Clifton Creek Primary School

newsletter



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Calendar-Term 3

Term 3: 14 July to 19 September

SEPTEMBER

Tuesday 16 Religious Instruction

Wed 17 NO AASC

Tree Planting Gr 3-6 PM

School Council 5.30pm

Thursday 18 KITCHEN GARDEN

Friday 19 Last day Term 3

NO Friday Fang Footy Wish Day

Early dismissal 2.30 PM

OCTOBER

Monday 6 Term 4 starts

Thu-Fri 9 & 10 Junior Camp Coonawarra

Thursday 16 Prep Steps program starts

Sat 18 Mini Fete

Friday 24 Valanga performance

NOVEMBER

Sat 15 Nov School Garage Sale

Well done to all our JTC students!! Dave and I were extremely proud of you all. It was wonderful to share your excitement back stage as you waited to go on stage for the first time. You all danced really well. All that hard work paid off! Thanks to all families for your support over the past 6 months. A great team effort by all.

FOOTY WISH

Children are encouraged to come in footy team colours on Friday as our learning activities are centred around footy fever. We will be kicking the football around and eating home made meat pies.

Please place your orders on Thursday morning for the home made meat pies at \$2 per pie.

Active After School Communities

There is NO AASC this week. Thank you to Gemma, Nyrie and Shelley for providing a great program of fun outdoor activities and health snacks over the past seven weeks.

Next term we will start up again on Monday 13th October.

TRANSITION in 4th Term

Next term we commence our Prep Steps Program and look forward to welcoming our new students for 2015 on Thursdays in October and November. The first session is 16th October.

Happy Birthday to Mitchell who turns 7 on Friday

REMINDERS CCPS Cook book for sale \$10

Sunsmart in September



Little Class Senior Class

As I look back over this term, the children have worked hard and made progress in maths and literacy.

We have now focussed on all the vowel spelling sounds, and in maths have learnt about time, money and shape as well as continuing to consolidate our skip counting and work with the four processes.

The children's writing is showing more structure and "making sense" and they are better at editing their own work. There has been progress in everyone's reading, not necessarily by moving a lot of levels, but in having greater understanding of what is being read.

Another focus has been social skill and resilience development, as the children can tend to jump to conclusions or blow things out of proportion.

Being able to compromise, listen and understand other perspectives is tricky, but we are working on it!

This Friday we have our Footy Day which will be great fun, and the big excitement is our Camp which is the Thursday and Friday of the first week back next term.

CAMP PERMISSION FORMS ARE DUE BACK

<u>TOMORROW.</u> Please send these back promptly if you have not already done so. There is much to organise, and getting forms back at the last minute makes it very difficult. Please contact me with any questions or concerns you may have. Happy holidays everyone, see you next Term. Thanks,

Kat

A short week in terms of school learning....
Before we left to participate in the Schools'
Spectacular we finished off our mosaics,
continued with fractions, completed some
reading activities to build comprehension,
published some writing pieces, and continued to
work on our regular weekly foci on times tables,
spelling and soundwaves. Hopefully everyone
has enjoyed term 3 and for their hard work are
now rewarded with a 2 week break to come back
refreshed and ready to finish off the year.
Dave

P.S If anyone is spring cleaning during the school holidays, please feel free to donate any unwanted goods for our upcoming garage sale. Thanks, David.

Garage Sale:

15 November is the date of our school garage sale. Keep bringing in your donations of items for sale.

SCHOOL COUNCIL

17th September, 5.30pm is the next scheduled meeting for School Council.

RESOURCESMART

As part of our Energy Module, Gr 3-6 students are completing their tree planting to offset our carbon emissions tomorrow afternoon in the local area. Please return Consent Forms *TOMORROW*.

LOCAL HONEY FOR SALE

\$12 for the 1 kg bucket and \$8 for the 450gm squeezy container. Thanks to Mick for supplying the honey.

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SUNSMART:

A reminder that we are a

sunsmart school... our revised policy states that high UV levels can be reached in August AND that sunsmart protection is essential from SEPTEMBER to APRIL.

HATS are required for outdoor play.

Dear Parents,

We have been fortunate enough to secure some land at a property in Bellbird Road, Granite Rock to plant the remaining trees in order to offset our carbon footprint.

The tree planting will take place tomorrow, Wednesday 17th September, from 1.45-3.15pm. Students will be transported in teachers' cars to and from the property.

Please return this Consent Form tomorrow as we are unable to take students without your written permission

I apologise for the short notice, however due to a very busy last couple of weeks it has taken a while to confirm the dates. Your co-operation is much appreciated.

Thanks

David.

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Consent Form



RESOURCESMART program Gr 3-6 Tree Planting at Granite Rock

I give permission for my child/ren	to participate in the ResourceSmart tree
planting session at private property in Granite Roc	k on Wednesday 17h September from 1.45 to 3.15
pm. Children will travel to Granite Rock by private	car driven by a member of the teaching staff.

CONSENT TO MEDICAL ATTENTION

Where the teacher in charge of the excursion is unable to contact me, or it is otherwise impracticable to contact me, I authorise the teacher in charge to:

- consent to my child receiving such medical or surgical attention as may be deemed necessary by a medical practitioner,
- administer such first-aid as the teacher in charge may judge to be reasonably necessary.

Signature of Parent/Guardian:	Date
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