Dear Parents,

Ella and Fella - Only 5 sleeps to go!!!!

We are in the final straight as the first performance of 'Ella and Fella' looms closer. This coming Monday will see the first of 4 performances from our students. There has been a long and large build up but the students are so keen to get on stage and perform for you. It is great to see the auditorium will be almost full each night and I thank you for your continued support. There are only a few tickets left on each night so get in quick!!!!

You should have received all the information outlining the requirements for the night of your child’s performance, but if you are unsure then please contact your child’s teacher. The day is a long one and we strive our best to ensure the students are relaxed, fed and have a wonderful experience. To assist this it is important that you do follow the instructions for ensuring your child has adequate food on the day of their performance. In summary:

**MEALS:**
- On the day of your child’s performance they must bring their lunch and snack as normal in a plastic bag *(no school bag)*, as well as a separate meal for dinner.
- Lunch time is at 12:40pm this week as we need to leave for Cardinia Cultural Centre at 1:15pm. If you would like your child to have a hot meal, I would encourage you to send a lunch order on the performance day, so your child can have a hot meal for lunch and then their packed meal for dinner.
- Please pack a disposable drink and something to eat for dinner in a plastic bag labelled with your child’s name and “Dinner” written on it. This will be immediately put into a box that morning and kept separate from their lunch and snack in order to avoid any confusion.

It has come to my attention that some parents have suggested to staff that they would be bringing McDonalds or similar to the venue for their child’s dinner. *Please do not do this* as dinner is not a set time and this will be very disruptive for your child and their class.

I am so looking forward to seeing each performance. It’s a big week but with so much enthusiasm and energy abounding it’s certain to be a tremendous experience and we will see the magic of Mr. Jenkin’s creativity unfold as the ‘Ella and Fella’ story unfolds.

**Footy Day**

Congratulations to the Year 6 students, and Miss Middleton in particular, for the wonderful Footy Day we had last Friday. There were so many activities for the students to enjoy and it helped that the weather was kind to us also. The two Assemblies saw the students really voice their support for their favourite team and we had a bit of fun!! With Mr. Bailey on the sound system (a Hawk supporter) and myself with the microphone (I think you know my allegiances) the other teams didn’t really have a chance!!!

The annual staff versus students football game was played on our new oval and once again the staff showed their incredible skill under the excellent coaching of Mrs. Thomas. The final score saw a win to the staff with the students’ coach Mr. Murphy throwing all his resources (a bench of about 25 students joined the others on the field in the final quarter) at the staff in the final term to no avail.

Again, I congratulate everyone for the wonderful attitude that was evident all day. I felt very proud to be the Principal of a school where we can get together and simply have some fun in a great positive way.

**Final Day Of Term – Early Dismissal**

Next Friday 21st September will be the final day of term. We will dismiss at 2.30pm. Please ensure you make the necessary arrangements to collect your children at the earlier time. School resumes on Monday 8th October.

**Footy News**

You little beauty!!! The Hawks certainly flew high last Friday evening and have now earned a rest to get over their many little injury niggles. We now await the results of this weekend to see who will get through.

Have a great week and keep smiling!

Neil Cunningham
Principal
Over the last few weeks Prep LK and Prep LO have been exploring area. We made an estimation about how many kinder squares would fit on the table top and then checked our result by measuring the area with our group.
10th September to 16th September, 2012

Austin 0CS
Saman 0LK
Tiffany 1CH
Morsal 1MR
Masha 1MR
Jenni 1MR
Madison 1RC
Yunus 2CC
Bren 2RC
Altan 2SJ
Delini 4SW
Dimuthu 4SW
Sasha 5JR
Erin 5SM
Vaughn 6SW
Siddharth 6SW

“ELLA & FELLA”
SCHOOL MUSICAL TICKET SALES
HURRY! HURRY! HURRY! - TICKETS ARE SELLING FAST
LIMITED AVAILABILITY FOR EACH NIGHT

Performance dates are Monday 17th September
to Thursday 20th September, 2012 at 7pm.
at the Cardinia Cultural Centre, Lakeside Boulevard, Pakenham.
Please return the order slip below to your child’s classroom teacher
with correct payment enclosed in a clearly labelled envelope
to place your order.

TICKETS WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE FOR
PURCHASE FROM THE SCHOOL OFFICE.

THERE IS NOW NO LIMIT TO THE NUMBER OF TICKETS THAT
A FAMILY CAN PURCHASE (SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY) -
SO TICKETS ARE ISSUED ON A
“FIRST COME FIRST SERVED” BASIS

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to
contact the School Office on 9702 8688.

