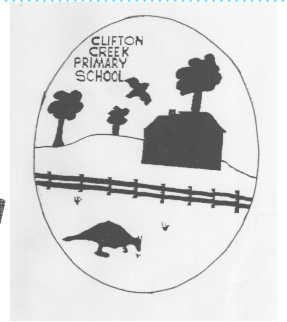


# Clifton Creek Primary School

# newsletter



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## Calendar– Term 2

Term 2: 22 April to 27 June

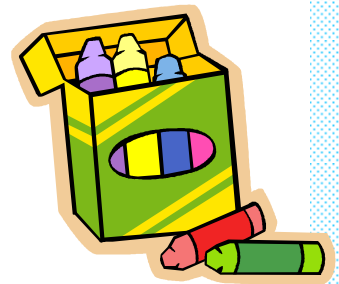
### JUNE

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| Monday 16  | Science with Hilary<br>AASC session 12                       |
| Tuesday 17 | JTC Regional rehearsal<br>Religious Education<br>NO Tuckshop |
| Wed 18     | AASC session 13<br>School Council Mtg 5.30pm                 |
| Friday 20  | MarcVan  |
| Sunday 22  | CCPS @Howitt Park  |
| Tuesday 24 | Parent Teacher Interviews                                    |
| Monday 23  | Final AASC session   |
| Friday 27  | Last Day Term 2<br>Friday Wish<br>Early finish 2.15pm        |

### JULY

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| Monday 14 | Term 3 starts |
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Another short week has flown by! We were delighted to welcome Bec, Kiara and Georgia to our 'Come and Play' Day on Thursday morning. It was lovely to have some new faces pop in and see our fantastic school. We have another introductory session for kindergarten children on Thursday August 14. Any families with pre-schoolers are welcome to 'Come and Play'. In Term 4 we will have our Prep Steps program running on Thursdays in October and November.



### School Council

Finance subcommittee met last Wednesday morning to oversee payment of accounts and review the budget. This Wednesday afternoon is the rescheduled Council meeting, 5.30pm at the offices of Ethos NRM in MacLeod St Bairnsdale. All welcome.

## **KITCHEN GARDEN**

On Thursday we welcomed chef Angelo to the Kitchen. Visiting from the Philippines, Angelo was keen to see our Kitchen/Garden program in operation and hopes to include these philosophies into his restaurant back home. It was wonderful to welcome Jill back from Japan. Both the kitchen and garden were in full swing! Harvesting an amazing yield of Jerusalem artichokes was one of the highlights in the garden. We enjoyed a delicious feast which included artichokes, veggy soup, pizzoccheri and pumpkin & ricotta pastries. (recipe for the pastries was in last week's newsletter)

## **Friday Fang**

Thanks again to Macy, Kasey and Chloe for another delicious Friday Fang. Please remember to have all orders in by Thursday morning as Dave does the shopping after school on a Thursday evening. This ensures our food is fresh and limits waste. ***Please also note that Nachos are now \$3.00.***

## **Thankyou to:**

Leanne for your continued hard work in the library.  
To those families who returned wood raffle tickets.  
To those families who have donated food for us to sell at Tuckshop.

## **Marc Van Week**

MarcVan will be here on Friday morning– please bring a protective bag for safe carrying of books.

## **FRIDAY WISH**

On the last day of term Friday 27th June we will have a movie-pyjama-fish & chip wish day. Children can come to school in their PJs and will be having fish & chips for lunch. Please send along \$3 for lunch.

## **CCPS goes to Town**

This Sunday we are setting up at the Howitt Park market as a way of promoting some of the great things we do at CCPS. We will have a display of student work, Kitchen Garden themed items to sell, publicity material and of course we will draw the fire wood raffle. We would love to see all of our families pop in and say hello. We will be there from 8am to 1pm. Thanks to Jill and Bree for organising this venture.

**TUCKSHOP** There will be NO tuckshop tomorrow.

## **PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS**

Please send back those time sheets as soon as possible in order for interview times to be confirmed.

## **HAPPY BIRTHDAYS**

***To Hilary and Dave who both celebrate their birthdays this week.***

# Little Class Senior Class

It was a week for antonyms, reviewing vowel sounds and spelling, learning about procedural text, telling the time and counting by 3s. Busy, busy with literacy and maths in the Little Class. We also planned and set up our room for the Come and Play Day for kinder children. That was fun! Thanks to Rhys who has been bringing in some really interesting books about social skills. Last week we read about 'Decibella' who used a loud voice all the time. We are now trying to practise using our six-inch voices, that can not be heard if someone is more than six inches away. Very useful for children becoming aware of how loud they are speaking and what is an appropriate volume in different situations. Thanks to Grades 5 and 6, Tuckshop and Fang were delicious! Please keep reading with your child at home. Thank you!  
Kat

Almost back to a full week of learning!! This week in literacy we looked at the 'ir' sound in our soundwaves. We also consolidated our writing skills with student personal comments for their report, our regular diary writing and editing and publishing of writing pieces. Mathematics introduced us to the square and lattice method of multiplication. We also enjoyed a teams challenge on Friday with points being awarded for academic abilities during our problem solving session, and also through sporting abilities by undertaking various skills in P.E.  
Dave

## **JTC Regional Rehearsal**

Tomorrow is our third Joining the Chorus regional rehearsal. We ask for a gold coin donation from each of the JTC children to help cover cost of the bus. Children are to wear school uniform and appropriate footwear (runners).

## **ACTIVE AFTER SCHOOLS**

We have just three sessions left this term— thanks to Nyrie and Gemma for running a great program of fun outdoor activities and healthy fruit snacks this term.

<b>TERM 2</b>	12 & 13	14
Monday	16 June	23 June
Wednesday	18 June	

Next term we will start on Monday 21 July

## **FUNDRAISING**

### ***Clifton Creek Cookbook***

A reminder to parents that we are looking for some interesting recipes in order to create a Clifton Creek Cookbook for some fundraising. We were hoping to produce the books this week to sell at the Howitt Park market on Sunday. Please help your child bring some fantastic recipes AS SOON AS POSSIBLE so the students can decorate and get their recipe ready for publication. We plan to sell the cookbook externally as well as internally. We are also looking at having a ***Clifton Creek Garage Sale*** where donated goods would be sold to assist our need for a new computer server. If you have some items that you would be happy to donate please let any of the staff know so we can organise a potential list. The server is paramount in running the schools technological devices efficiently. Your help would be greatly appreciated. Dave

### ***Calling all old Mobile Phones***

Clear out those bottom drawers and send along all your old mobile phones.

### ***Raffle***

Our firewood raffle will be drawn on Sunday.

## **It's not OK to be away!**

A reminder to all families that a note is required if your child is absent from school. Your child's absence will be coded as an unexplained absence if we do not receive a note from the parents. Please remember if you miss the bus, I am more than happy to pop into town to pick up your child for school. My contact number is 0412567092.

## **LOCAL HONEY FOR SALE**

We still have some tubs left—\$11 for 1kg and \$7 for 450g. Thanks to Mick for supplying the honey.

## **BOITE CHILDREN'S CHOIR**

IF THERE ARE ANY STUDENTS WHO WOULD STILL LIKE TO BE INVOLVED IN THIS CHOIR EVENT THEY CAN STILL GET IN TOUCH WITH Carol

Nicklen ON  
0438394771



**...CALLING OLD MOBILE PHONES—keep sending them in!**





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