

Caulfield South Primary

School News

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KEY DATES

Please regularly check the Community Calendar on the CSPS Website or via tiqbiz for all other Key dates

Some Key dates coming up...

Thursday July 14

DISCO TICKETS GO ON SALE – See link in this Newsletter

Friday July 15

Prep Excursion NGV

Sunday July 17

Working Bee 10am – Year 2

Friday July 22

Disco Volunteers online bookings open – 9.00am

Monday July 25

Secondhand Uniform Shop Open 8.30-9.10am

Tuesday July 26

Yr 5 Excursion – State Library

Wednesday July 27

Rainbow Colours Day

Wednesday August 3

Sausage Sizzle - Lunchtime

Saturday August 6

School Disco

Wednesday August 24

SCHOOL CONCERT

Robert Blackwood Hall – 7pm

Saturday October 22

Trivia Night

**TERM 3
SCHOOL ASSEMBLY**
Fridays : 2.50pm

Term Dates 2016
Term 3: 11 July to 16 September
Term 4: 3 October to 20 December

LUNCH ORDER DAYS
Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri
LUNCH ORDER LIST CAN BE FOUND ON
TIQBIZ UNDER 'WHOLE SCHOOL' OR
SCHOOL WEBSITE
Mini Pizzas only available on Tuesdays

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT – GAYLE YARDLEY ELECTION DAY BBQ AND CAKE STALL

Well, I must begin with a big thank you to our CSPS families, for rising to the challenge of making the most of a fundraising opportunity, even though Election Day was in the middle of the school holidays! I must also give another special vote of thanks to the Gordon family that really pushed to give this a go and organised it for us with help from what turned out to be, many other families. Great work, CSPS families!!! I was very happy to have the opportunity on the Friday, as people dropped off cakes and on Saturday, over the course of the day, to chat to lots of parents, grandparents and children. This was a highly successful fundraising effort, bringing in a little over \$2,500 towards our planned 'Nature Play Space' which we are now hoping will begin very soon! Watch out in the next newsletter for more details.

TRIVIA NIGHT – OUR MAJOR 2016 FUNDRAISER

This year, our major fundraising activity has been planned by our PA and endorsed by School Council, to be a Trivia Night on October 22, which will be lots of fun! Nikki Gelfand has set us on a great pathway and we have a tentative booking with TriviaOz to run the evening for us. We've had experience with them before so they are 'tried and true' and we can expect a great night! BUT... we need someone to step into Nikki's shoes while she focuses on her pregnancy! So, please let us know if you are happy to join our organising team for this fun event. We need someone to convene a meeting of volunteers to organise the 'jobs' and liaise with TriviaOz. We also need keen parents (you will be once you join the fun!) to attend the meeting, help to organise volunteers to source donations of prizes, sponsorship, catering donations, volunteers for the night etc. The major part of the fundraising effort can be the cost of the tickets and the games organised by TriviaOz, supported by whatever other excitement we can use to generate funds on the night; as little or as much as our community can generate. So, please get on board to help our fabulous PA with this event and let us know if you can help in one of the roles, especially to help out by taking on Nikki's role. Please contact the school if you can help!

STAFFING

We extend a warm "Welcome back!" to Laura FitzGerald who left us approximately one year ago to become a new mother. Laura has already been easing herself back to CSPS by coming in last term to work with our orchestra alongside Julie Hoffman. It's great to have Laura back and especially this term with our big concert coming up on 24th August at Robert Blackwood Hall Monash University.

PSW SCHOOL UNIFORMS

Uniforms will only be available from PSW Ormond and Online

1/596 NORTH RD, ORMOND

Visit www.psw.com.au to shop online or for more information.

PRICE LIST CAN BE FOUND IN THE NEWS & NOTICES SECTION ON THE SCHOOL WEBSITE

SECONDHAND UNIFORM SHOP 2016

Upstairs, (Near Year 3 rooms) **Cash only, please**

The Secondhand Uniform shop will be open **fortnightly**

Next Opening time: Monday July 25 : 8.30am – 9.10am

Dana and Kellie will be happy to serve you. Correct money/small notes and change would be appreciated **Grab a bargain from \$2 a piece.**