WOULD PARENTS PLEASE CHECK THAT THEY HAVE THE
CORRECT TICKETS AS SOON AS THEY ARE RECEIVED
AS WE CAN ONLY OFFER AN EXCHANGE OF TICKETS WITHIN
TWO DAYS OF RECEIPT OF TICKETS.
THANKYOU

“ELLA & FELLA” - TICKET ORDER FORM

Student Name: .................................................................
Grade: ..............................................................................
Performance Day (Please Circle)
Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday
Number of Tickets required (Please Circle) 1 2
Amount Enclosed: ..............................................

FREE TOAST @ BREAKFAST CLUB!
Breakfast Club is offering FREE TOAST
to a particular year level each week.
This week all SENIOR STUDENTS (GRADES 3-6)
who visit Breakfast Club are offered a FREE piece of toast.
Reminder of Breakfast Club details
Time: 8:30 - 8:55am
Day: FRIDAY mornings
Place: New Gym
Cost: 10c for 1 piece of toast
10c for 1bowl of cereal and milk
(Please note that this is a non profit program- all money collected
is spent on buying items for our Breakfast Club)
PEANUT ALLERGIES: Unfortunately we are unable to
offer Breakfast Club to children with nut allergies.
Although we do not serve ‘nut foods’,
we cannot guarantee that our kitchen is
a complete ‘Nut Free Zone’.
Thank you for your understanding.

PREP JB Nikhil
Prep KP Keona
Prep LK Vanessa
Prep LO Charlotte
1AM Jashan
1CH Tareesheh
1KS Jai
1MR Tamil
1RC Natasha
1TA Bree
2MM Ethan K
2RC Joshua
2SJ Jessica
3JP Beckham
3JW Sara
3SC Ben
4CT Bradley
4JT Jordyn
4SM Anita
4SW Grant
5JR Kesha
5TT Bayli
6AM Radisha
6KR Katie
6AH Nathan M
6DR Tyrone
6SW Sivangen

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WELFARE CORNER

When parents separate

When parents separate it is stressful for everybody, but it affects parents and children differently. For parents, separation signals the end of the relationship with their primary partner. For most children relationships with both parents continue, but there are usually big changes and difficult feelings.

How children react

Sometimes children talk about their difficult feelings, but often the way they feel comes out in their behaviour. They may become anxious and want to stay close to their parents. They may be angry or get into conflicts with others more than usual. These are reactions to the sense of loss and powerlessness that most children feel when their families break up. Some children try really hard to be good. They may be concerned about a parent’s distress, or worry that if they misbehave the parent who has care of them will leave them too. Sometimes children become protective of one parent and blame and reject the other. Children from the same family may respond differently. Their feelings and reactions are likely to become more complicated when one or both parents start a new relationship.

Though distress is unavoidable when families break up, most children recover without long term negative effects. By reassuring and supporting children while they adjust to the separation you can help them cope.

Baby Formula Tins Wanted!

If you have any empty baby formula tins with plastic lids can you please forward them to the school office or Room D7. I am hoping to collect about 25 tins for an end of year activity.

Thank you
Miss Weston

KILBERRY VALLEY NOTICES SENT HOME

The following notices have been sent home to families and require your prompt attention:

GRADE 6 SUMMER SPORTS
Consent forms and payments MUST be received by Friday, 14th September, 2012. The cost is $14.

HEALTH EDUCATION (GRADES 5 & 6)
Consent forms and payments MUST be received by Tuesday, 16th October, 2012. The cost of this incursion is $2

Students who do not return consent forms and payments by the closing date for incursions/excursions will not be able to participate in the activity. We would appreciate your support and co-operation with these matters. Thank you.

LATE PAYMENTS CANNOT BE ACCEPTED

CANTEEN NEWS—TERM 4

The school canteen will re-open for Term 4 on Wednesday 10th October, 2012
Students MUST bring their own lunches and snacks on the first two days of next term - (Monday 8th & Tuesday 9th October)

Please note that potato cakes are not available in Term 4 but there will be fresh fruit options

Thank you

Human Powered Vehicle Sponsors

We thank the following sponsors for their generosity in proudly sponsoring the HPV team for 2012:

Humanitarian Clowns
(on behalf of Jake 6SW)

RSP Australia
9305 4000

Southern Street Machiners Car Club
(arranged by the Moore family - Jacqueline 5SM & Natalie 2SJ)

GUESS WHO’S COMING TO KILBERRY VALLEY IN TERM 4?

KEEP YOUR EYE ON THE NEWSLETTER WHERE ALL WILL BE REVEALED