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From the Principal

Dear School Community,

Welcome back to an exciting Term 4, we have many wonderful programs and events planned.

As most of you are aware, Mr Kent is on sick leave and will return Monday 24th October. We all wish him a speedy recovery. Last week he had surgery to fix the broken bones in his foot. Until his return I continue to be Acting Principal. Please find in the attachments a letter to the community from Mark Kent in regards to the new relocatable installation.

Term 4 has started with a buzz. It has been planning week for teachers. There are many things and additional exciting events for staff to consider alongside planning the week by week curriculum. Grade 6 students are getting ready for their Canberra Tour in week 3 and planning their projects for the Night of Democracy. 29 students attended Division Athletics on Wednesday with pleasing results. Grade 1 and 2 students are off to Cooper's Settlement during this term. Foundation students are attending swimming lessons and there is the continuation of 2017 Foundation transition. There is an athletics day for Foundation to Grade 2 students. Bike education starts for Grade 4 students. There are 3 major whole school celebrations/focus days – International Day International 16th November, Science Incursion Week 8 and 9, and Digital Learning Innovation Day 2nd December. Please stay tuned for further information on these events. Next week parents/guardians will receive a Class Newsletter outlining this term's curriculum and event details.

The 'School Review' process has started in seeking feedback from students, teachers and parents. This information will become an important part of our school review and help guide our path for the next four years, 2017-2020. The findings will be presented to our school reviewer, Ms Jan Volkman. A random selection of parents/guardians will receive a survey this Friday and are asked to return it to school by Friday 14th October. If you do not receive one but would like to complete a survey please ask the office staff for a survey. We appreciate your time and value your input into assisting our staff to evaluate where we have been and planning how we, as a school community, can develop and continue to move forward.

Thankyou for your support, Sue Jones

GRADE 6 CANBERRA TOUR 17 – 21 OCTOBER

On Monday 17 October at 7.30 am 78 Grade 6 students and 8 staff will depart for a fantastic educational tour of the national capital. Students will be given the opportunity to participate in a variety of educational programmes with a focus on Australia's history, culture, heritage and democracy. Activities such as a lesson at Parliament House Tour & PEO, Australian Electoral Commission – education program, National Museum education program "Meet the People", National Gallery – guided tour, High Court of Australia, Mint, Australian War Memorial, AIS, Questacon and ice skating.

The Australian Government recognises the importance of all young Australians being able to visit their National Capital as part of their civics and Citizenship education. To assist families in meeting the cost of the tour the Australian Government is contributing funding of \$30 per student under the Parliament and Civics Education Rebate (PACER) programme toward those costs. This rebate is paid directly to the school upon completion of the tour.

SUN AND UV PROTECTION

Parents are reminded that the school's **SUNSMART** Policy is in operation from 3 October (first day of Term 4). From October until April, or when the Ultra Violet (UV) level reaches 3, it is important to use a combination of sun protection measures to minimise the risk of skin and eye damage, and skin cancer. Students need to wear a wide brimmed hat at school each day this term. Your assistance in ensuring your child has the correct type of hat will be appreciated.



DIARY

October 13	Grade 4 Bike Ed begins
October 17-21	Gr 6 Canberra Camp
October 20	Bike Ed begins for Grade 4s
October 31	Curriculum Day—no students at school
November 16	International Day
December 2	End of School Picnic
December 5	Prep 2017 Parent Information Night
December 8	Celebrating 20 Years Strings Concert
December 15	Grade 6 Graduation/Awards Night
December 20	Last day of school. 1.30pm dismissal.

CANTEEN NEWS TERM 3 2016

Canteen contact number:

9am—2.30pm

0412 348 554

Ring or text

* Outside these hours please a message on voicemail. Please include a **clear name and number**.