Children come first at Caulfield South

We have a number of staff on extended leave this term. Gill Bartholomeusz and Jan Minette will be on leave for the first four weeks of term. We welcome Lynette Raymond who is teaching 1B during this time and I will be ensuring any student wellbeing issues that Gill would usually address, are followed up. Thank you to Lainie Nestor who is managing the daily organisation part of Gill's role and Andy McKibbin who is managing staff PD and some whole-school student wellbeing. Sara Wyse is enjoying three week's leave and part of her support role will be filled by Laura FitzGerald. Signora Billionis is away for two weeks and Dina Karatzas is 'Signora' during this time. Andy Stefaniak is having just one extra week of leave this week with Karina McCowan working with our Year 5 team. Justin Cole is unwell and will be replaced for a number of weeks of the term by Gayle Roads in 6B. Mr McKibbin and Mr Stefaniak will also give some additional support to Year 6. We wish Justin a speedy recovery and hope to see him fit and well soon. I am very grateful for the high calibre relief teachers we are lucky to attract to our school and thank these teachers for their dedicated work for our CSPS community. They are all so very committed to, not only teaching at a high level but also, looking after student wellbeing and 'going the extra mile'. I extend my thanks to them all and I know the teachers they are replacing, are grateful to be able to take leave with the knowledge that their students are in very capable hands indeed.

SCHOOL CROSSING SUPERVISOR OF THE YEAR

I know many parents value the friendly and diligent way Jim, our school crossing supervisor, helps to ensure our children are safe when crossing the often-congested Narrowong Rd, every morning and afternoon. I'd like to thank the parent/s who submitted the School Crossing Supervisor of the Year nomination for our Jim. He is very thankful but humbled by receiving the nomination. He enjoyed a lovely dinner at the ceremony and received his certificate with great pride. I am certainly grateful to have such a committed and conscientious person supervising this important area for our school. Congratulations and thank you Jim!

CONGRATULATIONS!

I add my congratulations to Callum H Year 6 who had some outstanding success in National Indoor Cricket. See next page for details.

ANNUAL REPORT 2015

The CSPS Annual Report for 2015 has been put on the school website for public viewing. There is also a requirement that it is formally presented at a public meeting. The 2015 Annual Report is endorsed by our School Council and any questions relating to the Annual Report will be addressed at the School Council meeting on 31st August.

SCHOOL REVIEW UPDATE

Along with all the other teaching and learning activities and reporting to parents last term, our teachers have also been working on the self-evaluation of the CSPS Strategic Plan of the last four years. This involves an intensive inquiry into our goals, the strategies we have used to achieve these and the student outcomes that have resulted from our efforts. This will help us to understand what has worked, what has not had the desired outcomes and what still needs to be addressed, to inform a new Strategic Plan. This will help to keep us on a consistent pathway of improvement in the teaching and learning for the children of the CSPS community.

NEW LUNCHTIME ACTIVITY OFFERED

There are details in this newsletter about the new program, 'Bricks 4 Kidz' that children have the opportunity to join on Monday lunchtimes in the library. These are user-pay workshops that approach learning in an imaginative, multi-sensory and fun manner, using Lego bricks, Technics and Robotics that many children will find extremely engaging. I am very pleased to be able to offer this opportunity to our children.

WORKING BEE THIS SUNDAY

As advised in newsletter dates, this Sunday it is Year 2s turn for a working bee! I look forward to seeing as many families as possible to help look after our buildings and grounds.

TERM 3 – CONCERT TERM!

Good luck to our wonderful music teacher, Julie Hoffman as she pulls the concert together this term. I was very lucky this week to get a few

'sneak peeks' at a couple of terrific class items. I wish those teachers taking additional holidays, very happy and relaxing times and I wish our whole school community a very happy, productive and exciting 'Concert Term'!

Warm regards to all,
Gayle

Tips and Tricks from the eLearning Team **CREATING A FAMILY INTERNET USAGE AGREEMENT**

The world is now more interconnected than it has ever been before and sometimes technology can seem to advance quicker than what you can keep up with! With more and more devices sneaking into our daily lives, a family internet usage agreement is a great way to start a conversation with your whole family about how you all use the internet, and discuss together how to behave in a positive way when online at home, at school or at a friend's house. While it can be tricky to have complete control over your family's internet usage (even though we're sure you all want that!), a family usage agreement is a fantastic way to set clear expectations for positive and safe internet use. Start good habits early to make life easier as children grow up!



Top tips

- Make sure your family is open to changing their online behaviour.
- Ensure that every member of your family is happy with the agreement you have created together.
- Make the agreement a flexible document that can be changed in the future to meet your family's needs and ages.
- Don't get too stuck on the negatives - try to promote positive behaviour!

