



Edithvale Primary School Weekly Newsletter

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Term 2 - Week 4

1st MAY, 2008

I think that this week has really heralded the start of winter – although we've still had a few patches of sunshine to lift the spirits. There are a number of children, however, who haven't yet located their jumpers and have managed to shiver their way through the day – they may need a gentle reminder to make sure that they are prepared for the changeable weather.

Please note that hats are no longer compulsory in the yard – The 1st of May is 'Hat's Off Day'.

In the week beginning May 12th students in Years 3 and 5 will be involved in the National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN). This replaces the AIM tests and is very similar in content and delivery. More detailed information will soon be sent to parents of children in these levels.

Students have been involved in a number of exciting activities which have taken them out of the school. Year 4 students visited Old Treasury Museum and Fitzroy Gardens, and yesterday Year 1's went to Ripponlea. The year 5 and 6's had a full day visit on Tuesday to Mordialloc College to experience a day in the life of a secondary student and we also have had great representation in the District Athletics. All of these activities support the learning experience of our students and we are proud of the way that they represent our school in the community.

Education week at Edithvale Primary School begins Week 7. There will be open mornings on Tuesday 20th May and Thursday 22nd May. Tours of the school for new enrolments will begin at 9.30am and will conclude with morning tea. Further information about this will be given at a later date.

Denise Webster

WALK SAFELY TO SCHOOL DAY

Happening on Friday
2nd May 2008. WSTSD is held to promote the health benefits of walking and to encourage walking habits to primary school students. It is also an opportunity to help children develop the vital road-crossing skills they will need as they become mature pedestrians, and it is also an opportunity to reduce vehicle emissions to help tackle the climate change and improve air quality.

We are encouraging students and their families to participate in this 'Walk Safely to School Day' which we be a benefit for all! Students who have walked to school will be greeted at the gates with a sticker to wear for the day!



photographs

Dear Parents/Carers,

If your child is a member of the Student Representative Council, or is a part of the Leadership team in Year 6 then there are photos available for you to view at the office. If you wish to purchase a photo, then please do so through Advance Photography. Thank you.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2008

May 5th	Grade 3's Marvellous Melbourne
May 6th	Mothers Day Wrapping
May 7th	Grade 4's Minerals Victoria
May 8th	Mothers Day Stall
May 19th	Footsteps Dance Co.
May 23rd	Disco
May 26th	Footsteps Dance Co.
May 26th	Media Kids
May 26th-28th	Year 5 Camp
May 30th	CDPSSA Cross Country
June 2nd	Footsteps Dance Co.
June 6th	Sushi Day
June 6th	Zone Cross Country
June 6th	Pupil Free Day
June 16 + 23rd	Footsteps Dance Co.
June 25th	Hot Dog Day



CANTEEN NEWS

A chilly start to the week, with an increase of hot food and drink items.

Please note that hot chocolate drinks are not a window sale item, only a lunch order item. If wanting a hot chocolate for lunch, please order at morning recess.

Thank you to Jeanette and Anne for their assistance last Thursday and thank you students for being patient while waiting for your lunches.

Thanks parents for your help this week

Diane

CANTEEN ROSTER

Monday 5th Kris Hendricks	Tuesday 6th Claire Stewart
Thursday 8th May Anne Roberts Antoinette Butta	Friday 9th May Sharon Graham Chr4is Topham



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THINGS TO REMEMBER

- School Banking is collected on a Tuesday and processed on the Wednesday.
- Canteen closed on Wednesday
- Uniform Shop open on Tuesdays
- Late children need to get a let pass from the office prior to 9:30am.
- Parent Helpers need to sign in at the office.
- Early departure need to sign out at the office.
- Notes are required for all absences.
- EMA cheques are now ready for collection.
- **Mothers Day forms due in 2nd May.**
- Family photo's have arrived and can be picked up from the office.

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