

### **Wembley Primary School** NEWSLETTER

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From the School Leaders

### Wednesday 30th October, 2013

Yard Supervision: 8:50am-9:00am

**Upcoming Events For** Term 3, 2013

3:15pm-3:30pm Yard Opens 8:30am, Closes 3:30pm

### Wednesday 6th-Friday 8th November

Year 2 Camp to Cottage by the Sea (Queenscliff)

### Wednesday 13th November from 9:00am

Prep Fire Brigade Incursion First visit (indoors, 30minutes per session)

### Thursday 21st November from 9:00am Prep Fire Brigade Incursion Second Visit (outdoors, 60minutes in total)

**Mathematics Professional** 

**Development for Teachers** 

Phone: 9314 7054

On Wednesday and Friday of this week Wembley Primary School is hosting a professional learning program for teachers from Wembley Primary School and several neighbouring schools. The program is being offered through the Australian Mathematics and Science Institute of the University of Melbourne. Children and teachers will have the opportunity of participating in, viewing and discussing numeracy sessions taken by highly skilled and experienced teachers of mathematics.

The topics to be covered during the sessions include fractions, decimals, angles and symmetry and patterns and algebra, which are the teaching and learning focus areas for this term. The children will be involved in a modelled lesson with a visiting teacher and this will be followed with a professional discussion with the teachers. This program is funded by Boeing and we are fortunate at Wembley Primary School to be a part of the program this year.

### Year 1 Excursion to CERES

Today the Year 1 students have headed off to CERES Environmental Park in Brunswick to participate in a variety of cultural activities that will complement their Term 4 concept. We look forward to some interesting reports about their adventures in next week's newsletter.

**Uniform Shop** Orders can be placed at the office with payment.

**Out of School Hours** Care Program **Phone Number** 9314 9358

### Cottage By the Sea, Queenscliff-Year 2 Camp

Excitement is mounting in the Year 2 area as students and teachers prepare for their camp, which departs next week. Parents have had all the information over the past term, however, if you have any gueries please contact your child's teacher or the office to clarify any questions you may have concerning the camp. Years 2A & 2B head off on Wednesday morning and Years 2C & 2D depart on Thursday morning.

We are all hoping for good weather to take advantage of the outdoor activities that Queenscliff is famous for.

### Melbourne Cup Day Holiday

Parents are reminded that Tuesday of next week is a public holiday. The school will be open on Monday for all classes as normal. Some parents have notified their child's teacher that their families will be taking an extended long weekend.

### **Report Writing Weeks**

Over the coming two weeks all teachers will be involved in student assessment and reporting in preparation for the Semester 2 Student Reports. These reports will be sent home to parents at the end of the year.

### 2014 Planning-Class Placements

Thank you to all of the parents who have notified their child's class teacher or the office that they will not be returning to Wembley Primary School in 2014. This will assist us greatly in the process of forming new classes for 2014. As we prepare to allocate children to their 2014

classes, parents may have specific requests regarding their child's individual educational needs for the coming year, however, this does not extend to requests for a particular teacher. Any specific parent requests for class placement must be made in writing and sent to Terry Lawless by November 8.

### Thank you from Prep B

Prep B would like to thank Kellie Anthony for her generosity when sewing some chair bags back to life. It was very much appreciated by the students and Miss Hedley.

### GREASE, THE MUSICAL

A booking has been made for Wembley families for the coming season of Grease, which will open at Her Majesty's Theatre on January 2. A limited number of seats have been booked for Thursday 20 February 2014 at 8pm. A special school group price of \$75 has been secured and payment is required by the first week in December. If you are interested in booking some tickets please let Rosie in the office know. Tickets to the No1 Party Musical, Grease, would make a wonderful surprise Christmas gift!

### <u>Religious Education Program - St</u> Augustine's Catholic Parish, Yarraville

Commencing 11 February 2014 for children from grades 2 to 6. Families wishing their children to prepare for the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Eucharist, and Confirmation please contact the Parish Office for enrolment Form and further details. Tel: 9314 7710 Email: Yarraville@cam.org.au

### **Investigating LOTE**

A message to families that the leadership team is investigating the option of offering a LOTE Program at Wembley Primary School, in years to come. Currently our Specialist programs offered include Visual Arts, Performing Arts and Physical Education and we are hoping to broaden the scope of our programs, by offering a LOTE program.

