

Clifton Creek Primary School

newsletter



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Calendar– Term 3 13th July to 18h Sep

JULY

Tues 14 Tuckshop Tuesday
Special Religious Instruction

Wed 15

Thurs 16 Kitchen Garden.

Friday 17 Friday Fang

Tuesday 21 EG Shire Library
Sporting Schools—
Gymnasium @ Broadlands

Friday 24 MarcVan

Other dates this term

Thursday 6th August- Come & Play Day

Wed 19th Aug—EGSN Student Award Night

Tuesday 25th August—4pm Drumming Performance at Lakes Entrance

Friday 31st July—Friday Wish—Wheels

Friday 28th Aug—Friday Wish—Sleepover
(to be confirmed)

Thursday 3 Sept— Kids & Blokes Evening

Thursday 10th Sep- Come & Play Day

Sat 17th September– Mini Fete (to be confirmed)

ALSO

Victorian Scouts Raffle will be on the go!

Welcome back everyone. A special welcome back to Robyn who has returned from leave. (Thankyou to Lu who replaced Robyn while on leave.) We hope everyone is well rested and ready for term 3. This term we have many exciting things to look forward to. These include Mates, Friday Wishes, Drumming performances, Come and Play days, Sporting Schools program and for the Junior Room our mystery bus tour!

TUCK SHOP & FRIDAY FANG

Tuckshop and Fang will resume this week ... please ensure Fang orders are in by Wednesday morning. These programs are both fantastic real life maths activities for the students—thank you for supporting them.

WANTED:

Recycle your plastic 2litre milk containers– we are collecting these for an igloo/greenhouse construction project. Please ensure they are CLEAN and send them along to school.

SPORTING SCHOOLS

The Sporting Schools program is a government funded initiative that replaces the Active After Schools Program. *Participation in sport at a young age is critical to help children develop a deep connection to sport and a lifelong commitment to a healthy, active lifestyle. Sporting Schools is all about nurturing children's love of sport and encouraging them to have fun and to participate not only to be physically active, but socially active as well.*

The sessions this term will be held on a Tuesday afternoon during school hours. The program will begin next week.

with sessions run by the East Gippsland Gymnastic Club. The program aims to develop a sense of spatial awareness, balance, coordination, strength, flexibility and confidence. The children will participate in a general warmup activity, basic stretches and then sequential skill development on the different apparatus. The program will run at the East Gippsland Gymnastics Club 455 Princes Hwy, Broadlands, Broadlands, VIC 3875 from 2.30-3.30pm. We will transport the children to the venue and resume our normal bus run at the end of the session.

Please ensure the Consent Form is filled in.

There is NO fee for participation.

Junior Class

This week in the Junior room our Letter focus is U. The children in grade 2/3 will continue with soundwaves along side their individual spelling program. Each week the children in grades 2/3 will have a list of words to practise at home. They can practise these anyway that suits their learning. (writing, spelling aloud, bouncing on the trampoline etc.) Please support your child at home by encouraging them to learn these take home words. The children in the Junior room will also begin some writing for a competition run by the East Gippsland Shire Council. The topic for the competition is based on the Children's Book week theme *Books Light Up Our World*. Entrants are required to use the writing prompt- *Imagine a world where there is no light. What would make the world a brighter place?* (The children in prep are required to complete a drawing)

BUS FEES

A reminder to those paying fees by the term that payments are due NOW—single users \$250.

Child Support Legal Service

This branch of Victoria Legal Aid visits Bairnsdale every second month. It is scheduled for 14th July, 22 September and 24th November. For further information phone Legal Help on 1300 792 387

Victoria Legal Aid's website makes it easier for all Victorians to find services and information to help with their legal problem. Visit www.legalaid.vic.gov.au.

GOOD BEGINNINGS Australia

Baby Massage Group with Kaye

Free for parents/carers for babies up to 12 months old.

Each Thursday 11-12 at 36 Pearson St., Bairnsdale

Phone Jenny or Hayley 5153 7500 to register

PAIRS Group—Parent and Infant Relationship Support

Wednesdays 11am to 1pm

at 36 Pearson St., Bairnsdale

Phone Jenny or Hayley 5153 7500 to register

Seasonal Health Tips

In Australia, our influenza 'flu' season typically runs from May to October, usually peaking in August. It is just not possible to stop all bugs from spreading at school, however, a lot of illnesses can be prevented and controlled simply by practicing good hygiene.

Handy hygiene tips for you and your family

Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when coughing or sneezing

Throw used tissues in plastic-lined rubbish bins

Wash your hands with soap and water, preferably warm water if available

Reduce the spread of germs by avoiding touching your eyes, nose and mouth

Further information on influenza is available at the Better Health Channel, see:

[Better Health Channel Flu Influenza](#)

What can you do to prevent the spread of infectious diseases?

The three main ways of preventing the spread of infection are:

1. Remind your child of effective hygiene methods.
2. Keep your child home when they are unwell. Your doctor will let you know if your child has an 'excludable' condition. You will need to advise the school as soon as possible and keep your child home for the length of time that your doctor advises.



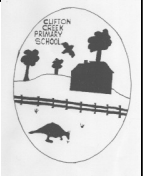
Bus Signage

The children at Clifton Creek were really excited to see their school bus arrive with its new signage this morning. Damian, Rhys, Meg and Naomi all give it a “thumbs up”!

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Consent Form

***Term 3 Sporting Schools Program—Gymnasium at Broadlands
21, 28 July, 4, 11, 18 August and 1, 8 September 2015***

I give permission for my child/ren..... to participate in our Sporting Schools Program which consists of seven one hour sessions at the Broadlands facilities operated by the East Gippsland Gymnasium Club Inc. on the listed Tuesday afternoons from 2.30 to 3.30pm. Children will travel on the school bus.

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