

Growing a Supportive Community of Active Learners



Chalcot's Got Talent!



FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Curriculum Day – Tomorrow (Friday 20th May)

A reminder that our next curriculum day will be held tomorrow. Students **do not** attend school tomorrow. This curriculum day has been allocated for the preparation of midyear reports.

Chalcot has HEAPS of Talent

WOW! What a very happy and exciting time the Chalcot family enjoyed this week at our annual Chalcot Lodge Talent Quest. The acts were fabulous, ranging from comedians to dancers, singers and musicians. You couldn't wish for a better way to start off our Education Week celebrations!

Congratulations and thank you to all our students who 'strutted their stuff' on the big stage! It made me feel very proud as I watched the performers shine on stage, presenting their talents to a full and very appreciative audience. A very special thank you to the talented Ms Natoli who put in a tremendous amount of effort into organising this event.

Ms Keay's Amazing Resin Art Special Effort

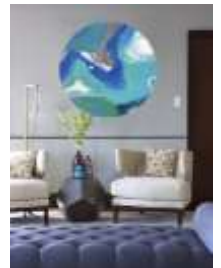


Ms Keay has kindly painted and donated one of her magnificent artworks to the school. This beautiful resin painting (90cm round) took weeks to create and is valued at \$550.

If you would like to be in the draw to win this beautiful piece of Artwork, tickets will be sold over the next three weeks.

Tickets can be purchased for \$5.00 each either through your child's class teacher or from the office. The winning ticket will be drawn at Assembly on Tuesday 7th June. All money raised from this special effort will go towards upgrading our ICT Lab laptops.

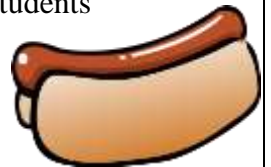
The Artwork is currently being displayed in the front office.



Parent Club Special Lunch Day – Friday 27th May.

Our Parent Club are organising a **Special Lunch Order Day for Friday 27th May**. Students may order a hotdog (or halal frankfurt) and Pop Top drink (apple or orange flavour) for \$5.00.

A notice has been sent out to the school community via tiqbiz earlier this week. Please place your orders through **Qkr no later than Monday 23rd May** or contact the office to make alternate arrangements. Ensure you complete a separate order for each child.



Walk to School Day – Friday 27th May



Next Friday 27th May is Walk to School Day. Although walking all the way to school isn't realistic for some of us, it would be great if children can walk some of the way to school. Come on Chalcot, it's time that we seriously start talking about walking!!!!

Divisional Cross Country Competition

Congratulations to our 11 students who will be participating in the Divisional Cross Country Competition next Monday. We wish you all the very best. A very big thank you to our amazing P.E teacher, Ms Thomas for organising our school's participation.

School Policy Review

We are currently reviewing our Drug Related Critical Incident and Privacy policies. School community input is welcome. If you would like to make any comments in relation to these policies, please feel free to email your comments to me via the schools email address at chalcot.lodge.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au.

Monica Ghirxi
Principal

FROM THE ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL

Excursions and Invisits

To enrich class programs this year, teachers have planned excursions outside the school to provide all students with opportunities for first hand learning experiences, which will broaden their understanding and knowledge of units of work being taught.

Teachers will have also planned invisits to the school where visitors provide expertise and knowledge as part of the planned curriculum program.

It is vital that all students attend excursions and invisits as these activities relate to specific parts of the school's curriculum. It is vital that the permission slip and money be returned promptly to the school. Legally, without the return of a signed permission slip, a student CANNOT attend an excursion or invisit.

Students participating in excursions which require a meal should clearly label their lunch and drink (no glass containers for drinks).

School uniform must be worn at all times on excursions.

Do We Need To Know Something?

Moved house, changed phone numbers, have a new mobile, started a new job or arranged a new emergency contact? Don't forget to let us know if any of these details have changed.

If a new **Family Court Order** has been made, please make sure the school has a copy. We are only able to follow court orders if we have a copy of them in the school.

Punctuality and Regular Attendance

It is essential that students develop a positive attitude to coming to school. To assist this, it is necessary that students arrive at school before the music at 8.55am. Ideally, the students should arrive between 8.45 and 8.55 am. This will allow them time to meet their friends and line up ready for the 9.00am bell.

