Dear Parents and Students,

The big news this week is that Leona and Matt Nankervis are the proud parents of a baby boy, Riley John. Riley was born last Saturday and we all look forward to a visit in the near future.

END OF TERM REMINDERS:

♦ Active After School Sports finished yesterday. Term four programs will begin in week three.
♦ ‘Hot Lunches’ finish next Wednesday (Special thanks to Irene and her team of helpers!)
♦ School finishes at 1.30pm on Friday 20th September and resumes on Monday 7th October.

SCHOOL COUNCIL:
Our September school council meeting is next Tuesday, 17th at 7.30pm.

4-6 CAMP:
Permission, medical and behavioural forms can be returned at anytime prior to the camp. Payments can be made via the office. Please note, however, full payment must be received prior to the camp date. Where possible, please pay by cheque made out to the school or via our BSB account - see Sharyn.

BREAK IN:
Unfortunately, our school experienced a break-in during the early hours of Wednesday morning. The offenders broke the back glass door and searched for cash in our office area, causing considerable and expensive damage to office equipment. Classes were unaffected and detectives are investigating all aspects. It is also known that there was another school broken into and an attempted car theft in Darnum on the same night, so please be vigilant with your property and keep an eye on the school for us out of hours.

IMPORTANT MESSAGE:
Important message regarding IPhones/IPods etc. Despite regular (often weekly) lessons and discussions about the appropriate use of social media such as ‘facetime’ or messages, we have had several incidences of (senior) students using these devices inappropriately out of school hours, which then carries over to create issues during school. Parents must take control of the use of these items and check message histories regularly. Any student found to be using them inappropriately will have their parents contacted, item confiscated and banned from bringing them in the future, which unfortunately may lead to a school-wide ban on all such items.

Regards
Chris & Staff
DIARY DATES

SEPT
Tuesday 17th    School Council
Wednesday 18th  Last Swimming day P-4
Friday 20th        Last day Term 2

Jeans for Genes

On the final day of this term we will be holding our usual free dress day and asking students for a donation in return, with proceeds going to the Jeans for Genes Day Fund Raiser. Currently 1 in 20 babies are born with a birth defect or genetic disease and Jeans for Genes Day help raise funds for research into children’s genetic disorders such as cancer, cystic fibrosis, blindness, epilepsy, muscular dystrophy and many more, for which no cure has yet been developed. Merchandise for this fund raiser is available at the office, and for those interested, instead of a gold coin donation, you could purchase one of the following items now or on the day:

- $3 Double Helix Zipper Pull Tag
- $4 Lip Balm
- $5 Double Helix Badge
- $6 Designer Pen
- $8 Bracelet

HOT LUNCH ROSTER REMINDER

September 18th
Lynne Jones, Michala Chapman & Jenna Davie

Students of the Week
Jack Davie
Jaxson Smith
Steven Summerfield
Vincent Onslow
Jack Keeble
Joel Bowden
Claire Bailey

GOOD LUCK

Good Luck to Jade Pratt, Cameron Tweddle and Liam Jones who will be participating in the West Gippsland Region Athletic Championships tomorrow in Newborough
YARRAGON CRICKET CLUB JUNIOR CRICKETERS WANTED

UNDER 12S
COACHES LOUIS AND PAULA BORSATO TEL: 0427 935 009
TRAINING EVERY MONDAY STARTING OCTOBER 21 AT 5.00PM AT YARRAGON CRICKET GROUND
MATCHES ARE PLAYED WEDNESDAY AFTERNOONS AT 5.00pm STARTING WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 30TH
MILO CRICKET(5-10 YEAR OLDS)
CO-ORDINATOR- ANDY TREWERN 0432 863 049
STARTS THURSDAY OCTOBER 31ST AT 4.30PM AT YARRAGON CRICKET GROUND
AND CONTINUES EVERY THURSDAY TILL CHRISTMAS
COST $65 PER CHILD INCLUDES CRICKET BAG, BAT, BALL, STUMPS ETC.
UNDER 14S
TRAINING THURSDAYS FROM 4.30PM STARTING THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 19
MATCHES ARE PLAYED SATURDAY MORNINGS AT 9.00AM STARTING OCTOBER 12TH.

WARRAGUL LITTLE ATHLETICS CENTRE
SEASON 2013 / 2014
STARTS SATURDAY 5TH OCTOBER AT 8.30AM
GEOFF WATT TRACK, BURKE STREET, WARRAGUL

REGISTRATION DAYS
Wednesday 18th September
4.30pm–6.00pm at the Geoff Watt Track
AND
Saturday 21st September
10.00am–1.00pm at
McDonalds, Warragul

Gulls Netball Club
Twilight Registration Day
Tuesday 17th September
4:30pm - 6:30pm
Burke Street Netball Courts Warragul
Competition starts Monday 14 October
New players and umpires are very welcome

For more information contact Sally
0407865257

SCHOOL HOLIDAY TENNIS CLINIC & MLC HOT SHOTS CHALLENGE

30th September, 1st October & 2nd October 2013 To be held at the Warragul (Burke St) Tennis club or Drouin Tennis Club. Ages 6-16. All standards. 1.5 hours each day. Cost $60
Learn some new skills and improve your tennis finishing with a Hot Shots Challenge Match Tennis Coaching commencing October 2013
For all standards and age groups
For further information or bookings phone Mark Stevens, Gippsland Tennis Coaching 51748685
Or 0417 140 763 or email mstennis@dcsi.net.au