JUNIOR SCHOOL COUNCIL NEWS **Rainbow Colours Day** in support of the Australian Literacy and Numeracy Foundation **Wednesday 27th July**

All year levels will dress up in a colour of the rainbow to support The Australian Literacy and Numeracy Foundation. This organisation believes all Australians have the right to literacy and numeracy, especially those marginalised children such as indigenous students and refugees. They specialise in assisting with literacy and numeracy difficulties. Website: (alnf.org)

Each year level will dress up in a colour of the rainbow

- Prep : Red
- Year 1: Orange
- Year 2: Yellow
- Year 3: Green
- Year 4: Blue
- Year 5: Purple
- Year 6: Black



Children are asked to bring a gold coin donation for A.L.N.F.

Thankyou in anticipation from Junior School Council



TISSUES TISSUES TISSUES

With so many children suffering from colds and coughs we are going through many tissues and it would be great if each student could bring just one box of tissues to see us through the remaining winter weather. Thank you to those students who have already brought one box of tissues for their classroom.

Jan Minett



The Italian word-of-the-week is

Dove? = It means "Where?"

Grazie, Sophie Billionis
Italian Teacher

Attention:
All Year 2 Parents/Children
Working Bee followed by a BBQ!
Sunday 17 July 2016



Our third working bee for this year will be held from 10am –1.00 p.m. on Sunday 17th July 2016. Please make a note on your calendar/diary.

We are targeting Year 2 parents/children this time which will be an opportunity for the buddies to have a bit of a catch up/family day together to look after our beautiful school. (Children must be accompanied by an adult).



Please come along to give some volunteer time to improve our grounds. Your contribution would be much appreciated and a sausage sizzle will be provided after a couple of hours of work (and a bit of play of course!).

For your information some jobs that are being planned are listed below:-

- Weeding
- Pruning
- Composting



www.ujeb.org.au - 9523 6844

Many thanks from Andrew Ryan and the School Council Facilities Sub-committee

DISCO TICKET SALES:

TICKETS WILL GO ON SALE VIA THE LINK BELOW FROM THURSDAY 14TH JULY

Trybooking.com/209141

SATURDAY 6TH AUGUST 2016
 PREP - YEAR 2 SESSION: 5PM TO 6.30PM
 YEAR 3 - YEAR 6 SESSION: 7PM TO 8.30PM
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Jewish RE concluded a successful Term 2 which concentrated on the many special days and events of the term. Passover, Shavuot, Yom Ha'atzmaut, Israel and an introduction to the concept of Mitzvot.

Term 3 is concentrating on Jewish symbols, their origin and significance in Jewish Living, Jewish values, the ancient Temple and its evolution into the modern day Synagogue. Classes are enhanced with art and craft activities.

It will conclude with an assembly for Rosh Hashana, the Jewish New Year.

New students are welcome by joining online or calling 9523 6844 and those registered are encouraged to attend regularly.

Contact: P. 9523 6844 www.ujeb.org.au



NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP FOR INDOOR CRICKET

Callum H played in the National Championship for Indoor Cricket representing Victoria from 2/7 to 9/7 in Dubbo NSW. His team were successful in winning the championship.

Congratulations Callum!



CSPS KIDS DISCO 6TH AUGUST
VOLUNTEERS ONLINE BOOKING
OPEN 9am 22ND JULY 2016

Dear Parents

Our CSPS Kids Disco is always a great event which the children enjoy immensely. To ensure the disco runs smoothly, we rely on parents to help set up, supervise, distribute food, perform door duty and clean up at the end of each block.

We are seeking volunteers as follows:

Block 1 – 4.00pm – 7.00pm

Block 2 – 7.00pm – 10.00pm

Parents should go to www.schoolinterviews.com.au and follow the instructions.

Event Code nz39c

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Enter your email address, volunteer name and mobile phone no.



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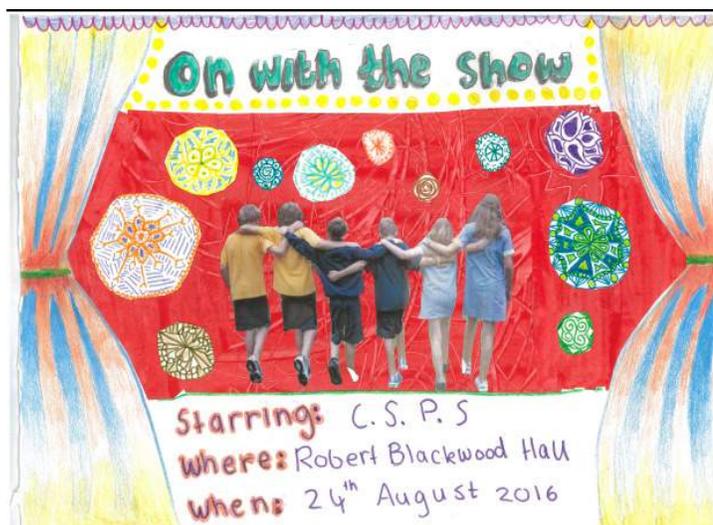
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When you click **FINISH**, your volunteer time will be emailed to you automatically. If you do not receive your email immediately –