### PROSPECTIVE VIOLIN INSTRUMENTAL LESSONS FOR 2014

Dear Parents and Wembley Community
I am hoping to gauge if there are any students interested in learning to play the violin in 2014?
If you have an expression of interest please contact me via the email below.

If we have enough interest, I will be looking to employ a violin teacher to start in 2014.

Thank you, Simon Nolan nolan.simon.s@edumail.vic.gov.au

### Williamstown High School Uniform Shop

(Located at Pasco St Campus)

### Buy early sale now on Sale finishes Nov 3rd

### Trading Hours

 $\begin{array}{ll} Tuesday & 1pm-4.30pm \\ Wednesday & 8.00am-11am \\ Thursday & 1pm-4.30pm \end{array}$ 

Personal fitting appointments are available outside of trading hours

Phone Kaye or Marie-ann 9399 8662 or email wil@dobsons.com.au

### Our New School Bags have arrived!!

We are excited to announce the arrival our new school bags, a backpack and a roller bag, as **optional** extras to our uniform list.

The bags are navy blue and have the school crest printed in white on the front pocket. Both bags are high quality products and have been chosen with the children's health and safety in mind.

The Backpack has a 23L capacity and costs-\$26 The Roller Bag has a 30.5L capacity and costs-\$55 Both bags come with a Lifetime Warranty.

Pictures and information about both products as well as samples are available at the office for you to have a look at.

We have a limited amount of roller bags available now and the backpacks will be available from Week 3. Orders are being taken at the office now-simply use the uniform order form available at the school office.



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### Student of the Week 25th October 2013

**3D** 



- PA Ayse Karapunar-for participating in all classroom activities to the best of her ability.
- PB Lila Simpson-for using onomatopoeia for each step of the Milking process. Moo! Moo!
- PC Auston Hoang-for amazing onomatopoeia in his poetry about where milk comes from.
- PD Leontine O'Brien-for excellent use of punctuation in her retell about McDuff the Dog!
- **1A** Oliver Prussner-for his amazing effort in writing a retell of the story Louie.
- **1B** Amelia Archer-for great work in solving problems with fractions.
- 1C Lachlan Clegg-for his explanation of fraction parts—1/3, 1/2, 1/4 and 1/8.
- **1D** Lucy McGoldrick-for an excellent cultural presentation.
- **1E** Angus Urquhart-for improved effort in his handwriting and presentation of his work.
- **2A** Ella Purkiss-for her creative explanation on how the Snoozatron works! Great job!
- 2B Ahmed Elbelli-for his attention during guest speaker presentations and for asking thoughtful questions.
- 2B Mia Graf-for assisting other students whenever they need help. Well done Mia!

Tess McMahon-for her enthusiastic approach to learning and her effort.

- 3A Taylor Zenelovski-for the great respect you show everyone & the positivity with which you approach all situations!
- 3B Daniel Do-for adding lots of detail and 'voice' to his Werribee Zoo 'snapshot' recount. Well done!
- **3C** Fin Chapman-for writing a fabulous information report about the "Greater Bilby".
- 4A Isabella Ly-for showing a clear understanding of the probabilities of disasters occurring around the world.
- 4A Oliver Rudd-for being extremely precise when measuring capacity.
- **4B** Lottie Smith-for working through all the stages of the writing process to publish a fantastic memoir Wind in My Hair.
- 4C Will Duncan-for always showing respect to others and striving to follow all our WPS values.
- **5A** Lucy Dawson-for enthusiastic investigating when learning about word derivations.
- **5B** Panagiota Mavridis-for consistently displaying a great work ethic and all school values.

**5B** 

**5C** 

- 6A Alysia Hahnel-for her thoughtful and personal reflection on technology-Great Homework.
- **6B** Ky Lang-for superb effort when drafting a piece of writing for his memoirs. Well done!!
- 6C Marcus Tasevski-for showing persistent effort when writing his memoirs. Great effort! Keep it up!

