



Edithvale Primary School Weekly Newsletter

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Term 2 - Week 2

17th APRIL, 2008

As I mentioned last week, there has been much discussion about what to do about the oval. Teachers and students made a commitment to re-seeding the area with autumn lawn seed. All classes discussed the process and students were unanimous in their decision to remain off the oval for the next few weeks. This week has been declared 'Garden Week' and there is a roster which allows for each grade to take responsibility for a section of the oval and of the school. We are pleased to report that the sprinklers which connect with our tanks are working and we are in the process of fine tuning the system. The Buildings and Grounds committee members have done a lot of research and have subsequently put together a plan to do further planting of kikuya sprigs just before the term 3 holidays. This will give us the best possible chance of having a green and usable oval.

Each year Edithvale Primary School supports students who are doing their teacher training. This week we welcome Alexander Jackson and Dayna Schinz from Monash University who are working in 3/7 with Mrs Johnson and Penny Carroll from Charles Darwin University who is in 6/11 with Miss Baker.

There will be no assembly held next Monday, April 21st. Instead we would like to invite you to join us for a special Anzac Day assembly held on Thursday April 24th at 9.00am.

Denise Webster

SICK CHILDREN

It seems that the season for sick children has started in earnest! Please do not send sick children to school. This is distressing for the child and also spreads germs and illness throughout classes of children. Please be aware that we do not have the facilities to keep a sick child at school so you will be phoned to collect your child if he/she is ill. We thank you for your assistance with this matter.

UNIFORM SHOP

As advised in the newsletter PSW will now be running our Uniform Shop. It will continue to open on Tuesday between 2:45pm ~ 4:15pm.

All outstanding orders are still being processed by Tracey and will be delivered to your child's classroom when they arrive.

Please check the back of the PSW Flyer for the new price list.

Thank you for your patience and understanding

Tracey



CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2008

April 23rd April 24th April 30th	CDPSSA Athletics Sports Headlice Checks Grade 1s to Ripponlea
May 5th May 7th May 8th May 19th May 25th May 26th May 26th May 26th-28th May 30th	Grade 3's Marvellous Melbourne Grade 4's Minerals Victoria Mothers Day Stall Footsteps Dance Co. Hot Dog Day Footsteps Dance Co. Media Kids Year 5 Camp CDPSSA Cross Country
June 2nd June 6th June 6th June 16 + 23rd	Footsteps Dance Co. Zone Cross Country Pupil Free Day Footsteps Dance Co.



HATS

Due to the continued warm weather we are extending our school Hat Policy until the beginning of May, remember.....



First of May, hats off day.

Education Maintenance Allowance

The Education Maintenance Allowance cheques are now available for collection at the School Office.

CANTEEN NEWS

New menu for Term 2 has been printed and will be sent out with this weeks newsletter.

Thanks for my wonderful helpers for the week, another top job

Diane



CANTEEN ROSTER

Monday 21st TBA	Tuesday 22nd Simon Lovitt
Thursday 24th Michelle Custy Kelly Jacobs	Friday 25th NO SCHOOL

OPEN NIGHT 2008

WEDNESDAY 30TH APRIL 7PM-9PM



- ◆ Learning Centre Workshops
- ◆ Rock Eisteddfod Rehearsals
- ◆ Science Works
- ◆ 'Gallery' Art Expo
- ◆ Year 9 'Mordialloc Experience'
- ◆ Select Entry Accelerated Learning

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7th Chelsea / Aspendale Cub Scout Pack

Cub Scouts provides an introduction to Scouting through a wide range of enjoyable activities. These activities (playing games, camping, earning badges, crafts etc.) are aimed at helping the Cub Scouts learn about themselves, helping others, an introduction to the great outdoors and having fun.

If your child is aged 7 1/2 to 11, you can join Cubs and have lots and lots of fun.