CANTEEN ROSTER

Friday October 7	9.30—11.30am	Fiona Wood VACANT
	11—1.30pm	Tania Slaviero VACANT
Monday October 10	9.00—11.30am	VACANT
	11am—2.30pm	VACANT
Tuesday October 11	9.00—11.30am	Lorraine Pearce Ingrid Parsons
	12noon—2.30pm	Lorraine Pearce Ingrid Parsons
Wednesday October 12	9.00—11.30am	VACANT
	12noon—2.30pm	Clare Watt
Thursday October 13	9.00—11.30am	Nicole Hereford
	12noon—2.30pm	Lucy Verwoert-Lau
Friday October 14	9.00—11.30am	Tracey O'Hare VACANT
	12noon—2.30pm	Tania Slaviero VACANT

SPORTS NEWS

Congratulations to **Mitchell L 6SR** on his selection in the **School Sport Victoria state Cricket Team** to compete at the National championship in Canberra, 6-14 January 2017.

An outstanding achievement as the selection process for selecting the state team began in February with a final team of 13 boys selected on Tuesday.



IDSSA ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIP 2016

Congratulations to the 29 IPS athletes who competed extremely well in very cold & trying conditions at the Banyule Division track & field championship. Roxy P won 2 individual events an outstanding performance.

Results:

1st Place:

9/10B: Josh C – 100m, Bailey M – Long Jump

11G: Roxy P – 1500m, 800m

2nd Place:

9/10B: Josh C – 800m

11B: Lewis C – 80m Hurdles

12/13G: Maggie S – Discus

3rd Place:

9/10B: Will D – 200m

12/13G: Maya A – Triple Jump, Maggie S – Shot Put

Good luck to IPS Athletes – Roxy, Maggie, Josh, Bailey, Lewis, will represent Banyule Division at the Northern Region Championships Wednesday 12 October at Meadowglen Aths stadium.

Paper order bags are no longer required. Paper bags will be supplied with your child's order. Or, your child's own insulated lunch bag can be sent down in the morning to be filled.

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OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS CARE FEES

The fee schedule for each child per session is:

Before School Care - \$13.00.

After School Care - \$16.00

Early Finish:

1.30pm—3.30pm \$16.00.

1.30 pm—6.00 pm \$27.00

Curriculum Day:

Half Day \$27.00. Full Day \$42.00

FIRST AID LAUNDRY ROSTER

FRIDAY 7 October

Helen Mears

L.O.L!

What did one flea
say to the other?

Shall we walk or
take the dog?



Enrolments for 2017 are now being accepted at the office. Parents are urged to submit enrolment forms at their earliest convenience. **The second orientation session will be on Thursday 13th October 2016 between 10.00 & 11.00am.**



All strings groups will perform at the Celebrating 20 Years Strings Concert on Thursday 8 December in the school Hall. Keep this date free!

SCHOLASTIC

Book Club

1800 021 233



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MORE
DETAILS

ISSUE 7 BONUS BOOK BONANZA FOR EXTRA CHRISTMAS GIFTS!

Your parents could get up to
FOUR BONUS BOOKS!



BPAY ADVICE

Parents are asked to **advise the office** when paying for school activities by BPay with a quick email to: ivanhoe.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au

This really helps the office staff to allocate the funds to the correct charges.

Walk to School October - VicHealth

Walk to School encourages primary school children to walk to and from school every school day in October.

This is to highlight the ways walking improves children's health and wellbeing. By getting involved, our

school can help students learn healthy habits, and achieve the 60 minutes of recommended physical activity each day.

Walking to school can also help reduce traffic congestion and parking difficulties. All students who participate will receive certificates at the end of the month to celebrate their achievements. Students may also be in the running for regional prizes from VicHealth. The number of walks will be recorded by the class teacher on the Walk to School class posters.

There will be fun walking-themed competitions throughout October that all students can enter!

Remember, let's get walking in October!

Miss Simons



REMAINING CURRICULUM DAYS IN 2016

Monday 31st October

HAS YOUR CHILD BEEN SUPPLIED WITH CLEAN CLOTHES?

If so, please launder and return to the school office as soon as possible. Clean clothing is in demand in this wet, muddy weather.

