Dear Parents and Students,

Term 3 ends tomorrow at 1.30pm. It has certainly been an action-packed term and the children have had a fair share of colds and other illness as the seasons change, so I hope everyone enjoys the break and comes back fit and relaxed for term 4. I will be in Japan throughout the holidays and also the first week of term, so please see Rob Ferguson for any ‘Principal’ enquires. Mr & Mrs Nankervis brought Riley to visit us yesterday, it was a wonderful surprise.

TERM THANK YOU’S:
The staff have appreciated the large amount of parent helpers and support during this term. Parents have assisted us greatly in hot lunch rosters, reading, covering books, sporting and transport help and maintenance. Thank you so much - your efforts are really valued by us all!

2014 FOUNDATION (PREP) STUDENTS:
Letters of invitation to our orientation programs will be sent home this week. If your child (or someone you know) does not receive their personal letter, please contact the office. (The new National curriculum has adopted the term ‘Foundation’ for prep level children, so this term will appear on reports etc from 2014 - thought I am sure I will find it a hard habit to break after 33years!)

4-6 CAMP:
Please keep those notes coming back in - if possible tomorrow but no later than the first week back to assist our planning. Note that the medical / behaviour forms are double sided so please complete all information thankyou.

SWIMMING PROGRAM:
Our 2013 P-4 Swimming program finished yesterday. It was fantastic to see the progress the children made over the month and I congratulate the Warragul Leisure Centre teachers for the quality of this year’s program. The children were also very well organised this year, especially in the change rooms. Thanks also to parents who came along to watch and to Rob for all the organisation.

TOMORROW ‘JEANS FOR GENES’:
Free dress day gold coin donation. School closes at 1.30pm
Have a safe, relaxing break and see you in term four (Monday 7th October)

Regards
Chris & Staff
DIARY DATES

SEPT
Friday 20th         Last day Term 3 1.30pm finish

OCT
Monday 7th        First day Term 4
Friday 18th       Bandana Day
Monday 21st-23rd Camp 4-6

BANDANNA DAY

On Friday the 18th of October it is Bandanna Day they will be $4 for an awesome Bandanna and $3 for a epic Blue pen so buy and support the kids with cancer. We hope to sell three boxes to help people in tough times. Darnum has been doing Bandanna day for three years and guess what? - Darnum helped towards $2.1 million dollars. Canteen are aiming to raise 1.7 million this year so help us please. Oh and we start selling them in term four! School Captains: Jaimie, Liam, Alana and Brent.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Liam Jones, Jade Pratt and Cameron Tweddie for their efforts at the Regional Athletics Championships last Friday. They all performed admirably on a pretty ordinary day for athletics. To make it to this stage of competition was a terrific effort

Students of the Week
Zoe Vagana
Julian Singh
Teagan Arthur
Ethan Mills
Emma Rollinson
Absent Ruby Davie
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.

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

Tomorrow 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

Jeans for Genes
Warragul Youth Theatre
(In association with Adlib Entertainment) presents

Cinderella
A Magical Tale for the whole family!

West Gippsland Arts Centre
Tuesday Oct 1 - 11am & 2pm
Wednesday Oct 2 - 2pm & 7pm
Thursday Oct 3 - 2pm & 7pm
Friday Oct 4 - 11am & 2pm

Bookings: wgac.com.au - Ph 5624 2456

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