### WEMBLEY BASKETBALL CLUB

For information please visit our website: www.wembleybasketball.com.au

### Kingsville Tennis Club Inc.

Wattle Street, West Footscray Interested in playing tennis and having FUN in the sun this summer then Kingsville Tennis Club is the place for YOU. Here at Kingsville Tennis Club we offer a wide range of coaching lessons.

- Private Lesson (1 on 1 with the coach)
- Group Lessons (1:4 ratio with the coach)
- Adult Lessons (Private or Group Lessons)
- Cardio Tennis (fun & fitness while playing tennis to music)
- MLC Hotshots (ages 5-10 years)
  \*free tennis racquet & t-shirt for new sign ups

For more information contact:

Brendon Sanderson Mobile: 0422 581 325

Email: brendon.sanderson@hotmail.com



### **REGISTER NOW!!**

Want to join the Williamstown **Nippers Program** (Kids aged 5-14 years)?

The season starts

Friday November 8<sup>th</sup> from 4.30pm

Spots filling fast so get online and join now, for more information go towww.williamstownslsc.org.au

Registration kit includes the new Nippers':

- Rashie
- Hat
- Drink bottle
- Wrist band
- Bag.

Parents don't forget you need your Working with Children's Check to become members!

### **WEMBLEY NETBALL CLUB**

For information see our page on the Wembley P.S. website under Sports Clubs.

### **Murphy's Maintenance Services**

Free quotes and Good rates for any carpentry or maintenance jobs at home or in the office. Fully insured, police checked and current working with children check.

Please call Tim on 0419535132 or timmurphysmaintenance@gmail.com

### Cleaning

Mother available for cleaning Monday to Friday. Cleaning includes just about everything including dirty laundry, ovens, windows, linens etc. \$26 per hour-minimum 2 hours, please. Ironing also available for \$20 per hour. Please call Pamela on 0478-150-120.

### **Term 4 Swimming Lessons**

Yarraville Swim Centre is offering lessons for babies through to adults, we use the Royal Life Saving Society Swim and Survive course of swimming recognised nationally. Lessons can lead to competitive swimming, marine biology and surfing, which are all offered at the centre. Call on 9315 3400 or check us on

Yarravilleswimcentre.com.au Now also at Vic Uni for level 4 and above.



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### Important changes to School Banking.

Student Name	
Student Number	Class
Number	Tokens

- **Dollarmites moneyboxes will no longer be available in 2014**. The Commonwealth Bank has removed the rule of only one moneybox per student per year for 2013. A student can redeem more than one moneybox this year if they have saved 10 tokens.
- In 2014 the Commonwealth Bank will be introducing **two new** reward items for the students to choose from **each term**. Each reward will remain available for two terms (except Term 4, where they will only be available for the 1 term). These new items offer students a wider selection of items to redeem from.
- The maximum tokens that can be carried over into 2014 is nine (9). Any students holding 10 or more tokens must redeem them in 2013.

All items from 2013 are still available as well as a limited number of USB sticks from 2012. Please fill out the attached rewards card for 2013 rewards or a note for 2012 rewards to avoid missing out on items or losing tokens at the end of 2013.

Saving regularly is an important habit to get into, whether you are saving a little or a lot. Keep up the great work and remember to bring in your deposit book each Tuesday.







### Saver**plus**

Supporting Australians to save for over 10 years

## Can Saver Plus assist you with education costs?

Ioin Saver Plus and match your savings, dollar for dollar, up to \$500 for educational costs including:

- school uniforms and text books
- excursions and camps
- laptops and notebooks
- sports equipment, uniforms and lessons
- music tuition and instrument hire.

Saver Plus is Australia's largest and longest running matched savings and financial education program, supporting over 20,000 people to build their financial confidence since 2003.

You may be eligible if you have a Health Care or Pensioner Concession Card, are at least 18 years old, have some regular income from work (you or your partner) and have a child at school or study yourself.

Contact Daniel Crotty, your local Saver Plus Worker: (03) 9749 7194 / 0439 585 702 or

daniel.crotty@thesmithfamily.com.au

Saver Plus was developed by ANZ and the Brotherhood of St Laurence and is delivered in Werribee by The Smith Family. The program is funded by ANZ and the Australian Government.