Star of the Week

FC	Tahlia G
FH	Mophie H
FM	Adele H
FS	Kasper L, Hugo M
1D	Alex S
1C	Tara V
1NK	Callum C
1/2O	Louis D
2G	Johnny W
2H	Georgios L
2L	Nima E
3H	Isobella H
3M	Kate D
3US	Hugo W
4R	Ally D
4K	Mitchell L
4L	Lilyan A
4P	Harrison O
5H	Rose N
5M	Emily R
5S	Aidan S
6H	Alex L
6SR	Chihaya G
6V	Josh M
ART	
ITALIAN	
MUSIC	Bailey M (4L)
Phys Ed	Jason Cao (2L)
Library ICT	

YARD SUPERVISION

Supervision of students before and after school is provided at the following times: **8.45 am to 9.00 am** and **3.30 pm to 3.45 pm**.

Outside these times supervision and / or collection of students is the responsibility of parents / guardians. For the safety of students parent support for these times is sought.

Parents who need to drop their child at school before 8.45 am should consider using the Before School Care program.

VISITORS TO THE SCHOOL

All visitors, including parents, must **report to the school office** to sign in. Parents, please do not go directly to your child's classroom.

Parents are also required to visit the school office, to collect an early leave pass, prior to taking their children out early.

SUPERVISION OF CHILDREN BEFORE SCHOOL

Increasingly, more children are being dropped off at school well before 8.45am—in some cases at 8am.

If your child is not booked into the Before School Care program you must not leave your child unattended in the school grounds. Parents are responsible for making suitable arrangements for their children prior to the yard duty teachers arriving at 8.45am.

OCTOBER IVANHOE MAKERS MARKET

Livingstone Community Centre will be hosting an Animal farm 10.30-12.30 and jewellery workshops for children 11.15-1.15 pm.

Ivanhoe Scouts will also host our regular sausage sizzle, so come along and support some local artists as well.

DATE: Saturday 15th of October

Time: 10-3.00pm

Location: Livingstone Community Centre, 1 Livingstone St, Ivanhoe

For stall holder info contact Susan on: **9497 2014**

UKULELE CLUB NEWS

As of next week the Ukulele Club will be held on Wednesdays 1:40pm-2:05pm due to a timetable change.



CHESS NEWS

Term 4 Chess begins Tuesday 11th October and finishes Tuesday 29th November.

COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARD

Items in Community News are subject to space availability. The school does not accept responsibility for any goods or services advertised in this newsletter

Learn music here at school

Come and join in the fun of learning to play keyboard, guitar, here at Ivanhoe Primary School.

Creative Music for Schools conducts a music program here at school each week.

Small group classes or one-to-one lessons of up to 30 minutes give children an excellent grounding in music where they will learn to read music and play their chosen instrument.

Tuition costs from \$16.20 per lesson and enrolments are now being accepted for limited places in term 4, 2016.

Interested parents should call Sharon during office hours on 9818 2333 or email sharon@creativemusic.com.au

 **Creative Music**
www.creativemusic.com.au



Gum Nut Preschool and Childcare—Fundraising for Orangutans—E40 (Earth for Orangutans)

WALK 4 ORANGUTANS

Sunday 16th October

Westfield Reserve: Yarra Bend Park, Cnr Heidelberg Rd & Yarra Bend Rd, Fairfield

Meet at the Shelter for registration from 9—9.30am. Start time: 9.45am Vegetarian Food and Sausage Sizzle will follow the walk, along with face painting and games for children and adults. For more information phone Gum Nut Preschool & Child Care on 9499 4410 (business hours). Register on the day. Invite your family and friends to join us! Dog friendly.

CASH donation fee: Families \$25. Single person \$10. Children \$5 per child. 100% of proceeds go towards the cause.

For further information on saving Orangutans:

Earth 4 Orangutans Project: www.earth4orangutans.com

Sumatran Orangutan Conservation Program: www.sumatranorangutan.org