

The WATTLE

Noticeboard



Number 4

22nd March 2013

WPPS BBQ at Bunnings

Saturday 23rd March at Box Hill

Pop in for a sausage or two and say Hi at our fundraising BBQ

Select Entry Accelerated Learning (SEAL) Program Year 7 2014

The Box Hill High School Year 7 SEAL Application link is currently open on our website. www.boxhillhs.vic.edu.au To commence the selection process, parents of 2013 Year 6 applicants are asked to apply now. Places in the SEAL Program are for gifted students, currently residing in Victoria, who qualify for a government funded education, regardless of the location of their residential address. For further information about the SEAL Program and Box Hill High School, we extend an invitation to our 2013 Open Afternoon 2.30 – 4.30 pm Tuesday 23 April.

Fashion Club

Fashion Club will be offered again in Term 2. We had so much fun last year we are back for more.

Please see attached flyer.

Save the Date:

MARCH

Sat 23rd WPPS BBQ

Bunnings Box Hill

Thurs 28th Final Day Term 1

Free Dress Day. **2:30 Pick Up.**

APRIL

Mon 15th First day of Term 2

Sunday 28th VisionPortraits

Victorian Premiers' Reading Challenge 2013

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Please see flyers attached.

**Thursday 28th
March Last
day of Term.**

**Free Dress
Day. 2:30 Pick**

up. Please be
advised School
finishes at 2:30

School Uniform



Shop New Open Hours

**Monday afternoons after Assembly
& Wednesday 8:30am till 9:30 am.**

Notices gone home this week:

Lice notices to affected classes
Soccer for Juniors
Bubble Dome
Healthways Recreation Centre
Vision Portraits
Fashion Club

Auskick

Please register online at www.aflauskick.com.au/register and search on postcode 3128 and select "Surrey Park Junior Football Club". Pack pickup day is Saturday March 23rd – 9 – 11am at the footy club – **Please see flyer attached for more information.**

Thank You

A big thank you to the organisers and helpers at Movie Night. It was a fabulous event once again.

If you have anything you would like to go on to the Notice board please email Suskia at Kiatarna@hotmail.com by the Wednesday of Noticeboard week. We will endeavour to include it.



Bubble Dome April School Holiday

Course s - Don't miss out - Book Now!

For students aged 6 to 15 years.

Learn the latest in Minecraft on a Bubble Dome School Holiday workshop these holidays!

We are running three different exciting Minecraft courses these April Holidays: Minecraft Inventions and Challenges, Minecraft Tekkit and Ultra Minecraft Mods & Java as well as Lego Engineering & Robotics, Claymation & Special Effects for Movies, and App Building for iPad and iPod.

Tel: 1800-11-55-62 Email: australia@bubbledome.com.nz or Book Online: www.bubbledome.com



Wattle Park Primary School



Music World School of Music

We would like to once again thank Wattle Park Primary School and the Principal, Gayle Cope, for the continuous support of music education, and for giving our talented teachers the opportunity to perform in the demonstration on 14 March.

We hope the children enjoyed the mini performance as much as we did, and are inspired to learn a musical instrument. Our team of dedicated teachers will be looking forward to teach the children of Wattle Park Primary School from Term 2 onwards.

If you are interested in enrolling your child for music lessons, or enquiries about our lessons, please do not hesitate to contact us!

♪ We teach: Piano, Guitar, Violin, Cello, Flute, Sax, Trumpet, Drums & Clarinet ♪



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Harmony Day 2013

By Oscar K, 5T

On Thursday 21st March, Wattle Park Primary School celebrated Harmony Day.

Harmony Day is to celebrate Australia's diversity. This means that all citizens have their place and can feel that they belong. Around 7 million people have migrated to Australia since 1945. 45% of Australians were born overseas or have a parent that was.



The school was decorated with orange streamers and all students and staff wore something orange. Students bought along an orange to share with their classmates. The Year 5 SRC representatives, Hayley, Ewan, Samantha and I, with some help from Gayle, cut up all the whole oranges for the school to enjoy. Some students also had their face painted with orange stripes and dots.

What I especially liked about Harmony Day was that everyone dressed up in something orange, which reminded me of happiness and how the whole school was involved in the day. I also liked that everyone was celebrating the day with spirit.

All in all it was a really great day, and I would like to thank Gayle, Megan, all the teachers and the other SRC representatives for making it such a wonderful event.

