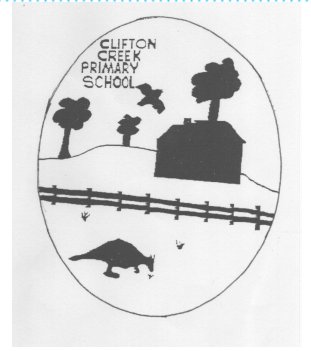


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Calendar– Term 3 July 15--Sep 20

JULY

- Monday 22 Playgroup
AASC
- Tuesday 23 Bendy Ed
Tuckshop
R.E. with Diana & Matt
- Wed 24 Marc Van
AASC
School Council 5.30pm
- Thurs 25 Mini Winter Sports gr 4-6
NO KITCHEN GARDEN CLASS
- Friday 26 Friday Fang
School Photo forms due back
- Wed 31 School Photo Day

AUGUST

- Fri 2 Working Bee
- Wed 21 Cluster Athletics
- Thurs 29 Kids & Blokes Night

Well done everyone! Our sausage sizzle was fantastic. Thankyou everyone for supporting this event by bringing your children along to perform and buying a snag or two. Despite the miserable weather the children drummed on regardless. Well done guys. We received so much positive feedback! Once again a huge thankyou to Faith for coordinating this event. Thankyou to those parents who were able to assist with the cooking. If you haven't been rostered on for some cooking, why not pop your name down as we have one more Sizzle at Bunnings in September & would love to have more parents assist.

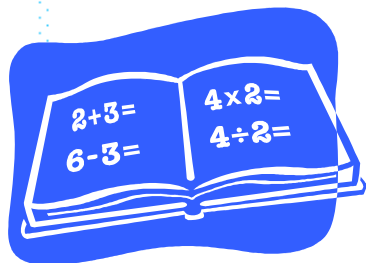
Winter Sports

A reminder that the children in grades 4-6 will be participating in a smaller 'Winter Sports' event with Nicholson and Eagle Point Primary School. If you haven't returned your permission form please do so asap. If the weather is miserable we will remain at school.

CCPS WEBSITE *Have you seen our upgraded website?*

Maths

One of the significant positive features of our school is the ability to target our teaching to meet the individual needs of our students.



Over the next few weeks the children will come together on a Monday and Wednesday afternoon to

participate in targeted small group work. Jenny, Kat and myself will be working with small groups of children across the school with a focus on addition and subtraction. Why not ask your child to tell you all about it.

Kitchen/Garden

It was wonderful to have extra help in both the kitchen and garden last week. Thanks Hollie! Remember there is always plenty to do on a Thursday morning so if you have an hour or two to spare come on over and give us a hand in the kitchen or garden.

Friday Fang

Please ensure all orders are in by Thursday morning. Thanks to Mellissa and our grade 6 students for organising our Friday Fang. A copy of the current menu is attached.

SCHOOL PHOTOS

Rosie will be back next Wednesday 31 July to take school photos. Please ensure all orders and money are here at school by this FRIDAY.

Playgroup

Our playgroup will now run on a Monday morning in the other half of the senior room. We would love some of our school families to come along if you have toddlers. Playgroup runs from 10-11.30am and is free of charge. Tea/coffee is provided as well as morning tea for the children. Hope to see you there!

School Council

Finance Committee meets early this week. **School Council** meets on Wednesday 24th July at Ethos, 5.30pm. Please let us know if you will be an apology. All welcome. An agenda will be emailed to members.

AASC

Our Active After School Communities program resumes this week. Two sessions will be held at school each Monday and Wednesday for the next seven weeks. The school bus will run later on these afternoons.

Fresh fruit and fun skill based games are provided free of charge. Thank you to Nyrie and Kerry for running these sessions.

Tuckshop

Tuckshop will start again tomorrow morning for small over the counter treats. Tuckshop is run by our Grade 5 students. Thankyou to Jenny for purchasing our 'goodies' for tuckshop. Thankyou also to Nyrie and Tanya for donations of homemade goodies for us to sell.

RESOURCESMART

TREES to PLANT

Students have been working through ResourceSmart accreditation for the Energy Module and we are hoping to do our bit to reduce carbon in relation to our annual usage of electricity. We have already planted in the school grounds but would ideally like to continue planting elsewhere – maybe on private property if anyone is interested.

Can you suggest a site where we can come and plant native trees as a carbon sink in our local area. All plants, guards, digging equipment and planting personnel are provided. Thank you for your support in helping our little school minimise waste, save energy and water, promote biodiversity, and cut our greenhouse gas emissions.

PARENT OPINION SURVEYS

These will be conducted NEXT week, so keep a look out for the surveys attached to next week's newsletter. It only takes 15 minutes to fill out and all responses are anonymous.

Marc Van

Mrs Severs will be here with the Mobile Area Resource Centre Van on Wednesday morning. Students require a protective bag to bring books home.

Little Class

It was great to see everyone back last week, and especially nice to have Taylor and Brooke back in our Clifton Creek family.

We made a maths graph of things done in the holidays, trips to different places and computers were the most popular activities. We are working on money, learning about the different coins and adding these together.

To help make how we use money easy to understand, and the concept of paying for something, the children all randomly chose a purse with varying dollars (play money!) They need to pay one dollar to have their lunch and go on the bus. Each day these 'taxes' will change. Please send in any boxes etc that we can use to make a supermarket to practise paying for goods and receiving change.

'W' was our letter for the week, and on Friday the children all wrote a Well Done letter to a class mate they picked out of a hat. They had to spy on this person and then write to them about the things they had done well!

Thanks,
Kat

Term 3 AASC Mondays and Wednesdays at Clifton Creek Primary School

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8
Monday	22 July	29 July	5 Aug	12 Aug	19 Aug	26 Aug	2 Sept	
Wednesday	24 July	31 July	7 Aug	14 Aug		28 Aug	4 Sept	11 Sept



What percentage of the Australian public say they will have a use for an electronic waste recycling scheme in the next six months?

86% of people surveyed believed they will need to recycle some electronic equipment such as a mobile phone or computer in the next six months.

There are many local collection programs for different types of e-waste. Including all East Gippsland Transfer Stations

The 'Cartridges 4 Planet Ark' and MobileMuster programs are the only two national programs.

Household batteries.....

Mobile phones and / or phone batteries



Harvey Norman



Battery World

Our Recycling Guarantee

We guarantee to recycle, or responsibly dispose of, ALL batteries we sell when they are returned to our stores.

THINK GREEN



ACT PURPLE

Not sure where to recycle ? ...try.....



FRIDAY FANG



WINTER MENU 2013

Mains

Homemade meat pie	\$2.00
Homemade sausage rolls	\$2.00
Spaghetti Bolognese	\$2.50
Pizza Muffins	\$2.00
Nachos	\$2.00

Drinks

Hot Milo	\$2.00
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Desserts

Apple Crumble	\$2.00
Lemon Meringue Tart	\$1.50

Would an extra \$500 help
cover education costs for
you or your children?



Match your savings for school costs, dollar for dollar, through Saver Plus, a free financial education and matched savings program . Save Plus is an initiative of ANZ and the Brotherhood of St Laurence and is funded by ANZ and the Australian Government.. Contact Col Robson 5144 7633 0408 132 044