TERM CALENDAR

| Mon 25 March | School Photos (no assembly) |
| Tues 26 March | Casual Day for SSR (gold coin)  
Sausage Sizzle Meal Day |
| Tues 26 March | School Council (6:30pm) |
| Thurs 28 March | Last Day of Term 1 |
| Mon 15 April | First Day of Term 2 |
| Thurs 25 April | ANZAC Day |
| Fri 26 April | Curriculum Day |

FROM THE EXECUTIVE TEAM

SCHOOL PHOTOS
A reminder that school photo day is next Monday, March 25. Please remember to make sure students are in full uniform.

END OF TERM
A reminder that the school term ends on Thursday March 28, with an early dismissal at 2:30. Please make arrangements for the care of students, ensuring all students are picked up on time.

SCHOOL COUNCIL
The second call for nominations for one parent vacancy on School Council closed last Wednesday afternoon and I have the pleasure of declaring Natalie Harrison elected, unopposed. Final School Council membership for 2013 is as follows:

Parent representatives:
- Neil Christie
- Lyall Clewer
- Nicole Culos
- Natalie Harrison
- Lauren Hayes
- Ian Theodore
- Stacey West

DEECD representatives:
- Phil Clinkaberry (Executive Officer)
- Marie de Prada
- Michelle Douglas
- Andrew Guthrie

The first meeting of the new Council is next Tuesday March 26. A meeting to elect office bearers will be held at 6:30pm, followed by the first regular meeting of the new Council.

ATHLETICS
Our school team competed in the Sunbury District Athletics carnival yesterday. The students represented their school well and performed to their best. Please see detailed report from Andrew Pizaro, below.

UNIFORM SHOP
Further follow up has occurred with Primary School Wear, expressing our dissatisfaction at the problems being experienced by parents who have placed orders in good faith and faced long waiting times. At the time of printing, I have been assured that there will be another large order processed and distributed to parents over the next couple of days. We continue to communicate with PSW on your behalf, and can only apologise for the situation that has occurred. Reassurances have been made that the systems undertaken by PSW will improve.

CASUAL DAY
Please support our fundraising drive for State Schools Relief, by allowing your children to come to school in casual clothes on Tuesday (also sausage sizzle day). A gold coin donation is all that is asked and we then support a charity that has a direct link to schools, providing uniforms for struggling families. Please ensure that the clothing worn on the day is suitable for school, with footwear being appropriate flat-soled shoes and any printing on garments to be appropriate.

Best Wishes,
Phil, Andrew and Marie

SAUSAGE SIZZLE MEAL DAY
TUESDAY 26 MARCH

Orders close tomorrow morning, Friday 22 March 11am. Late orders cannot be accepted as we need to finalise the catering requirements by tomorrow. Please note, no other lunch orders will be available on this day.

CURRENT NEWS

PFA EASTER HOLIDAY RAFFLE
Thank you to those families who have kindly sent in donations for our raffle prizes. We have extended the date for drawing the raffle until next Thursday 28 March. The major prize will be an Easter hamper including tickets to the Melbourne Zoo. Please return tickets and money by next Wednesday.
SUNBURY SCHOOLS ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

Yesterday Killara took 44 students to the Sunbury Schools Athletics Carnival held at Boardman Athletics Track in Sunbury. All Killara participants put in their best effort on the day. For many it was their first time competing in an athletic event. Following yesterday’s results, performance results and times will be compared between both small division and big division schools to determine who will represent Sunbury at the Zone Athletics held in term three. Thanks to Teachers Chris, John and Deb from the office for their assistance on the day and special thanks to parents for their support around the track.

Andrew Pizaro Phys Ed and Sport

CANTEEN HELP NEEDED

The policy of the Canteen is to provide nutritious food at reasonable prices. It is essential for the Canteen to cover its costs of operation. To keep costs as low as possible we rely on volunteer help from parents to assist Andrea, our Canteen Manager. As you can imagine preparing lunch orders for a school our size can be a huge task so assistance is needed. If you can help, even if only for an hour or so a few times a year it would be most appreciated. Unfortunately, due to health regulations, smaller children are not allowed in a food preparation area. If you are able to assist, please see Andrea in the canteen or call the office on 9744 6432.

PUPIL OF THE WEEK

TERM 1, WEEK 6 & 7

Junior School

Preps

For sharing positive things during community circle & For working cooperatively with their special person

Middle School

Year 1/2

Participating in home reading enthusiastically & Being flexible with changes to classroom routine

Senior School

Encouraging classmates to respect our right to learn and work as much as possible & Displaying initiative in the classroom

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