Principal's Report

It has been a very busy time with Performing Arts events and excursion activities for different teams.

It was with great pleasure and pride that I watched our students perform at the Frankston Arts Centre on Tuesday night, when they competed in the Wakakirri Performance Night. They performed beautifully in a colorful story from India based around the popular movie of a boy from the slums winning a games show.

Our students taking part in State Schools Spectacular are well into rehearsals now, building to their performances in September.

In addition to these Performing Arts events, we have had wonderful Incursions and Excursions over the last week. We are pleased to be able to offer such a rich learning environment for our students, which included:

- Exploring Indigenous Culture Incursion for Junior students
- Chesterfield Farm for our Foundation Students
- Craftpower Incursion for Senior Students

We are fortunate as a school to have wonderful Educational Support (ES) Staff supporting our students and the school's operation in so many ways. Any employee in the school who is not a teacher fits into the ES category. This covers the support for our special needs students, Office staff, OSHC, Library, Gardening, Canteen & Uniforms etc. I know parents
who have direct contact with these staff know just how much they add to our school and therefore what we are able to offer our students and school community. They really go above and beyond what is required of them. The teaching staff annually provide a morning tea as a celebration, to recognise their efforts and to show our gratitude for everything they do. Can I encourage parents who also have contact in any way to express your appreciation to them personally next time you get a chance.

Parking & Student Safety
A reminder that parents are NOT to park in the school grounds during drop-off and pick-up times. It is a safety and management issue. Parents can drop off and pick-up in the stadium car park for OSHC, as this is outside the high demand times, but must not use it to park and deliver their children to the classroom. There is clearly a lot of traffic around the school just before 9am and between 3.15 and 3.45pm. At all times our priority is student safety and we need all the school community’s cooperation in following our parking policy to keep our students safe.

There was the closest incident reported to me for many years at the end of last week, where a group of 5 students walking with 2 parents crossing a court close to the school had a (parent-driven) car come within centimetres of hitting the group as it turned from Campaspe Drive into the court. The group were very shaken from such a close call. Please drive slowly and with caution at all times, when anywhere in the school precinct.

We will be having a group of our year 5 students taking part in the Melba College performance of The Wizard of Oz on September 2nd. This is a great gesture from Melba to include a group of our students and provide them with a special experience. If parents are interested in purchasing tickets for the performance, there is information included later in this newsletter.

Graeme Caudry - Principal

PREMIERS READING CHALLENGE
August is the last month of the Challenge. Please make sure you have all your books entered by the last day of August so that the school can finalise its records.

Some of you who signed up have not yet entered any books on the Premiers Reading Challenge site. http://www.education.vic.gov.au/about/events/prc/Pages/students.aspx

If you have forgotten your user name please contact your teacher ASAP. Remember that a proportion of your books must be from the Challenge list.

Happy Reading,
Libby Browning

INDONESIAN NEWS
Lots of discussion in Indonesian about the weather and seasons in the Junior classes at the moment. We were very interested to find out that the Wurundjeri people who lived in this area recognised 6 seasons.
Did you see the Indonesian team in the opening ceremony of the Olympic Games? What colourful uniforms! We will be watching to see which sports they are competing in.

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Music News

Victorian State Schools Spectacular
Another rehearsal yesterday at Melbourne Town Hall. Our students once again proved how dedicated and passionate they are about State Schools Spectacular. Most of them had Wakakiri the night before, but they still managed to get to school on time for a bus trip into the city and all day singing and rehearsing their choreography. Well done everybody! Check out Croydon Hills and State School Spectacular Facebook pages for more photos. Tickets are still available through Ticketek.

Group shot at yesterday's rehearsal. Can you spot us?

Library News

In the lead up to Book Week we have decided to run a ‘Golden Ticket’ competition. I have selected six random books and the students who are the first to borrow these books over the next two weeks will be given a Golden Ticket. At the end of the competition these students will get to select their own book prize at Assembly. The competition started last Monday and we already have our first winner. Congratulations to Blake from FTC.

Sue Offer
Canteen News

PIZZA DAY – Wednesday 24th August

PLEASE NOTE – Several orders have been sent in incomplete without a name or class, please ensure your child’s form is filled out correctly including the food item selections.

Order forms have been distributed to every student and all orders including online must be in by 3pm Thursday 18/8. Gluten free option is available, please contact Karen in the canteen.

NO LATE ORDERS WILL BE ACCEPTED. NO OTHER LUNCH ORDERS AVAILABLE ON THE DAY. Hooptime participants will have their Pizza Day on Thursday 25/8.

MONDAY ORDERS

All lunch orders must be placed online on Mondays via the Flexischools website. A basic lunch of a cheese sandwich will be supplied for any manual orders sent in.

WHAT’S NEW?
Oak Caramel Flavoured Milk (UHT) – $1.50

CLEARANCE

Tropical Paddle pop with real Yoghurt $1.00!!!!! While stocks last.

Telephone: 9725 1206  OSHC 9724 4514
WARM MILO - $1.50
During the cooler months, we will be offering a warm milo with a homemade cookie at recess only for $1.50. Milos pre ordered on a lunch order will be made and ready for collection at the start of recess. Students must come to the canteen to collect at recess only.

