PRINCIPAL’S NEWS

We have much going on in the last week of school with our Grade 3/4 students going on camp to Baanya Biami on Thursday and Friday. In addition to this we have many of our students participating in District Athletics on Thursday. (We thank the parents who are helping with transporting our athletes)

Next term the staff are really excited to be unveiling our new school wide positive behaviour acknowledgement system. We have a variety of ways of acknowledging and rewarding positive behaviours that support our school values. At the end of the Term 4 we will review this acknowledgement system and further refine it for 2017. Parents will be receiving information in the first week of next term.

Furthermore, we will be running a variety of other learning opportunities for our students, including: Puberty Sessions (Gr 5/6), Prep Orientation, Prep Dinner, P-2 Swimming and much more.

On behalf of all our staff we wish you a safe and happy holiday.

Enjoy!
Robbie

SCHOOL NEWS

Last Day of Term (Early Dismissal)

We have a slight adjustment to our schedule for the last day of Term 3.

9:00am – 11:00am – Normal Schedule
11.00am – 11.40am – First Break
11:40am – 1:30pm – Classes
1:30pm – 2:10pm – Second Break
2:10pm – 2:30pm – Pack up room for end to term

Baanya Biami

Year 3 & 4 students head to camp this Thursday - please ensure all forms (permission and medication) are returned to class teachers. Payment is to be finalised prior to attending camp - please see the office should you have any financial concerns relating to camp payment.

Division Athletics

Due to the weather conditions DIVISION ATHLETICS has been rescheduled to THURSDAY 15TH SEPTEMBER 2016.

Permission slips with the updated details went home with students yesterday; if you did not receive one please see your child’s class teacher.

If you are unable to transport due to the change of date please let the teacher know ASAP. Unfortunately, this date does clash with those attending Year 3 / 4 Camp. The decision was made by the District Coordinator and is out of the school’s hands.

Student Led Conferences

Date: Wednesday 14th Sept
Time: 2:30pm to 7:30pm

Student led conferences are important to provide student ownership of their learning. The process requires each student to thoughtfully reflect on and present their learning to others. The format for the Student-led conferences is as follows:

1. Students lead parents through their learning. (10-12 minutes) - arrive 10 minutes prior to appointment booking time.
2. Teacher facilitates a discussion of achievements, efforts and possible next steps. (5-8 minutes)

*Parents will be able to complete online bookings here www.schoolinterviews.com.au

Event Code: em482

Students will receive their Term 3 progress reports at the student led conference.

No Canteen this week
No Student Banking this week

Respect Responsibility Integrity Safety
Extend OSHC at Moolap Primary School

Last week students showed off their moves choreographing a dance to their favorite song! We also took advantage of the perfect weather and weeded the garden in preparation for the holidays. We are glad to report that the garden is full of spring onions and parsley, and our carrots and snow peas are growing nicely! I hope everyone has a great school holidays and look forward to seeing you in Term 4.

This week’s activities:
- Monday 12th September - Brownies
- Tuesday 13th September - Moolap’s Got Talent
- Wednesday 14th September - Stress Balls
- Thursday 15th September - Movie Night
- Friday 16th August - End of Term Party

ONLINE BOOKINGS: extend.com.au
CALL OUR OFFICE: 1300 366 437

TERM 4 LAUNCH: COME ALONG TO RED25 WEEK AT EXTEND AFTER SCHOOL CARE

A week filled with exciting science, craft, cooking, and sport activities based around giving blood, and general health and well-being.

Extend is coming together as a community with a goal to raise 100 blood donations by the end of October this year. To encourage everyone to get on board, Extend Director Stevenson will complete one of three possible dares if we reach 100 blood donations! Visit darrensdare.com to watch our launch video and see further information.

Your child can get involved by coming to Red25 Week in Term 4!

Discover what blood is made of by creating a sensory model, learn about the different blood types and which are compatible during a fun science experiment, put your chef’s hat on and join us in making the World’s Greatest Biscuit…and much more! Speak to your Team Leader to find out when Red25 Week begins.

Attention families and teachers: Be part of our goal to reach 100 Blood Donations!
Visit darrensdare.com for further info.

DIARY DATES

SEPTEMBER
- Wed 14 - Student Led Conference 2.30 – 7.30 p.m.
- Thurs 15 - Year 3 / 4 Camp Leaves
  - Division Athletics
- Fri 16 - Year 3 / 4 Camp Returns
  - Last day Term 3 – 2.30 dismissal
  - Reports home

OCTOBER
- Mon 04 - First Day Term 4

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It’s all happening at Newcomb Secondary College........

It is full steam ahead at Newcomb Secondary College with the development of the new P-TECH (Pathways In Technology) Program well under way.

This program, a first in the country, will enable our 2017 Year 10 students the opportunity to study a Certificate III qualification in Information Technology, Health Science or Business whilst at the same time completing their Year 10 studies. Unique to this program is each student having the opportunity to work with an experienced industry mentor.

The P-TECH program, proudly supported by the following industry partners, will prepare students with the most up to date skills to become valuable employees in our workforce of the future.

For further information please contact Newcomb Secondary College on 03-52481400 or www.newcombssc.vic.edu.au