Fashion Club 2013

Next term we will be continuing our popular after school program, Fashion Club. We will be offering two session groups a week. Sessions will be available on Wednesday or Thursday. Fashion Club will run from 3.45 to 5.30, for a total of 1 hr and 45 min. Cost will be \$18 paid weekly, or if paying all up front a discount of \$33 will be applied for a total of \$165 for 11 sessions.

What is Fashion Club? Fashion Club is a fun and creative after school program for budding young designers in grades 3 - 6. The program will run over 11 weeks in term 2, beginning on Wednesday 17th April and Thursday 18th April respectively. We will cover both theory and practical elements of fashion design. Some of the things new members will cover over the eight weeks are:

- the history of fashion
- creating a mood board
- discover design inspiration
- discuss individual style and influences
- make an accessory
- basic sewing skills
- create a t-shirt print
- learn the use of croquis (fashion figures) in design
- create a hand-made flower embellishment
- discuss the impact of current fashion trends on the environment

Most importantly we will discuss the distorted images presented in the media, and how these are manipulated for a fantasy world. We will discuss concepts of body image and self-esteem and the impact that the media can have on these. Existing Fashion Clubbers will expand on the skills they learnt last year and deepen their insight into the fashion process.

Please feel free to leave any comments or concerns on the form below, or contact Rebecca via phone on 0434 990 235 or email on elahluna@elahluna.com.

Please return this form to the office by Monday 15th April (or email me your wish to enrol!).



Fashion Club Expression of Interest

Student Name: _____ Year Level: _____

Preferred Day: *(please circle)* Wednesday Thursday

Parent email: _____

Parent phone: _____

Comments: _____

THE LITTLE BIG TIME

Want to play at the 2013 Toyota AFL Grand Final? Enter the NAB AFL Auskick of the Year competition for your chance to win!

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Get this awesome backpack jammed full of gear when you register.





REGISTER NOW AT AFLAUSKICK.COM.AU

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Our new website is coming www.surreyparkauskick.com.au

Check us out on   

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Details of the Challenge are available at www.education.vic.gov.au/prc.

PLEASE NOTE:

SECTION 1 of the consent form attached must be signed if your child is to participate in the Challenge and receive a Certificate of Achievement

SECTION 2 of the consent form below is optional.

In October/November 2013 an Honour roll lift-out in The Age will contain the names of all Victorian children who completed the Challenge (publication only with the permission of their parents or guardians). Consent is sought from students and parents for the publication of names following the conclusion of the Challenge.

When consenting, you authorise collection of the names of the students who are participating and their schools by the Department of Education and Early Childhood Development.

This information will only be used for the purpose of conducting the Challenge in 2013 and printing certificates of achievement for students who meet the Challenge. If you consent, the student will be issued by their school with a username and password.

If you have any concerns about providing this information please email readingchallenge@edumail.vic.gov.au.

All queries will remain confidential and all information that is to be provided to the Department will be held via a secure website and kept confidential in accordance with the Information Privacy Act 2000.

Victorian Premiers' Reading Challenge 2013
Consent Form

Dear parent/guardian

Students have a chance to take part in the Victorian Premiers' Reading Challenge (Challenge) in 2013. Details of the Challenge in 2013 are available at www.education.vic.gov.au/prc. There will not be any payment involved.

SECTION 1: Consent of a parent/guardian to authorise student entry and to authorise awarding of certificates of achievement for students who meet the Challenge in 2013

Please tick  only one of the boxes below.

I consent to my child entering the Challenge and authorise their name on a completion certificate (Certificate of Achievement).

I do not give consent for my child to enter the Challenge in 2013.

Signed: _____ (Parent/guardian) _____ (print name)

Date: _____ Signed by Student.....

Student name (Print Full Name).....

Class.....

Age in years as at 1 February 2013

Student's Certificate Name: _____ (Only required if different from name given above)

SECTION 2: Optional- Consent to publish child's name in Achievers Honour Roll in the Age Newspaper

Please tick  only one of the boxes below.

I consent to publication of my child's name in the Achievers Honour Roll in the Age Newspaper.

I do not give consent for my child's name to be published

I understand that if I wish to withdraw this consent to publication it will be my responsibility to inform the Reading Challenge Coordinator at my child's school on or before 10 September 2013.

Signed: _____ (Parent/guardian) _____ (print name)

Date: _____