Both Janice Lawrence and I are on leave for the next week. In our absence Mr Chris Chant, Principal at Mentone Primary School has kindly offered to join us at EPS for a short while.

Our current state of play with the building program is that works will begin during the school holidays. The relocatable classrooms will be resited and the Year 5 and 6 building will be demolished.

If everything does indeed go to plan, then there will be a great deal of activity here over the holiday period. For that reason it is probably wise for children not to be at the school unaccompanied during the term break.

Denise Webster

**THANK YOU**

I would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to the families from Edithvale Primary School for their cards, flowers, food, support and their attendance at the funeral—during this difficult time.

It has been quite overwhelming, and again, very much appreciated.

Yours sincerely

Christine, Leila & Julian Cook

**TREE PLANTING THANK YOU**

The Buildings & Grounds Committee would like to say a very big thank you to those parents who spent Friday 28th May helping us to beautify the school grounds and plant over 80 shrubs.

Planting was concentrated along Edithvale Road fence (to eventually create a low flowering hedge) and under the school sign at the corner of French Avenue and Edithvale Road. Tree guards have also been placed on new shrubs to help protect them.

Please help us keep the gardens growing by encouraging children to respect gardens and feel free to water any of these new shrubs if they look like needing water.

Special thanks to our helpers: Rachel Hepworth, Michael Sewell, Andrew Robertson and Alice Davies.

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**IMPORTANT DATES**

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### JULY

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Michelle Ford & Denine Teesdale
Commonwealth Bank School Banking is here at school in 2010!

There is an exciting new Rewards Program with great merchandise up for grabs. Children receive a token every time they bank and can redeem their tokens for gifts such as hats, pencil cases, backpacks and much more.

Every child who opens a new account in 2010 will receive a free platypus money box.

Every new account opened through our school earns our school $5.00 and we also receive commission with every deposit.

If you are interested in opening a Commonwealth Youthsaver Account, please complete the form below and return it to the office ASAP. Alternatively, if you have an existing Commonwealth Youthsaver account, your child can start banking straight away so just send your book in every week.

Our School Banking Day is Tuesday.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the front office.

NUTRIMETICS LIPSTICK DRIVE

The notice has gone home now, for the Nutrimetics Lipstick Drive. The last day for orders is FRIDAY 18 JUNE. For each cut-priced lipstick sold, the school will receive $2.00.

UNIFORM SHOP

Our Uniform Shop is open every Tuesday from approximately 3:00pm ~ 4:15pm.

LOST PROPERTY

If you have lost a windcheater recently, please check the lost property box in room 9, Mrs Sharp’s room. Please ensure that all clothing is named to enable it to be returned if misplaced.
**BOOK CLUB**

A sale edition of the Ashton Scholastic Bookclub is going home today. **ALL** orders need to be in by Friday 18th June.

**PLASTIC BAGS**

If you have finished with your plastic shopping bags, we’d love to take them off your hands. They would be very useful for putting our large and small book orders into. These can be handed in at the office.

Thank you for your continued support.

Jenny Glavis
Book Club Co-ordinator

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**AFTER SCHOOL CARE**

Many parents will be interested to know that an After School Program is conducted by Kingston Council at Edithvale Primary School.

The program, with two staff, is open to primary aged children and the hours of operation are from 3:30pm to 6:15pm on normal school days, with allowances for Curriculum Days as well.

After School Care was established to provide quality care for primary school aged children in a supervised, relaxed, safe and fun environment. The programs cater for parents who work, study or due to other commitments require After School Care for their children.

They also cater for parents who would like their children to play with other children or participate in the varied recreation activities after school.

Throughout the school term, the After School Care program staff provide children with afternoon tea as well as opportunities to participate in a varied recreation program ranging from structured and unstructured indoor/outdoor games, art, craft, cooking and special events.

Parents wishing to enrol their children are asked to contact Kingston Council on: 1300 653 356 or Paromita on 0439 081 059 for further information.

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**CANTEEN NEWS**

Rosters for Term 3 are being finalised and will be sent out next week to be sent out early in Term 3.

Callipos, Moo Ice Cream and frozen juice cups will not be available till next term. Frozen Zooper Doopers (50¢) are being sold until the end of term.

