Growing a Supportive Community of Active Learners

Hoodwinked

On June 15th many students, staff and families enjoyed the wonderful Production from the Year 4’s. They gave 2 amazing performances, with an Evil Sheriff trying to take over the town! The only hope was with an Outlaw named Robin Hood and his Merry Men and Woman! The Sheriff had captured him but then Friar Tuck & King Richard saved him along with Lady Marian! Audience member enjoyed a Super Play, especially when Simon the Pieman payed back the Sheriff with a cream pie to the face. The Year 4’s and Ms Natoli worked very hard for 1 and a half terms to create this wonderful play! If you watched this incredible play I hope you loved it!

Written by Simon and the Sheriff’s Deputy AKA Alejandro and Jason in 45T.
FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Bravo!!
Congratulations to our very talented Year 4 students on their wonderful performance of ‘Hoodwinked’. What a show!!! The students looked fantastic in their medieval costumes and had the audience entertained and laughing the whole way through. A very big thank you to our talented Performing Arts teacher, Ms Natoli. Many long hours and hard work has gone into organising and preparing our children for their very special performance. This will certainly be a moment that our children will remember!!!!

Froggy Awards
We will be holding our last assembly for the term on Tuesday 21st 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. The winning class of the Parent Club 5¢ Fundraiser will also be announced during this assembly.

Cadbury Chocolate Drive
Chocolates will be distributed to families next Wednesday 22nd June. We ask that all unsold chocolates and money collected be returned to school no later than Friday 29th July, 2016. Money should be in the named envelope provided and unsold chocolates in the original box/bag.

Parent Club Disco
A reminder that the Parent Club Day Disco is next Friday 24th June. The disco ball will flashing from 9.15am to 10.15am for Years Prep to 2 and 11.30am to 12.30pm for Years 3 to 6. The cost is $2.00 per child to attend the disco and a further $2.00 per child to come along in casual dress ($4.00 per child total); Parent Club has put a cap of $10.00 per family. Payment can be made via Qkr or cash payments will be accepted on the day. Cash payments will not be accepted before the day of the disco.

Last Day of Term 2 – Friday 24th June
Please ensure that you have made arrangements for your children to be picked up at 2.30pm.
If you are unable to make arrangements for a 2.30pm pick up and supervision is required, please contact Before and After School Care on 0400 194 859.
The arrangements for the day will be as follows:
9.00am to 11.00am Session 1 (Junior School disco 9.15 to 10.15)
11.00am to 11.30am Morning recess
11.30am to 12.50pm Session 2 (Senior School Disco 11.30 to 12.30)
12.50pm to 1.00pm Students eating their lunch in classrooms
1.00pm to 2.00pm Lunch recess
2.00pm to 2.30pm Last session for the day in classrooms. Children will be dismissed from their classrooms at 2.30pm.

Scratch, Scratch, Scratch………..HEAD LICE!
During this week we have had two reported cases of head lice in the Year 3/4 area. We would urge all parents to check their children’s and their own hair. Lice do not just infect children’s hair!
It is essential that hair is treated with an appropriate shampoo and that the hair is sectioned off for thorough combing with a special fine toothed comb to remove eggs sticking to the hair. Students with long hair should wear it tied back while at school.

I still Can't Find it!
We have quite a number of lost property items in the hall. Any named items handed in are promptly given back to their owners. It is clear to see that a lot of the items were once named, but over time and regular washing the name has faded and distorted. We suggest that you regularly check your child’s named items to ensure that the label is still intact and easily read. If you have any missing items of clothing, please feel free to come and look in the lost property box.
It has also come to our attention that clothing, particularly jumpers and hats that are clearly labelled still go missing!!! Often, children (no matter what age) will pick up and wear a jumper or a hat that is not theirs. If you discover that your child has accidentally brought home an item that is not theirs, could you please bring it back to school as soon as possible, so that we can return it to its rightful owner. We would greatly appreciate all families double checking this week, to make sure they have the rightly named jumpers and hats.

Monica Ghirxi
Principal
It’s Not OK To Be Away
Absenceism has an 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 school year, that 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.

School Safety Procedures - Visitors at School
All volunteers at the school, including parent helpers, are required to have a current “Working With Children Check” Card and details about this can be gained at the school office.

All volunteers and visitors to the school, (including parents who are just popping in for 5 minutes or workmen) must call at the office to sign the Visitors Register and to collect a school security badge before commencing their activity each visit. The visitors badge must be worn at all times and clearly displayed.

These procedures ensure the safety of our students and all visitors within the school grounds.