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Online booking will open 9.00am Friday 22nd July and close 9.00am Monday 1st August. You may change your bookings, any time prior to the day, by re-visiting the www.schoolinterviews.com.au website, and using the event code. Remember to use the same name and email address you used when you made your original booking.

CSPS SCHOOL CONCERT



**ROBERT BLACKWOOD HALL (THEATRE)
MONASH UNIVERSITY**

(Wellington Rd, Monash University)

WEDNESDAY 24th AUGUST, 2016

START TIME: 7.00PM

Prices: Standard: \$25.00 Student/Pensioners: \$18.00

(Children under two are complimentary when not occupying a seat)

(NB: No charge for current CSPS students)

Running Time:

Approximately 2 1/2 hours including interval

Tickets will be available to purchase online -

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PARENTS' ASSOCIATION

Names so far for the P.A. Committee

Nelasha Maletsky, Nikki Gelfand,
Melanie Gordon, Lindy Matthews

Event & Organisers

Date

LUNCHTIME SAUSAGE SIZZLES

Steve Feder (and friends)

Wed 3 Aug

SCHOOL DISCO

Melanie Gordon, Dana Michael, Melanie Gordon, Romy Pamenky, Olivia Sack, Nikki Gelfand, Talia Solomon, Nicky Postan, Victoria Dinovitser, Kerry Rubin

Sat 6 Aug

FATHER'S DAY STALL

Louise Bloom, Kerry Rubin

Thurs 1 Sep

FATHER'S DAY BREAKFAST

Nicky Postan, Rachel Gelfand

Fri 2 Sep

WORLD TEACHERS' DAY

Dana Michael, Nelasha Maletsky, Kerry Rubin

Wed 5 Oct

MAJOR FUNDRAISER

Nikki Gelfand, Melanie Gordon,
Deborah Sharp Ernest

22 Oct

TWILIGHT MARKET

Victoria Dinovitser

Thurs 1 Dec

PREP TRANSITION/ MINOR FUNCTIONS

3, 10, 17 & 24
Nov

MANGO DRIVE

Chrissy Cananzi, Kerry Perlstein

End of Term 4

If you would like to get involved or you are keen to continue the fantastic work you're already doing for our school, now's the perfect time to let us know. **Please follow the steps below to volunteer for one (or more) of the events listed above:**

Go into www.schoolinterviews.com.au

Simply enter the code T96L5 and press "Go"

Enter your email address, volunteer name and mobile phone no.

Press Go Select your preferred event

*When you click **FINISH**, your volunteer event will be emailed to you automatically. If you do not receive your email immediately – **Check your junk mail folder AND make sure you have spelt your email address correctly***

If you have downloaded tiqbiz, it will be easy for you to access School Interviews online!

You may change your selection by re-visiting the www.schoolinterviews.com.au website, and using the event code. Remember to use the same name and email address you used when you made your original booking.

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(Details located beside the double glass doors–near Prep A)

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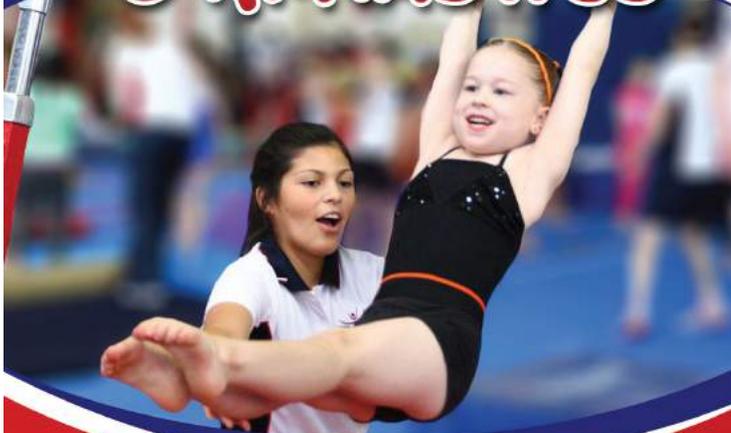
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Barbara Game

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