MONDAY MEAL DEALS (only available via online ordering)
Mini Meal Deal - $4.00
Small Cheesymite Scroll from Bakers Delight, Oak Flavoured Milk and 2 homemade cookies
Mega Meal Deal - $5.50
Wedges with sour cream or tomato sauce, Oak Flavoured Milk and 2 homemade cookies.
Subject to availability.

ROSTER
Friday 12th August – Kylie Van Roosmalen.
Friday 19th August – Rachelle McNamara, Joanne Duo.
Karen Cyster - Canteen Manager

Uniform News
2016 Uniform Shop Opening Hours:
Monday 8.30am to 10am
Thursday 2.30pm to 4pm
Orders can be placed any day through FlexiSchools.com.au. Your order will be processed during normal opening hours and delivered home via your child’s classroom.
Order Forms can also be left at the office.
Orders and enquiries can be made by phoning the Uniform Shop during our opening hours.
All orders will be sent to your child’s classroom, unless otherwise specified.
Anissa Silver - Manager

Mia’s MessageBoard:
I have discovered another website that I love for wellbeing info - www.heartmindonline.org

Defining Self-regulation
In a nutshell, self-regulation refers to how people deal with stress. The body naturally “revs up” to give itself more energy to deal with something stressful, then “revs down” to conserve energy when it perceives the stressor is dealt with. People with effective self-regulation optimize their response to stress. They spend less time in ineffective states, such as being too revved up (which can look like being “stressed out”, overwhelmed, or “hyper”) or too-revved down (for example, “zoned-out”, bored or sleepy). If you are able to manage your own energy state, and all the emotions and behaviours that go with that, you are able to be calm, focused and able to learn. The ability to self-regulate is also increasingly being linked to long-term well-being. For example, recent studies have shown links between self-regulation and memory, risky behaviours, personality disorders, obesity, and other chronic conditions.
To read the whole article, go to http://heartmindonline.org/resources/a-parents-guide-to-self-regulation
Mia Sartori - Student Welfare Officer

CHAPS NEWS
Our Term 3 Fundraiser is something a little different! We are excited to announce that Sweet Light Photography will be running 20 minute photography sessions on the weekend of Saturday the 10th and Sunday the 11th of September. Sweet Light Photography is a local business owned by Catherine Meyer, a Mum from our school. The sitting fee is a bargain price of $30 (100% of which is donated to the school). Photography packages can then be purchased starting from $50. This is such a reasonable price for professional photographs! Flyers will be sent to families on Compass with more information. Please see the office if you need a hardcopy. To make a booking, please complete the attached booking slip or email CHAPS at chaps@croydonhps.vic.edu.au with your name, child’s name, class and preferred day & time. Don’t forget to send in your $30
sitting fee as bookings will not be accepted without it. You can pay via cash, cheque (payable to CHPS), or credit card through the school office. Hard copy payment forms are also available at the office. This is a great chance to get started on your Christmas list as photos will be ready well before Christmas! Chocolate money is now overdue! Please return your money to the office or pay via compass ASAP.

### CHAPS Calendar of Events

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Feeling community minded? Why not sign up for CHAPS. Forms are available from the school office or by emailing CHAPS at [chaps@croydonhps.vic.edu.au](mailto:chaps@croydonhps.vic.edu.au)

**Sally Harley – CHAPS Communication Co-ordinator - [chaps@croydonhps.vic.edu.au](mailto:chaps@croydonhps.vic.edu.au)**

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**CROYDON HILLS PRIMARY SCHOOL SPRING FUNDRAISER**

**GET ORGANISED FOR XMAS!**

100% SITTING FEE DONATED TO CHAPS

**$30**

(Reg $200)

• 20 MIN. SESSION
• ONLINE GALLERY FOR IMAGE AND PRODUCT ORDERING (EXCLUSIVE PRINT/DIGITAL PRICES TO SCHOOL FAMILIES) HELD ON THE OVAL AT REAR OF SCHOOL FROM 9AM

[www.sweetlightphotography.org](http://www.sweetlightphotography.org)

RESERVE YOUR SPOT NOW! 0421 594 936

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**SCHOOL CROSSING INFORMATION**

Please note that the flag-operated crossing on Plymouth Rd, outside Luther College will not be supervised on **Friday August 19<sup>th</sup>**.

Please encourage any students who regularly use this crossing to use the light-operated crossing (which will be supervised) outside Good Shepherd on that day.
Some Olympics facts for **BRAZIL**

Australia has 421 athletes competing in Rio.

Anna Meares is the Team Captain and she also carried the flag during the opening ceremony.

Andrew Bogut is the tallest member of the team. He is 213cm.

Melissa Wu is the shortest, she is 153cm.

There are 9 sets of siblings in the Team, the record is 12 at the Sydney 2000 Games.

Before Rio 2016 Australia has won 142 gold, 159 silver, 182 bronze for a total of 483 Summer Olympics medals.