### Junior cricketers wanted for:

- √Under 15's
- √Under 13's
- ✓ Under 11's (including Under 11 Cubs)
- ✓And Milo In2Cricket for 5-10 year olds
- √ Family friendly club located in the picturesque Yarraville **Gardens**

**Contact: Nathan Wigmore** Mobile: 0408 551 708 seddoncricketclub.com Email: nathanwigmore@hotmail.com



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# SPOTSWOOD CRICKET CLUB











## www.spotswoodcc.com.au

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for further information on playing cricket with the

Please email John









### Yarraville Glory Football Club

### **Boys and Girls Aged 5 - 8**

Do you want to have fun in the sun with your friends?

Then come down to Yarraville Glory this summer on Sundays to play some soccer.

Not only will you get to have some fun with your friends outside of school, you will make some new friends, learn some new skills and get some exercise out in the sun.

Yarraville Glory Summer season of Grassroots Soccer started Sunday 15th October and will run every Sunday through December 15th. After taking a break for Christmas we will re-start Sunday 9th February til Sunday 16th March 2014. That's 16 sessions in total.

Each week starts at 10am (come a few minutes early for a kick around) and runs until 11am.

McIvor Reserve, Fogarty Ave. (Off Wembley Ave, next to the Hockey Centre)

New participants cost \$120 (which includes membership through FFV required for insurance). For an optional extra \$40 a uniform can be purchased. For those already registered in 2013 the cost is \$80.

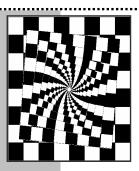
Please bring some shin pads (trainers or soccer boots are fine) a bottle of water and warm or wet weather clothing.

Please come along next Sunday at 10am and bring all your mates with you.

Kerryn & Rob Sneddon 0409 132 654 - ygfcgrassroots@optusnet.com.au

James Golding 0435 479 774 - jamesgolding11@gmail.com

### Chess Ideas



### Wembley Primary School Chess Club, Term 4, 2013

### Term 4 starts on 15/10 Make up class for term3 New term classes start



**Dates:** 22/10 - 17/12 (no 5/11) - 8 sessions

**Time:** Tuesdays 3.30pm – 4.30pm

**Cost:** \$10.00 per lesson \$80.00

Ph: 9532 8370

Fax: 9532 8360

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PLEASE NOTE: If chess lessons coincide with swimming or school camp, please deduct the cost of these lessons from the total amount.

Otherwise, students will not receive a refund for classes missed but students commencing *after* the first week *do not pay* for the earlier lessons.

Cheques should be made payable to "Chess Ideas (Australia) Pty. Ltd." or we accept payment by MasterCard, and Visa either by phone, 9532-8370, fax, 9532-8360, email admin@chessideas.com.au or post. (Please complete the form below and return with pay-

### ment). ALL PAYMENTS CAN NOW BE DONE ONLINE AT: www.chessideas.com.au

If your child has a *medical condition* we should know about please ring our office with details.

Play Chess at home against the computer. Go to www.chessideas.com.au home page. Click on "play chess". It's fun!

### CHESS REGISTRATION TERM 4, 2013 (Huntingtower School)

NAME OF CHILD:	GRADE:
CONTACT PARENT/GUARDIAN:	Ph. #:
SIGNATURE OF PARENT/ GUARDIAN:	
Credit Card Details: (Visa and Mastercard only)	
NAME ON CARD:	CARD TYPE:
CARD NUMBER:	EXPIRY DATE:
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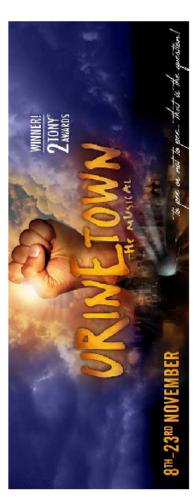
Please enclose \$80.00 and send to:-'Chess Ideas (Australia) Pty. Ltd.' <u>PO Box 3158, Ripponlea Vic</u> 3185, or phone 9532 - 8370 or fax 9532 - 8360 with credit card details between the hours of 9:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE - 28/10/2013

Media Enquirles - Marcus Cassidy-Anderson 0422 44 3871 or <u>president@wmtc.ora.au</u>



Williamstown Musical Theatre Company Inc is proud to present URINETOWN – The Musical running from the 8th to 23<sup>st</sup> November 2013.