First Aid
When a child comes into First Aid for minor cuts and grazes, in line with the Department regulations, their wound is washed with water only and if needed, a band aid is placed over the wound. Schools are not allowed to apply any antiseptic cream etc. parents are advised to check at home as to whether any follow up treatment is necessary.

Please note that in the case of serious cuts, grazes or injuries, parents or emergencies contacts are notified. When these people cannot be notified the school exercises duty of care and takes appropriate action.

Staff 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 the school ground via the staff car park gate.

Bringing Students To School By Car
Parents who drive their children to school and use the front pedestrian gate are advised to enter Primrose Hill Close from the northern end (closer to Kennington Park Drive). Drivers may then use the parking bay to allow children out of the car. There is NO STANDING allowed opposite the school from 8.30 am to 9.00 am and from 3.15 pm to 3.45 pm. For safety reasons, parents must not double park. The City of Casey Council patrols this area and will readily book offenders. Fines for such offences are quite substantial. The school has no control over the issuing of these fines and cannot enter into discussions with The City of Casey regarding fines. Double parking or parking in ‘No Standing’ zones is illegal - even if “for only a few seconds”. Our prime concern is for the safety of our students.

Mr P’s Footy Predictions

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Paul Polivou
Assistant Principal
The user design experts at MasterCard have come up with a new design and parent experience within the Qkr app that all users will see with the update from Apple’s App Store or the Google Play store on or soon after the 16th of June, 2016. Your username and password will remain the same, as will any credit or debit cards already stored within Qkr, as well as your profile settings and those of your children. What will change significantly is the look and feel of the app, and the screens you will see in the process of using Qkr. Below are some of the current Qkr screens on left (as seen on an iPad today), and how they will appear with the app refresh.

Home screen: Our school will appear at the top of the home screen for currently registered users, but note some new terms like “Discover” and “Activity” as Qkr is being used increasing by non-school merchants around the world, so the design has been modified to cater for users in a wide range of industry sectors.

Receipts will in future be stored under the “Activity” tab. Your old receipts will still be accessible from this area.
Product selection screen: This screen will now be more efficiently used to make scrolling through a large list of products easier.

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Super Hero Dress-up Day

**Friday, July 15th 2016**

Come dressed as your favourite Super Hero for the day

**Preps to Year 6**

Gold Coin donation – Towards Environmental work in the Kitchen garden or Outdoor garden.
## DIARY DATES

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## FROGGY AWARD

| 0K | Ramin Rezayee | 0C | Skyler Sumonidis |
| 12B | Makayla Kerr | 12C | Camellia Gatkuoth |
| 12O | Amna Bilal  | 12V | Cassia Mudalige |
| 34E | Amy Millar  | 34K | Christy Allsopp |
| 34N | Noah Balog  | 45T | Ethan Landman |
| 56A | Caitlyn Elliot | 56P | Tahlia Temple |
| ICT | Jerell Samson-Kite | ART | Rozhan Nasr |
| PE | Lachlan Waite-Pullan | PERFORMING ARTS | Jason Lamb |
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:
- Making window art with glue and food colouring
- X-ray fish
- Bubble Painting
- Science experiment
- Musical games

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
24/6/16: Last day for School Banking Term 2.
15/7/16: School Banking resumes after school holidays.

Rewards News
There is ONLY ONE Flying Snake Tail available for our bankers to order. If your child wishes to order this item, please also show a second choice, in case we run out. The following items are available while stocks last:
- Mud Splat Handball
- Outback Pat Bag Tag
- Dollarmites MoneyBox
- ET DVD
- Galaxy Glider
- Intergalactic Rocket
- Outer Space Savers Money Box
- Wildlife Writer Set.
If you don’t have an order slip for any of these, just supply a note along with your 10 tokens.

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, so keep making those deposits!

Ingrid Williams
School Banking Coordinator

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.

BELEZA – SCHOOL UNIFORMS HALLAM
TERM 2 SCHOOL HOLIDAYS TRADING HOURS
Last day of term, (24TH JUNE 2016)
9:00am to 2:00pm
The store will be closed between Saturday 25th June 2016 to Saturday 2nd July 2016.
We will resume back to normal trading hours as of Monday 4th JULY 2016.

Normal Trading Hours
(Effective as of 4th July 2016) E
Monday to Friday – 9:00am to 5:00pm
Saturday – 9:00am to 1:00pm

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JUNE 30

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JULY 14

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JULY 21

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SEPTEMBER 8

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Information correct at time of printing. All dates and films are subject to change.
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35 Gwendoline Drive
Berwick Fields Primary School
Sunday 19th June
9am – Noon

Adults $2
Kids free

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