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FROM THE EXECUTIVE TEAM

Term 2 is racing by and we head towards the last two weeks – a busy time indeed!

This is our reporting to parents time of year and reports go home at the end of next week, with our Parent – Teacher interviews taking place in the last week of term.

The teachers have worked very hard at preparing reports – a lengthy process that requires many extra hours work. I am proud of the way our teachers apply themselves to this task and impressed by the amount of information they provide for parents. I encourage you to read the reports thoroughly – the most important information is on the inside as it outlines achievements and areas for improvement, with indications of the directions to be taken.

Don’t forget to read the student comments – as this is your child’s “take” on their progress and future directions. A terrific way to start a discussion!

REPORTS

Semester One reports will be distributed on Friday 19 June, the week prior to interviews.

For information about interviews, please refer to the notice sent home last week.

PLANNING WEEK

Teachers, in teams, will be planning for Term 3 on a designated planning day next week. The major change for students is that their Specialist classes will occur on the one day:

- Monday 15 June Year 3/4
- Tuesday 16 June Specialists
- Wednesday 17 June Year 5/6
- Thursday 18 June Prep
- Friday 19 June Year 1/2

CURRICULUM DAY

Our curriculum day on Tuesday with Jo Lange was a success and well received by staff. We all worked together throughout the day with the focus on classroom strategies for positive behaviour management. We explored why students misbehave, the importance of connectedness to school and prevention strategies to reduce attention seeking.

A key focus of the day was encouraging student motivation and independence to help build confident resilient students.

Today with the newsletter you will find an insert for our parent session “Raising Resilient, Independent & Confident Kids” with Jo Lange on July 23 to be held in the theatre in conjunction with Complete Kids.

We highly recommend the session as it will provide parents with strategies to build their children’s self-esteem and independence.

END OF TERM

A reminder that the last day of term is Friday June 26. On this day, students will be dismissed at 2:30pm.

Please make arrangements to ensure that all students are picked up on time.

Best wishes, Phil, Andrew and Pete

CURRENT NEWS

PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Please note that Parent Teacher Interviews will be held on Wednesday June 24.

As is usual practice, we will be asking for your help with this, on the day, by picking up/allowing children to go home early (12:30).

Bookings are at: www.schoolinterviews.com.au

The event code for the interviews is: EP734

We hope you find the Parent / Teacher Interview(s) a valuable experience to discuss your child(ren)’s progress.

Interviews are strictly 15 minutes and spaces are limited. You are able to book a time with your child’s classroom teacher and, if you wish, with the Specialist teachers.

For parents that don’t have access to the internet at home, at work, at a friend’s house or on their phones, you may send a note to school with the approximate times you require, or phone the school on 97446432 and the office staff will assist with this process.

Parents can change their interview bookings, any time prior to the closing date, by revisiting the www.schoolinterviews.com.au website, and using the event code which is EP734. Parents wishing to change their interview times after the closing date (Friday 19th June at 10am), should contact the school directly on: 9744 6432.
FOOTBALL COLOURS CASUAL DRESS DAY
In conjunction with our sausage sizzle being held on Tuesday 16th June, Killara Primary is holding a Football Colours Casual Dress Day. Students are able to wear football colours or jerseys of their chosen team in any football discipline.

A sensible attitude should be adopted and appropriate footwear and consideration for the weather taken.

This is a donation-free day to celebrate our successes this term.

Congratualtions!

CAMPS, SPORTS & EXCURSIONS FUND (CSEF)
Application forms are due back by Friday 26th June. You need to hold a valid Health Care card or Pension card. If eligible payment of $125 per student is available for CSEF.

ENROLMENTS 2016
Enrolments are currently being accepted for 2016. Enrolments should be made by Monday 27 July 2015. This will assist the school with planning for 2016. Existing families who have previously indicated they will have enrolments for 2016 will have received enrolment forms and these should be returned as soon as possible. If you require enrolment forms please see the office. Enrolments should be accompanied by a birth certificate and immunisation certificate. Copies of these documents are acceptable.

PAYMENTS DUE
Netbook Term 3: due 26th June
Sausage Sizzle: due tomorrow (late orders cannot be accepted due to special order requirements)

CLASSROOM TISSUES
As the cooler weather has arrived so has the season for sneezing and runny noses and we are asking families to send a box of tissues for use in the classroom. Thank you.

STUDENT BANKING
Please ensure you complete all details on your deposit slip including name and account number when sending in your banking each Tuesday.

MEDICATION ADMINISTERED AT SCHOOL
If students require medication to be given at school, parents must complete a medication authority form which is available from the office. Medication must be sent in its original packaging, be clearly labelled and any prescription medication must be in the child’s name.

Please note, medication will be administered during recess or lunchtime if possible to ensure classroom learning time is not disrupted. Where ever possible, medication should be scheduled outside school hours, e.g. medication required three times a day is generally not required during a school day: it can be taken before and after school and before bed.

STUDENT ABSENCES
It is a requirement that parents notify the school of any absences. This can be a note sent in prior to or after the absence or even an email to the school or via the Tiqbiz App. Verbal notification from parents is accepted, however, this can sometimes get lost in the hustle and bustle of the classroom and may be missed on attendance records. It is not necessary to call the school if your child is unwell and unable to attend, again, a note or email can be sent upon return. killara.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au.

COMMUNITY NEWS
SUNBURY BLUE LIGHT DISCO
Friday 26 June, $5.00 entry. Pyjama Rama Party
Sunbury Memorial Hall, Intersection of Barkly & Macedon Streets, Sunbury 6-8pm, Primary age
Contact: Senior Constable Kimberley Hunting 9744 8111 www.bluelight.org.au Run by local police and valued volunteers.

FREE JUNIOR NETBALL CLINICS FOR BOYS AND GIRLS AGED 8YO – 12YO.
When: Tuesday 30th June (10am – 11.30am)
Thursday 2nd July (1pm – 2.30pm)
* Children may attend one or both clinics *
Where: Broadmeadow Leisure Centre Netball Courts (indoor location)
Cost: FREE
Contact: broadmeadowsnetball@hotmail.com

PETS HAVEN - URGENT
Many of our families would be familiar with the work that Pets Haven do rescuing and re-housing dogs and cats in desperate need for a forever home. At the moment, Pets Haven have reached their capacity of cats and kittens that are looking for loving families that would love to take in a new furry family friend this winter. For the month of June, on adopting a beautiful pussy cat in need, you will receive a free cat carrier and a bag of kitty litter. To view photos and profiles of these little darlings or to learn more about the work of Pets Haven, please visit petshaven.com.au

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