At this age children need experiences, which help them, learn to work and play in groups, mix with others outside home and school environments, and develop their physical, intellectual, social, emotional and spiritual abilities through active experiences.

7th Chelsea Aspendale Cub Scout Pack meets on a Monday night: 7.00pm to 8.30pm at our hall in

Browns lane (at the end of James street) Aspendale.

Feel free to talk to the parent or leader who handed you this notice or contact us by Phone, or better still, pop down one evening (with or without your child) and see for yourself what Cubs is all about, and have a chat to one of the leaders.



"Akela"

Daniel Voet

9702 2423



"King Louie"

Andy Readman

9512 0460





ANZAC DAY ASSEMBLY

Next Thursday, 24th April there will be a special whole school assembly to recognize ANZAC day. This assembly will be in place of our usual Monday morning assembly and a veteran from the Edithvale/Aspendale RSL will be speaking to the students. We invite parents to attend, and we ask that out of respect for the assembly's content that young children stand with parents and not play on the equipment.

From the S.R.C



FAMILY PHOTOS AND LATE ORDERS

Most family photos are now available from the School Office.

If you put in a late order these photos will be processed and delivered in the next few weeks.

Any queries regarding photos should be directed to Advance School Photographers on 9582 1133

Many Thanks

HEADLICE CHECKS

Our next whole school Headlice check will be on Thursday 24th April.

Children not participating in Headlice check need to have returned their form to the office.

Thank You

Aspendale Gardens Community Service Inc
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This term, Aspendale Gardens Community Centre has a variety of programs and activities including:

Drama classes for kids 6-12yrs

Art Classes for kids 7-12. (2nd class now available Thursdays 5.45pm-7.15pm).

Hurry book now for term 2. Spaces limited and bookings essential. Phone 9587 5955

Cooking classes for teenagers. 3 week interactive/demonstrative course beginning Mon 21st April (term 2) 5.30-7.30pm. cost \$50. A chance to learn or enhance skills in the kitchen. Great for those not studying food tech at school. Interested? Call Gina on 9587 5955

Kick Boxing. 1 hour cardio/kick or kick boxing with qualified instructors from FIT personal Training. Tuesdays 6 – 7 pm. Contact Matt on 9773 4000 or 0417 346 771

For more details on any of these programs, please call 9587 5955

SCHOOL BANKING FOR 2008

School Banking this year will be collected on a Tuesday and processed on the Wednesday

Banking this year will begin on Tuesday 26th February for processing on Wednesday 27th February.

Please forward any application forms for new accounts to the school office as soon as possible.

Kind Regards
The Banking Team



News from Chelsea Heights Community Centre

What a fantastic brochure we have for you this term! Monday 5th May or again in June at 7pm for 2 hours we offer "Little Aid" – a must for all parents and carers of babies and children learning practical knowledge of what to do in an emergency with a qualified and experienced first aid trainer. For men who would like to discover their "inner Chef", learn how to create delicious dishes with lots of recipes, tips and tastings in our Cooking for Blokes class 7 to 9pm Tuesday over 2 sessions. Join the Earth Carers weekly discussion group each Thursday 9.30am – coming up a special Worm Farming Workshop on 8th May. Struggling to find something to wear? On Tuesday at 12noon we have a talented seamstress who can revamp an existing clothing item, make a new outfit or even teach you how. You can even purchase below cost materials from her. We also offer Occasional Take-A-Break Childcare with 3 and 4 hour sessions at a reasonable rate to benefit both you and your child and have a fabulous hall available to hire for that special function with tables & chairs available for up to 200 people. For further information or a copy of our brochure, drop by, ring 9772 3391, or check out our Web site www.chelseaheightscommunitycentre.com.au

Chelsea Dolphins Baseball Club

PLAYERS
WANTED

Men, Women & Juniors



The **FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY** Chelsea Dolphins Baseball Club is looking for men, women and juniors to participate in weekend baseball and t-ball games.



FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT THE CLUB ON:
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