Australia is on track for 150\textsuperscript{th} gold and 500\textsuperscript{th} medal at these Games.

**Birthdays this week....**

Yesterday
Tiah SDE & Tharindi SLK

Today
Seerat FGR, Emma JSY, Amelie MJT & Isabella MJT

Sunday 14\textsuperscript{th}
Ruby FDR, Chris FJO, Toby FTC, Brielle JLS, Isaac MKU & Ava MFP

Congratulations, hope all your wishes come true and you got some cool presents too!!

**THIS WEEK’S CHALLENGE**

Write the answer to the challenge, with your name and class and place it in the box outside the office by Tuesday morning.

Australia is competing in 26 out of 28 sports at the Olympics.

Can you find the 2 that we aren't competing in?

What events are these athletes participating in?

Jessica Fox
Anna Meares
Mack Horton
Ellia Green
Christopher Burton
Catherine Skinner
Jamie Dwyer
Joe Kayes
Foundation 100th Day of School!
This semester the Senior students have been learning to use the Design Process to research and design solutions to problems in the world around them.

As a part of this the students participated in the Craft Power incursion. The students were able to plan, design and then create their own electric cars out of wood.

The students were guided in safely handling saws, hammers and hot glue guns to create their masterpieces. It was a great experience and all of the students love their cars!
CROYDON NORTH CRICKET CLUB INC
JUNIOR CRICKET CLUB

Registration Day

Early Bird Discount = 20% off!!!

New Knights Welcome!

District Cricket coaches assisting!!!

Saturday August 13th 2016 FROM 12:30 -2:00pm
Saxon Sports 2/64 Cave Hill Rd Lilydale (bring ya gear for a hit!)

New U10 players registering will receive a New 10’s Players Package which includes a training shirt, cap & club drink bottle!
Uniforms available to try on and purchase/order.

FREE SAUSAGE SIZZLE

Boys and Girls aged 5-16 of all abilities
Milo in 2 Cricket Registrations
T20 Blast is Big Bash for kids!!! Care says we may play on the MG!!!
Tell all your friends the exciting news!!!
Fun Team Environment with qualified coaches.

If you are unable to attend or need more information call
Karen Mitchell – 0459 107 657 (Junior Coordinator)
Karl Hilliers – 0409 411 283 (Junior Secretary)
Peter Hessesson – 0409 300 932 (Ordinary Slave)

Telephone: 9725 1206  OSHC 9724 4514

Mooroolbark Flashashes

SUMMER 2016/17
REGISTRATIONS
NOW OPEN

Miniball to U10 First Season Free
Girls Miniball, U9, U10 play Tuesday
Girls U12 to 21 play Wednesday
Boys play Saturdays
Games at Kilsyth, Lilydale & Oxley

All skill levels welcome
GO TO
www.mooroolbarkflashes.com.au
to register or more info NOW
#GOFLASHES

Melba College and Croydon Hills Primary School
proudly presents

The Wizard of Oz

Friday 2nd September 2016 at 7.30pm
Adults - $23.00/Concession - $15.00
Melba College Theatre
Brentnall Road, Croydon

Bookings – www.trybooking.com – click buy tickets and search Melba College The Wizard of Oz
Or Pam Peters on 9870 4551

Wonga Park
Juniors want you!

Wonga Park CC is pleased to announce that our current senior coach, Sunny, will also be a specialist coach for our Junior club this coming season

Friday Nights at Wonga Park

• Milo in2 Cricket from ages 5
• U10 Non Comp

New players always welcome
Pre season training 5pm – 6pm

Telephone: 9725 1206  OSHC 9724 4514
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BOOMtec

Grade 5 & 6 Disco

When: 26th August 2016
28th October 2016
25th November 2016

Where: Norwood Secondary College Hall
Byron Street, Ringwood North

For All BoomTEC inquiries, phone: Tinternvale Primary School 9720 1215

Time: 7.00pm – 9.30pm SHARP!!

Tickets: $10 Limited number of tickets available on the night

To avoid disappointment, pre-buy your tickets at:
Tinternvale Primary School - anytime during office hours.
Pre purchased ticket holders enter BoomTEC at 6.45pm No Queuing!

DJ playing Top 40 Hits

Snacks & Drinks 20c - $1.00
Glow Products $2.00 - $3.00

** Lots of Prizes to be Won **

BoomTEC is strictly supervised, all children MUST be signed in & picked up by an adult over 18 years of age.

Parents/Guardians must collect their children BY 9.30pm from inside the Hall. NO PASSOUTS will be given for ANY reason.

BoomTEC is an event managed by Tinternvale Primary School Council – 9720 1215

WHAT: Autism, Information Processing and Managing Meltdowns

WHEN: 7pm – 8.30pm, Thursday 25th August 2016
WHERE: Park Orchards Learning Centre, 572 Park Rd, Park Orchards

CONTACT – Programcoord@parkorchards.org.au or phone 9876 4381

COST: $10 per person (books available, cash only)

“Never have I sat through a seminar that held me captivated the entire time. Donna is an expert on the subject and if you think you know a lot about Autism then think again.”