Mr P's Footy Predictions

Hawks by 20 points
Cats by 30 points
Crows by 55 points
Power by 20 points
North by 23 points
Dockers by 12 points
Melb by 40 points
Giants by 35 points
Saints by 12 points



Paul Poliviou
Assistant Principal



DIARY DATES

Friday	20th	May	Curriculum Day	Student Free Day
Monday	23 rd	May	Division Cross Country	Payment & permission due by 19 th May
Tuesday	24 th	May	Assembly	2.40 – Hall
Friday	27 th	May	Interschool Sports	Home – Southern Cross
Friday	27 th	May	Walk Safely to School day	
Monday	30 th	May	Parent Club	6.30pm – Staffroom
Wednesday	1 st	June	Science Competition	ICAS
Thursday	2 nd	June	Prep Myuna Farm Excursion	Payment & permission due by 26 th May
Friday	3 rd	June	Interschool Sport	Away – St Paul Apostle South
Tuesday	7 th	June	Assembly	2.40 – Hall
Wednesday	8 th	June	Kinder Club	2.30pm – 3.30pm
Friday	10 th	June	Interschool Sports	Home – St Paul Apostle North
Monday	13th	June	Public Holiday	No School
Wednesday	15 th	June	Year 4 Production	9.30am & 11.30am
Wednesday	15 th	June	School Council	7.00pm – Staffroom
Thursday	16 th	June	Writing Competition	ICAS
Friday	17 th	June	Interschool Sport	Away – Doveton
Friday	17 th	June	Spelling Competition	ICAS

CHALCOT LEGEND AWARD – CAYLAN MINATOR

Congratulations to Caylan for being selected to receive the Chalcot Legend Award. Caylan is one of the kindest boys I know. He loves to learn new things and he helps his friends enjoy learning also. He is a real encourager! Keep up the great work Superstar!

Caylan will receive his certificate at assembly on Tuesday 24th May.

Mrs Bracegirdle

CHALCOT ACHIEVER AWARD

Congratulations to the following students who have been selected by their teachers to receive Chalcot Achiever Awards. Chalcot Achievers will receive their certificates at assembly on Tuesday 24th May.

0K	Mikail Ozerkan	0C	Eliana Kan
1/2B	Anaka Verstegen	1/2C	Alannah McInnes
1/2O	Yomal Karunasekara	1/2V	Kety Win
3/4E	Ianeta Pernise	3/4K	Jenny Mayes
3/4N	Nivedita Poudel	4/5T	Alnaz Hekmati
5/6A	Diyana Nagahawatta	5/6P	Kelton Potter

Chalcot's Got More Talent!





Danza

Entry:
\$5 Per Person
Accompanied Kids
under 12 free!

SATURDAY 28th May, 2016

3pm - 8pm

Narre Community Learning Centre, Malcom CRT Narre Warren
1 mins walk from Narre Warren Train station
Details go to: www.facebook.com/events/1016338641736837/
Stall bookings: rcondeza@hotmail.com
or call 0402019201

NEW Pop Culture EVENT!
Toys, Comics, Clubs,
Gaming, Cosplay,
and more!

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 and Visa are 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 the school.

BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE

Child Care Benefit and Child Care Rebate available for all families.

Morning: 7.00am – 8.45am Monday to Friday during school term, excluding all Victorian Public Holidays.

Permanent/casual: \$ 15.00.

Breakfast is provided until 8.30am.

Afternoon: 3.30pm – 6.00pm Monday to Friday during school term, excluding all Victorian Public Holidays.

Afternoon snack and drink provided.

Permanent/casual: \$ 19.00.

This week activities include:

- Designing cards & gift boxes
- Origami paper craft
- Using oil pastels
- Wool art & craft
- Music & drama

If you have any concerns please feel free to speak to Shani on 0400 194 859 during session times or come in and have a chat!

Y.L.V Team

SCHOOL BANKING

Don't forget that EVERY FRIDAY is School Banking day and students should hand in their deposit book first thing on Friday.

IMPORTANT DATES:

20/5/16 - Curriculum Day – no school and no School Banking

27/5/16 - Last opportunity for making the 1st of 15 deposits required for Australia Zoo competition

REWARDS NEWS: The Term 2 items are now available for ordering – the Mud Splat Handball, and the Outback Pat Bag Tag. The following items are also still available while stocks last: Dollarmites MoneyBox, ET DVD, Flying Snake Tail, Galaxy Glider, Intergalactic Rocket, Outer Space Savers Money Box, and Wildlife Writer Set.

AUSTRALIA ZOO COMPETITION:

Students who make a minimum of 15 deposits by the end of Term 3 will automatically go in the running to win a family trip for up to 2 adults and 3 children to explore Australia Zoo and meet Bindi and Robert Irwin! Even if your child hasn't made any deposits yet this year, there is still time to qualify!

Ingrid Williams

School Banking Coordinator

