CHESS TOURNAMENT

The interschool Chess tournament was held at Chalcot Lodge Primary School on Friday 7th June. Our school team played really well. Chalcot came second. The top 4 players in our team were Caleb Pellowe, Vishal Panditharatne, Dishan Naghawatta and Jaysen Del Soccoro. Caleb Pellowe was awarded second place in the individual competition and Jaysen Del Soccoro was awarded most improved player. A special mention goes to Jake Pellowe, in Grade 2, who did an amazing job and won against Grade 6 players. He received a credit award and this means he was in the top 25% of players. Thanks to all those Chalcot students who participated. All students were great sports and we had a wonderful day. A big thanks to Mrs Bearsley, Mrs Velasquez and Miss Mary for organising the event.

By Jaysen, Dishan and Vishal
FROM THE ACTING PRINCIPAL

Interschool Chess Tournament
On behalf of the Chalcot family I wish to congratulate the students who represented Chalcot Lodge in the Interschool Chess Tournament. Students from the various schools concentrated hard all day, applying their amazing logic and problem solving skills. Many thanks to Mrs Tamsin Bearsley for organising this big event which was held at our school last Friday.

Bunnings Barbeque
Many thanks to our wonderful PFA crew and helpers for their fantastic effort last Saturday at the Bunnings barbeque. A whopping $890.90 was taken on the day!!! This money will continue to go towards the upgrade of our senior playground area.

Earn and Learn Woolworths Vouchers
The Earn and Learn Woolworths Competition has now finished. If you have any vouchers, please send them to school no later than Wednesday 19th June.

Crazy Hat Day
I am so proud of the compassion the Chalcot Lodge community showed last Tuesday during our Crazy Hat Day. We raised $247.00 that will go towards purchasing school supplies and food for the Children in Somkele, South Africa.

Pancake Parlour Awards
We will be holding our last assembly for the term on Tuesday 25th June. During this assembly, one student in each class will be awarded a Pancake Parlour Award. The award will be given to the student who has shown the most improvement in Term 2.

Mid Year Reporting Process
Student mid-year reports will be handed out to all students on Tuesday 25th June. Parent/Teacher interviews will then be held on Thursday 27th June. Parents will be receiving their interview time slots early next week. Every effort has been made to coordinate siblings and to allocate parents their first or second preference time slot.

On the last day of Term 2, students will be bringing home their personal portfolios. This is a great opportunity for students to proudly show parents samples of their work from Term 2. The portfolios supplement the information provided by teachers in the formal written midyear reports.

PFA Disco – Friday 28th June (Last Day of Term 2)
Students have received a notice for our end of term PFA Disco. The disco ball will be flashing and the talented Ms Ablitt will be playing the hits from 9.30am to 10.45am. Students may come along to school in casual dress, however as the disco will be held during the school day, casual dress must consist of footwear which is appropriate and safe for school.

A reminder that no jewellery, hair colour, sprays of any description or makeup is to be worn at school.

Last Day of Term 2 – Friday 28th June
Just a reminder that our last day of Term 2 will be on Friday 28th June; students will be dismissed form school at 2.30pm.

Students will eat lunch from 12.50pm to 1.00pm. Lunch play will be from 1.00pm to 2.00pm. Students will then spend half an hour in their classrooms before being dismissed at 2.30pm.

Monica Ghirxi
Acting Principal

FROM THE ACTING ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL

How You can Help in the Fight to Prevent Vandalism
If you are concerned about people on our school property, particularly outside of schools hours, I would urge you to phone the Endeavour Hills Police. It is very important to make notes about any suspicious vehicles or people before contacting the police. The notes should include information such as vehicle type and registration numbers and the descriptions of any person/s acting suspiciously, causing wilful damage or behaving inappropriately on our school premises.

All matters of school security are controlled by the Emergency Management Department of the Department of Education and Early Childhood Development. Whilst our school is a joint use facility, with members of the school community welcome to use our junior and senior playground equipment, we are private not public property, and as such, school grounds cannot be used as thoroughfares or places for loitering.

Car Park Safety
I would like to remind parents that the staff car park is not to be used for parking, picking up or dropping off their children. Parents using Primrose Hill Close are also asked to remind their children of our Think Safe rule and that the safest entry to the school is via the pedestrian gate in front of the school.

Students are not permitted to enter or leave the school ground via the staff car park gate.

Court Orders
If there is a court order relating to your child from the Family Court, an Intervention Order or any other order, please ensure that the school has a copy of the most recent document. The school MUST have a copy on file before it can follow any Order. The school CANNOT act on a verbal direction from a parent.