Diane

**JUNE ROSTER**

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**PFA**

Notifications for Hot Dog Day (Thursday 24th June) and School Disco (Friday 18th June) have been handed out this week.

Friday 18th June School Disco
Thursday 24th June Hot Dog Day

**DISCO:** Please remember to bring your permission/emergency forms with your child to the disco and hand in at the door when you pay your entry fee. Parent helpers will be contacted next week.

**TIMES:**
- Prep to year 3: 6:16pm ~ 7:30pm
- Year 4 ~ Year 6: 7:45pm ~ 9:00pm

**HOT DOG DAY:** Parents who wish to help out on the day, please complete the Parent/Helper form below and return to the canteen. **There will be no other lunch order on this day—WINDOW SALES ONLY.** Remember! PFA meetings are open to all parents. Next meeting will be early in Term 3.

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**PARENT / HELPER FORM ~ HOT DOG DAY**

I ___________________________ wish to help out on Hot Dog Day. Please tick the appropriate box.

- □ 1st session (9:10am ~ 10:30am)
- □ 2nd session (11:45am ~ 1:00pm)

Contact Phone No. ___________________________  Students Name: ___________________________
KUMON, EDITHVALE EDUCATION CENTRE

Kumon Method
- Teaches to concentrate
- Develops ability to learn anything new independently
- Improves mental calculation in Math’s
- Encourages studying beyond grade level up to higher levels of Math’s
- Introduces basic grammar in English
- Improves reading comprehension
- Teaches how to organise and analyse information in the texts and
- How to express one’s thoughts and opinions in writing

BY:
- Introducing compulsory daily homework
- Learning by small steps
- Making study plan individually for each student
- Providing all learning materials at no additional cost

Call me on 0402065154 or email to kumanedithvale@yahoo.com.au and book a free no obligation appointment for assessing your child’s level of knowledge in Maths and English. I will show you how your child can benefit and then you will decide if it suits your child or not

Lena Gvirtsman

LOST PROPERTY

Our Lost Property Bin is growing by the minute. There have been a number of items brought into lost property again this week. Some of these have been brand new Grade 6 jumpers with no names on them. Please remember how important it is to name all pieces of clothing. Don’t be tempted to send your child to school thinking they won’t lose it, because chances are it will be lost and you will be very disappointed.

ART ROOM

The Art room still needs lots more newspaper. Instead of throwing your newspapers out, please take them down to the Art Room and leave by the door. Thank you.

Jenny Lang

AUSSIE HOOPS

A NEW ENTRY LEVEL PROGRAM FOR KIDS AGED 5—12 YEARS. This program is affiliated with Basketball Victoria and is an opportunity to acquire and develop new skills. But most of all, Aussie Hoops is about having FUN!!

REGISTRATION DAY: Wednesday 9th June
4:00 to 5:00pm at Chelsea Stadium
(no sessions in school holidays)

PROGRAM COMMENCES: Wednesday 16th June to
Wednesday 1st September
Chelsea Stadium—Cannes Ave., Bonbeach (Melways 97 E4)

Time: 4:15pm to 5:00pm
Cost: $60 for those new $45 for those who participated in Program 1 in 2010.

For more information call Marc on 9776 1895 or email: manager@chelseabasketball.com.au
MORE TREE PLANTING
PICTURES

Enrolment Form - eight week After School Sport (please post or fax to the address below)
Edithvale Primary: Wednesday 21 July to 8 Sept., 3:30 - 4:40 PM 572.00 includes GST.
Enrolments will not be valid without payment. Do not leave enrolment forms at the school office.

Child’s Name: ___________________________ Year level: ___________________________
Address: ___________________________ Suburb: ___________________________ Postcode: ___________________________

Medical Conditions: ___________________________ Phone: ___________________________

Yes/No: On completion of an after-school clinic, my child: Attends Aftercare: ___________________________ Is collected: ___________________________

Parents Consent: I hereby authorise PlaySports Australia to act on my behalf should my child require medical attention and release PlaySports Australia from any liability for personal injury, property damage or loss sustained as a result of his or her participation unless caused by the proven negligence of PlaySports Australia.

Name: ___________________________ Signature: ___________________________

Card Number: ___________________________ Payment Details: ____________ MasterCard

Please mail this form to PlaySports Australia with
a cheque attached. Credit Card payments can be
faxed to PlaySports on Fax (03) 9532 5590.