



Views over Ainslie Park

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Past Fortnights Notices:

Level 2/3 Excursion to Scienceworks

Diary Dates

Thurs 6th Aug

Level 2/3 Scienceworks

Frid 18th Sept

Last day of Term 3

FYI - Term dates for 2015

<http://www.education.vic.gov.au/about/keydates/termdates.htm>



Welcome back

Our new Term is off to a flying start with staff and students quickly settling back in to the routines of school. Alan will be on Long Service Leave from weeks 2-5, and Andrea will be filling in for him.

Exciting News for Melba

...which is also exciting news for many of our students. Melba College has had confirmation that the rebuild will begin on the Brentnall Road Campus (next door) later this year. That will mean that by 2017, all of Melba College will be operating from there. There is a Community Meeting on Monday 27th July at 7pm at the theatre on Brentnall Road, and we will give you more information as it becomes available.

Chantal

As previously advised Chantal Teague has taken leave for the rest of the year. Wendy Phillips is taking

Chantal's role in the Level 2/ 3 Studio. Welcome!

Portfolios

Portfolios are a very important part of our Reporting process, recording the achievements of our children in a very visible manner. While I know it is always tempting to keep them at home, we need to have them returned to school so that learning successes can be visually recorded over the whole school year. Please return them to school so that we can continue to record student progress for the remainder of the year.

Student attendance

Lots of evidence is now emerging linking student success at school and student attendance at school. It is also important that children arrive at school 'on time'.

Toe-by-toe

'Toe by toe' is a reading program adopted by the school to assist our

students. After investigating ways to extend this program, with a particular focus on children in the Level 4/5/6 Studio, we have extended Dianna's hours there to support students on this valuable program.

World Tree Day

Tomorrow we are hoping that the weather will be kind to us and allow us to celebrate World Tree Day as a Multi-Age Learning Experience. Parents and Grandparents are welcome to come and join us as we learn by playing in the garden. In the instance of wet weather, we will postpone the merriment.

Enrolments 2016

It is apparent that we will have 190 or so students enrolled at our school next year.

Alan Baker – Principal

Andrea Lowe – Acting Principal

FROM THE OFFICE

NEWSLETTER

If you would like to receive your Newsletter by email please let the office know and we will add your name to the list. .

STUDENT BANKING

Student Banking is available every Tuesday

AFTER SCHOOL CARE

Afterschool care is running **5 nights a week.**

The program runs from 3.30 until 6.00 pm.

CANTEEN

The canteen will be open for lunch-orders on **Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays in 2015**

Canteen Roster

Week 1

Mon 13th July – Faye
Thur 16th July – Carol
Fri 17th July – Kristie

Week 2

Mon 20th July –Suzy
Thur 23rd July Kristie

Fri 24th July – Faye/Tracey
Week 3

Mon 27th July – Faye

Thur 30th July – Faye

Fri 31st July – Kristie/Luisa



HELP NEEDED

Could we please have a Volunteer or two, to help run the canteen on a Thursday. If you have any questions regarding what is expected please see Faye Douch. Your help would be appreciated.

UNIFORM SHOP

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Lilydale Swimming Club

Encouragement Meet

Centenary Pool, Hawthory Road, Kilsyth

Sunday August 9th, 2015

Pool Entry 12.00pm – Warm-up 12:15pm - Meet Start 12.45pm

Suitable for all swimmers that can complete 50 meters in Freestyle, Backstroke, Butterfly or Breaststroke; Relay teams invited.

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<http://www.lilydaleswimclub.org.au/>



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Teach your children to eat vegetables:



A recent study showed that only one in twenty adults were eating enough vegetables each day. Given that kids are traditionally the ones who don't like vegetables it would be a safe bet to assume a similar result for children.

Children naturally prefer sweet foods so vegetables don't often fit the bill. Children are also hesitant to try new foods and even though they may have eaten them as a toddler may start refusing them as they grow older.

However, if you give in to your child's tantrums and

stop putting vegetables on the plate the child will never get used to the taste or sight of them.

The solution? Demonstrate by eating vegetables yourself, put small quantities on your child's plate and encourage them to try them and praise them when they do. Don't make a big deal of them not eating them but don't stop putting vegetables on their plate.

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Active Together

BOOTCAMP

'Active Together Bootcamp' invites parents and children to exercise together in a fun, challenging and supportive environment.

Classes will include elements of bootcamp, boxing, relays, cardio and much more. While the parents are working hard, the kids will be completing challenges of their own as these same activities are incorporated into fun games.

When: 3:45-4:30 Wednesday

Where: Ainslie Parklands Primary School Gym

Who: Children aged 5-11 and their parents

FREE Face Painting on Wednesday 29th July

Active Together is run by a qualified personal trainer and a professional children's entertainer. Cost is \$10 for one parent and a child to attend the 45 minute class; an extra \$5 can be paid for additional parents/children.

See you there!

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For more information please contact
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