It’s not Ok to be Away
Absenteism can have a significant effect on your child’s academic performance and social development. What can your child learn if they are not at school?

Some absences are entirely valid, sickness is the most obvious reason, but to give your child the best chance of success and to give them more choices in life, they must attend as regularly as possible. One absent day a fortnight equates to 20 days a year, which equates to one whole year of schooling by the time your child reaches year 10.

As the mornings become darker and colder, please ensure that your alarm clocks are operating effectively. This will ensure that your child starts the day on time and on task.

Happy Campers
How very exciting, our year 5/6 students are off to camp next Wednesday for two nights. I hope you all have a fantastic time. I will be visiting sometime throughout your stay, so make sure you save some of that yummy food for me! Bon Voyage!!!

Mr P’s Footy Predictions
HAWKS by 35 points
TIGERS by 28 points
FREO by 65 points

BOMBERS by 10 points
PORT by 34 points
PIES by 45 points

Paul Poliviou
Acting Assistant Principal
CANCEND IS OPEN FOR LUNCH ORDERS AND COUNTER SALES MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS & FRIDAYS CLOSED TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS

# DIARY DATES

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## UPCOMING INVITS AND EXCURSIONS

| Monday 17<sup>th</sup> June | UNSW Writing Competition |
| Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> June | UNSW Spelling Competition |
| Wednesday – 19<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> June | Year 5 / 6 Camp – Phillip Island Adventure Resort |
| Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> July | UNSW English Competition |

# MELBOURNE FOOTBALL CLUB MEMBERS VISIT

![Melbourne Football Club Members Visit](image1)

# CRAZY HAT DAY

Our Chalcot Family wore their crazy hats and made gold coin donations, in support of the Somkele Village in South Africa.

![Crazy Hat Day](image2)
**UNIFORM SALES**

School uniform items can be purchased directly from the Beleza School Uniform Store at shop 7, 151 – 159 Princess Hwy, Hallam, phone 9702 3181. Mastercard, Bankcard and Visa are all accepted. Beleza order forms are also available at the school office. When placing your order you will need to make payment to the school either by cash or by completing your credit card details on the order form. Beleza staff will then deliver your order to the school.

**WE ARE HAVING OUR END OF FINANCIAL YEAR SALE 17th – 28th JUNE!!**

20% OFF  
All Beleza branded items
10% OFF  
For non-Beleza brands.

**BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE**

**Morning:** 7.30am – 8.45am Monday to Friday during school term, excluding all Victorian Public Holidays.
Permanent: $15.00  Casual: $15.00.

Breakfast is provided until 8.00am.

**Afternoon:** 3.30pm – 6.00pm Monday to Friday during school term, excluding all Victorian Public Holidays. Afternoon snack and drink provided.
Permanent: $19.00  Casual: $19.00

**Please note:-** Only on Friday 28th June (last day of term), Chalcot Lodge after school care will open: Morning (7.00am to 8.45am) and afternoon (2.30pm to 5.30pm). After the holidays we will again open on 15th July 2013 at 7.00am as usual.

**Activities Week Ending Friday the 21st & 28th June**
Tissue paper flowers looped and gathered ribbon ornaments, Leaf Collage and room garland, paper weaving and lovebird decoration. Colouring sheets are optional for those who have interest in colouring. In addition, there will be indoor/outdoor games throughout the week.

**For enquiries or further information please call:**  
Vim (Please contact during session times) on 0400 194 859.

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**BULLYING – Presented by Jeremy Blackman**

This seminar will explore the issue of bullying, including cyber bullying and provide insights into ways to identify, manage and prevent bullying. This informative presentation will be held on Monday 17th June at 6.30pm at the Cranbourne Library, 56 Berwick-Cranbourne Road. Bookings are essential - please call 5990 0150.

**WINTER ARTS – For Casey Kids**

**MOONLIT SANCTUARY SCHOOL HOLIDAY – Young Ranger Program**
Environmental Activities, Native Animal Care, Fun and Games during Winter 2013. Monday 1st, Wednesday 3rd, Friday 5th July, Monday 8th, Wednesday 10th and Friday 12th July. Cost $39 per day or $105 for 3 days. Bookings essential – suitable 7 – 14 year olds. Hours 10.00am to 3.00pm. Wear closed-toe shoes and long pants and remember your hat. Lunches: BYO or available for $7.50. Call 5978 7935 for bookings.