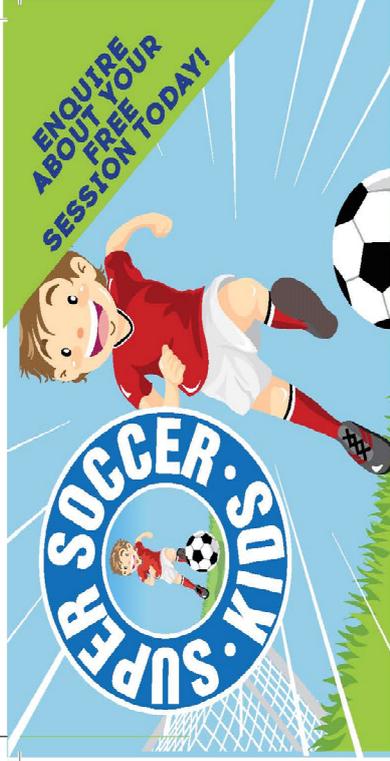
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