This week Maureen Shortt came to teach us about road safety. We learnt about how to cross the road safely and responsibly. She told us how to zip up our bags and not to play with balls while we cross the road. Maureen also told us about the whistles, for example 1 long whistle means an emergency and 2 whistles mean you can walk across the road. Also, we played road safety games and we had FUN!!!

By Jaike, Noor & Vishal
Wearing School Hats is Compulsory
Just a reminder, that beginning next term, all students must wear their school uniform broad brim hat when outside. Students who do not have their hats during recess times will be asked to stay under the covered way adjacent to the office.
As part of our Sun Smart Policy:
• Students must wear a uniform hat during Terms 1 and 4 for all outdoor activities.
• During Physical Education and sporting activities students are required, where possible, to wear a hat or remain in the shade.

Froggy Awards
Congratulations to those students who received a Froggy Award during Tuesday’s assembly. Froggy Awards are presented to one student from each class who has worked really hard during the term and has shown significant improvement in their work.

How You can Help in the Fight to Prevent Vandalism
If you are concerned about people on our school property, particularly over the school holidays, I would urge you to phone Emergency Management on 9589 6266 or the Endeavour Hills Police 9709 7666.
It is very important to make notes about any suspicious vehicles or people before contacting the police or Emergency Management. The notes should include information such as vehicle type and registration numbers and the descriptions of any persons 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.

Happy Holidays
As always, it has been a very happy and busy term and it’s time for students and staff to spend some happy times with their families over the term break. I look forward to seeing everyone rested and ready for a great Term 4.

Canteen Closed Monday 7th October
Please note that the canteen will be closed for both counter sales and lunch orders on the first day of Term 4, Monday 7th October.
Please do not send any lunch orders to school on this day. The canteen will be open for business as usual commencing Wednesday 9th October.

Monica Ghirxi - Paul Poliviou
Assistant Acting Principals
HOLIDAY GARDENING FUN

Hello to all you happy gardeners out there. I know you love gardening, so I have set aside two mornings in the holidays to get our garden patches ready for the ‘Bunnings Planting Day’ early in term four.

If you are available and would like to join me and some enthusiastic staff, to weed our garden patch, I will open the garden on:

Tuesday 24th September and Tuesday 1st October from 10.00am until 12.00noon.

No need to RSVP, just arrive with your gardening gloves!

Happy Holidays

Cathy Bracegirdle
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.

SCHOOL BANKING
Don’t forget that FRIDAY is School Banking day and students should bring in their weekly deposit.

For every deposit made, students will receive a cool Dollarmites token. Once students have individually collected 10 tokens they can then be redeemed for a range of great, exclusive reward items.

School Banking will resume on Friday 11th October.

Ruth Fullard
School Banking Co ordinator

BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE
Morning: 7.00am – 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
Note: Parents please see that your child has sunscreen and hat in their bag. Also let Vim know if your child has sunscreen allergy.
For enquiries or further information please call Vim on 0400 194 859 during session times.

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BLUE LIGHT DISCO
Our next and final disco will be held at the Narre Warren North Community Hall, A’Beckett Road, Narre Warren North on Friday 11th October from 6.00pm until 9.00pm. Cost is $10 for students in years 3,4,5,6,7 & 8 only. For more information call Narre Warren Police Station on 97053111.

PREP 0/AC PUPPET SHOW
On Wednesday, students in Prep 0/AC enjoyed showcasing their puppet show to visiting parents.