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**Wednesday 27th April**

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**Principals’ Report**

**Personal Property**

Personal property may be brought to school by students and visitors. This can include mobile phones, electronic devices, toys and sporting equipment. The Education Department does not hold insurance for personal property brought to school and it has no capacity to pay for any loss or damage to such property. Therefore, parents are reminded to discourage children bringing precious, much loved and not easily replaced items to school.

**Maintenance on the 1888 building**

Over the next few weeks there will be some work taking place on the 1888 building – primarily on the roof and the internal ceiling and walls.

**Parent/Carer Tours for students commencing school in 2017**

A reminder that parent/carer’s that Foundation enrolment tours for the 2017 school year have now commenced. Please contact the school office or visit the school website for further information. Sibling enrolment documents are now available from the office.

**Family Maths Night**

**COMmunity Calendar - 2016**

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Anzac Day Commemoration

On Monday Ella Capewell attended the Anzac service held at the shrine of remembrance. Thank you to students from room 15 who prepared a wreath for Ella to lay at the Shrine.

Cross Country

Thank you to Bree, Mandy and all members of the school community who assisted with the cross-country event held Friday 22nd April.

Curriculum Day

Last Thursday staff engaged in a range of workshops organised by the School Improvement Team focussed on both building upon the work of staff over previous years and prioritising the specific foci that will best serve whole school improvement.

Education Subcommittee Meeting

An Education Subcommittee Meeting will be held at 7:00 pm this coming Monday May 2nd

Evacuation Drill

A practice evacuation drill was conducted this afternoon by all staff and students.

Enjoy the week

Jeff & Fiona
It is also essential that children hear many nursery rhymes and songs that they will eventually join in with after hearing them several times. There are many free websites where you can find these: www.kidspot.com.au This site has the words for the most popular nursery rhymes. Go to kidspot >activity corner>nursery rhymes bussongs.com/ This site has the words and the music for over 2000 children’s songs and nursery rhymes and you can download both and print the words. www.mothergooseclub.com This site has nursery rhymes (the rhymes being shown on the screen and a voiceover reading them), video clips of nursery rhymes being sung and acted out and children’s songs being sung. Adobe Flash is required so you cannot view this on an iPad. www.songsforteaching.com This site has the lyrics plus someone singing the rhymes. On Youtube there are several suitable sites for nursery rhymes, finger plays and songs. These include: Muffin Songs Super Simple Songs CVS 3D Rhymes MagicboxEngRhy Childrenrhymes. Also go to the website of Trevor Cairney www.Trevorcairney.com which will keep you up-to-date with books as well as articles about reading, writing, literacy etc. Trevor’s blog is one of the best for parents and he is Australian!

Come and buy that special present for Mum on Friday 29th of April.

Presents will range from $1.00 to $5.00. Wrapping paper and cards will also be available.

If any Parents are able to help out on the day, please contact Jenny Burge on 0417040866. The stall runs from 9.00am to 11.00am, then again from 1.30 to 2.00pm. The stall is being held a week earlier due to Grade 3/4 camp and will be held in the Library.
COMMUNITY NEWS

BOOT OFF YOUR AUTUMN SPORTS 2016

KICK OFF YOUR AFL SEASON WITH
Vic FOOTY
GOAL! GOAL! GOAL! WITH Vic SOCCER
LOYALTY DISCOUNT AVAILABLE!
- Fun clinics in a safe and non-competitive game environment.
- Boys & Girls at Beginner, Intermediate & Advanced levels, age 4 - 12.
- 55 minute session throughout the school term.
- Fee $110 per child, including a gift.
- Certificates are awarded to all players upon completion and a trophy is presented to those who have completed 4 or 5 seasons of the same sport.

ROCK UP NETBALL
FREE PILOT PROGRAM
A DIFFERENT WAY TO PLAY
JOIN IN, GET SOCIAL AND ENJOY THE EXPERIENCE.
CRÈCHE AVAILABLE. $4.40 PER CHILD. BOOKINGS REQUIRED. PLEASE CALL KIM ON 0429 174 009.

VENUE: Keilor Basketball and Netball Stadium, Stadium Drive
DATE: 10th, 17th, 24th & 31st May
TIME: 10.00-11.00am
REGISTER: www.rockupnetball.com.au
FOR MORE INFORMATION: ROCKUPNETBALL.COM.AU OR 8321 2222

ESO SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
‘A magical story with film and live music’
The Snowman
Sunday 15th May - 2.30pm
A Family Concert
also featuring music from FROZEN
Clocktower Centre: 750 Mt Alexander Rd, Moonee Ponds
Tickets: $16 - Adults at seat prices.
Bookings: contact Clocktower Box Office on 9448 9191 or www.clocktowervictoria.com.au

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