Winner of 2 Tony Awards for Best Book and Best Score and drawing from West Side Story, CHICAGO, and Les Misérables among others, URINETOWN is an inventive parody of, and loving tribute to, musicals in general and is filled with edgy melodies and exuberant musical numbers. A highly satirical, tongue-in-cheek tale of big-city greed, corruption and romance on the wrong side of the law, URINETOWN creates a cheerfully dystopian vision of a future in which water is in short supply, private toilets are banned and a corporation has a monopoly on the public amerities. In this user-pars world, two young people meet and fall in love: Hope, the optimistically maive daughter of water magnate Caldwell B. Cladwell, and the revolutionary Bobby Strong, who inspires the disaffected populace with his forthright conviction that no one ought to be forced to pee at someone else's convenience. The character of Bobby Strong was included on New York Theatre Monthly's list of "The 100 Greatest Roles in Musical Theatre". Director Anna Marinelli said "Lovers of musical theatre will recognise the writers' clever comparisons with other musicals like "Les Miserables", "West Side Story" and "Fiddler on the Roof", amongst others. Those not familiar with musical theatre and attendance is purely because of intrigue of the title of the show – we hope you will be entertained by the tongue-in-cheek humour and sometimes cynical view of a future where water is worth its weight in gold."

For over 60 years Williamstown Musical Theatre Company has been perfecting its craft and providing high quality entertainment for both the Hobsons Bay Community, as well as Melbourne's theatre going audiences.

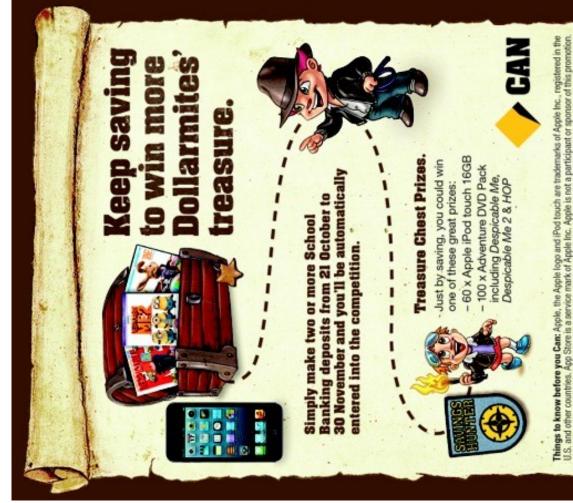
Known as one of the leaders in Victorian Community theatre, WMTC has again produced a theatrical feast with URINETOWN – The Musical and is another show not to be missed! URINETOWN – The Musical opens for a limited season on *Friday* 8th November and plays until Saturday 23th November at the Williamstown Mechanics Institute (Corner of Melbourne Road & Electra Street, Williamstown). Tickets are available online by visiting WMTC's website <a href="https://www.wmtc.org.au">www.wmtc.org.au</a> or by calling 1300 881 545.

2000 from all entries received. Individual prices are an Apple Pod touch valued at \$249 and a DVD Pack valued at \$76. The Promoter is Commonwealth Bank of Australia ABN 48 123 123 124, Level 2B. 11 Harbour Street, Sydney NSW 2000. Full terms and conditions at commbank com, au/adventureisland

NSW Permit No. LTPS/13/6945. ACT Permit No. TP13/3206. SA Permit No. T13/1612. Competition opens 21/10/13 and closes 30/11/13. Wirners will be drawn on 10/12/13 at 12:00pm AEDT, Level 28. 11 Harbour Street, Sydney NSW

### Also included with this media release:

Publicity Photos – Page 2. Who's in the cast and where are they from? – Page 3.





### Yarraville Special Developmental School No. 5278

You are warmly invited to our amazing Yarraville SDS art show



Come and see what our talented students have been making with paper, canvas iPads and boxes! Visit our beautiful school and meet our community.

International singer and performer Sarah Ward will officially open the art show on Thursday the 7<sup>th</sup> of November from 5.30pm onwards.

We would greatly appreciate a gold coin donation at the door.

We would love to see you on the opening night.

Light drinks and nibbles will be provided at the opening.

Please see the invite for details.

Yours sincerely, Georgia Ensor (Art Teacher)



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