



Calendar– Term 2

13th April to 26th June

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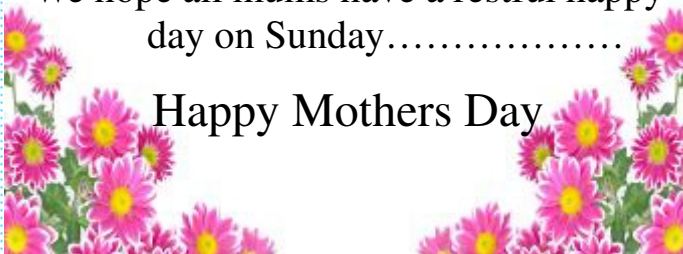
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| Tues 5 | Tuckshop Tuesday |
| Thurs 7 | Kitchen Garden
ResourceSmart |
| Friday 8 | Friday Fang
Mothers Day Dinner 6PM |
| Tues 12 | |
| Wed 13 | NAPLAN for Grades 3 & 5 |
| Thur 14 | |
| Wed 13 | Information Evening Sec College |
| Friday 15 | Marc Van |
| Sat 16 | Bunnings Sizzle fundraiser |
| Friday 22 | Friday Wish—Pet Day |
| 25-29 | DOXA Camp seniors |

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| Friday 19 | Pupil free day for report writing |
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We hope all mums have a restful happy day on Sunday.....

Happy Mothers Day



Mothers Day Dinner

We are all excited about the Mother's Day dinner that will be held this Friday evening from 6-8. Invitations were sent home on Friday.

Dave has kindly offered to drive the bus on Friday evening and will pick up Mums and their CCPS children from our four bus stops. Thanks chauffer Dave!

Upon arrival at school your child will seat you at a table in the junior room. They will then leave you to relax and chat with other mums, grandmas etc. There will be some entertainment provided by the children and when it is time to eat, your child will serve you your meal. Students will spend their time in the senior room where they also will have dinner. We ask that you do not share your meal with your child, as this is an opportunity for them to give to you unconditionally.

We hope to see everyone there.

Please give me a yell if you have any issues at all. There are solutions to everything!

Jump on the Bus

Dave has kindly offered to transport mums & students out to Clifton Creek and back again on Friday evening for the Dinner. He will pick up at the four usual bus stops at the following times.

WORLD centre 5.30 pm

Pyke/Pearson 5.35 pm

Wy Yung 5.40 pm

Flinns Rd 5.45 pm

Please text or phone Dave to let him know if you intend to use the service. 0438 530 880.

Friday Fang

Another delicious Friday Fang was served by Bree and our grade 6 students. A reminder once again that all orders need to be in on a Wednesday morning as our grade 6 students tally the orders and count the money as part of their maths program.

Cross Country Run

Well done to everyone who participated in the Cross Country last week. It certainly was a long way! Special congratulations to Sommer, Ivan and Naomi who will be competing in the next level on Monday 18th May at Nagle College.

ACTION PLEDGES

Thank you to those who have returned "Action Pledges" to school. Another is included with today's newsletter if you have not returned yours yet.

A big thankyou to Danielle who cleaned the air conditioning filters in the classrooms and tidied up the library. Your help is much appreciated.

KITCHEN GARDEN

Thankyou to April who was able to assist in the Kitchen this week. John is away for 5 weeks and as a result we will not be running the Kitchen "feast" part of the program. Having said that, Jill is organising special kitchen visitors in the coming weeks. Please ensure you send along lunch on a Thursday until further notice.

On Thursday the children will be making muffins to donate to the Sarsfield CFA who are hosting a cancer council fundraising morning tea this Sunday 10th May at the Clifton Creek Hall. Students will also be making something special for the Mother's Day dinner.



Senior Class

Ari & Jade

Sadly we said goodbye to Ari who was easily able to settle into the CCPS family. Ari will be back in September to complete the second part of her placement. Jade will be with us for another three weeks and will have a larger teaching role. I know the children will enjoy some of the exciting activities she has planned.

NAPLAN

Next week the children will be completing their National Assessment Program in Literacy And Numeracy tests. This week we will provide opportunities for the children to complete set tasks under 'test conditions' to provide them with an understanding of the time restraints when completing tasks.

Pet day—FRIDAY WISH

On Friday 22nd May we will have our first Friday Wish of the term. It will be Naomi/Amber and Ashley/Rhys's wish of Pet Day. Please ensure all animals are safely caged, harnessed and have plenty of food if they are staying the day. Please ensure your pet is child friendly as we certainly don't want any stressed pets, children or teachers!

PUPIL FREE DAY

At the last School Council meeting a pupil free day for report writing was approved for Friday 19th June. Please note this in your calendars— there will be no school for students on this day.

Last week was another busy week with cross-country and fishing taking place. We worked on our persuasive essays, Blooms reading tasks as well continuing activities around our regular foci of spelling and Soundwaves.

Numeracy included the reinforcement of multiplication of 10s, 100s and 1000s. Our quick maths sessions centred around reinforcement of complements as well as times table practice.

Inspired by the *Story of Us* sessions we started a project on people/things/ inventions which have changed the way that we live. In ResourceSmart we practiced frog identification using our new key. We also continued our Landcare stories.

Dave

SARSFIELD CFA—

Cancer Council Fundraiser.

Biggest morning tea breakfast from 8am till 10am on Sunday 10th May at the Clifton Creek Hall. There will be a \$10 cover charge for adults, 14 years and older.

Gold coin donations for all under 14 years. This will give you endless tea, coffee, juice, milo, cakes, slices and Bacon & Egg Rolls.

There will also be a raffle you can have a bit of fun with. If you can't make it on the day, you can still make a tax-deductible donation online, simply go to our online fundraising page:

[http://vic.cancercouncilfundraising.org.au/SarsfieldCFA.](http://vic.cancercouncilfundraising.org.au/SarsfieldCFA)

More from the Kitchen Garden

It was lovely to spend the morning in the sunshine on Thursday. The students had a great enthusiastic attitude towards moving a trailer full of earth for our new garden bed, thanks to Ari for her help with pushing the heavier wheelbarrows! We learnt about the important role that Fungi play in our garden before cooking some delicious saffron milk caps (pine mushrooms) for lunch. Next Thursday I would like to continue our fungi theme and put together some shiitake logs and grow some oyster mushrooms. If anyone is interested in learning a bit about this process, please come and join us for the morning.

Jill

