Principal Notes

PARENT TEACHER DISCUSSIONS
Thankyou to those parents who have returned Parent Teacher Discussion Forms. A copy of the times were sent out last week with the newsletter. If you have not returned your form, please contact the office to make a suitable time for your parent teacher discussion.

JAPANESE TRIP
Our first meeting is to be held at Darnum School on Tuesday 26th June at 7.30pm. We would like all families and participating children to attend. At this meeting we will discuss all details of the proposed schedule.
Regards Chris Eeles/Annette Sutherland.

Go NILMA/DARNUM/ LARDNER&ELLINBANK PS
Footy Team
Congratulations on the big win against Buln Buln! All students played extremely well and now head of f to Zone Round Robin on Friday 22nd June. Good Luck!
R.E.A.L STUDENTS @ NILMA
Student of the Week
Recognitions

Homegroup 1 / Prep
Aiden Olsson
For having a positive attitude towards his learning and working really hard in class.

Homegroup 3/2
Carolyn Dungey
For always trying her best, asking good questions and for being such a helpful member of 3/2 W.

Homegroup 4/3
Reece Motton
For a brilliant effort with mathematical thinking!

Homegroup 6/5
Mckayla Lindsay
For always trying at all tasks and doing some fantastic work.

R.E.A.L STUDENTS @ NILMA
NIGHTLY READING
Recognition certificates

25 Nights
Rose-Ann Scott
Riley Kleeven
Eloise Warenycia

50 Nights

75 Nights
Mitch Chesterfield
Max Chesterfield

100 Nights
Aiden Olsson

FOUND— Earring— stud—found in the classroom— Parents please check with children if anyone has lost stud.

ACTIVE AFTER SCHOOL COMMUNITIES
Today is the last session for Active After School for this term. Expression of interest forms will be on the newsletter next week for the programs which will be running in Term 3.

PARENTS CLUB
At the Parents Club meeting on Wednesday the Swap meet was discussed. This will be on Sunday July 1st, and it is a great fundraiser for our school. The Parents Club are still looking for helpers. Please fill out the attached ‘swap meet’ form and return it to the school by next Wednesday 20th June if you can help out on the day.

CAR PARK INCIDENT
Last Tuesday, after school—the Burdett’s car had sustained damage in the car park. If anyone has any information about incident, could you please let Ms Sutherland know. Please take care in carpark when picking up children.
HOMEGROUP HAPPENINGS!

We are learning about the Kimochi toys and the feelings that they have. There is Cloud, Bug, Huggtopus, Cat, Lovey Dove, Bella Rose and Clover. Each of them have different feelings and behave differently. Cloud has two different feelings. One day he might be happy and the next he might be sad. Bug doesn't like change even though he is a caterpillar and a bug. He likes to look at things from all sides of view. Huggtopus is all smiles and hugs. She needs to learn about respecting others boundaries. Cat knows what she wants, when she wants it and why. She can be very persuasive. Cat loves to be in charge but can sometimes be a bit bossy. Clover might sleep in, miss the bus or forget things but he always has the best intentions. He doesn't have the best of luck. He is optimistic but it can turn into disappointment. Bella Rose is sweet and conscientious of others. She loves nature. When her feelings get hurt she finds it hard to express her feelings and closes herself off. She can sometimes be misunderstood. She needs to learn that it is ok to ask for help sometimes.

Graffiti—Is it art or vandalism

Imagine Graffiti all over your fences. Would you like it to happen to you. It is disgusting. I think it would be shocking.

If you spray paint on walls, black and white messy tagging then it is vandalism.

If some people come to you house and put bad words there. It is disgusting.

If you are an artist and get permission to spray paint it can look good.

By Olivia

Life on the Gold Fields

Many men from across the world came to seek their fortune in the Gold Rush many left with the poorness they already had but some succeeded and left richer than they could ever imagine. But it was not just men that found the gold shop keepers & pub owners found the valuable metal that was all over the town for now any way

By Kiara

Life on the Gold Fields

Children starving, no money what a horrible place. Men struggling to find gold an old coffee shop up ahead. Women and their daughters doing all the chores while men are working looking for alluvial gold. Hardly any fresh water so thirsty and hungry. Mud all over cold and wet would you live there I didn’t think so. Hardly any trees all of them have been chopped down to feed the boilers. With there no wood there’s no fire wood to keep warm. Hardly any equipment to use only pans cradles and pickaxes.

By Jack McGrath

We have been learning about maps. We had to colour in the continents of the world the right colour. We are doing a biography on different people we have to research to answer questions. It is hard. We did a sizzling start it was about a storm it was hard. We did a picture of the world, we had to colour it in specific colours. It was fun.

We even did a peer assessment, to decide which maps to put up for display.

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By Olivia
School Holiday Arts Activities

Arts Hub 2 Murray St, Yarragon 56110830
For all other enquiries call the Arts Hub Manager Sue Murphy on 56331602 or Ingrid Thomas on 0438261281
Bookings essential and deposit required prior to workshop. Deposits can be made at the Arts Hub Yarragon

Zentangling with Anne Marks
Beginners children Wednesday 4th July $25 (+ $10 materials kit) 11-12.30pm Ages 12+
Beginners Adults Wednesday 4th July $35 (+ $10 materials kit) 1.30-3.30pm
Follow on Zentangling Children Wednesday 11th July $25 11-12.30pm
Follow on Zentangling Adults Wednesday 11th July $25 11-12.30pm
Book by calling Anne 56225465

Starting Calligraphy with Anita George
Thursday 12th July $18 ($15 Bbca members) 10.30-12.30pm
All ages (min 6, max 8)
Experiment and create fabulous lettering. Learn tricks of the trade. Use inks and explore paper.
Book by calling Anita 56221510

Mosaic Tiles with Ingrid
Friday 13th July $18 ($15 Bbca members) 11.00-12.30pm
Ages 8+ (Min 4 Max 8)
Come and try your hand at mosaics. Design and create a colourful mosaic to take home.
Book by calling Jessie McLennan 56267045

African Drumming Workshop
With Roger
Thursday 5th July, $12 ($10 Bbca members) 10.30-11.30pm
All ages (min 10 max 20)
Come along and have a go at African Drumming with instructor and drummer Roger.
Book by calling Roger Terrill on Mobile 0418552996

Clay Dragons with Jessie
Friday 13th July $18 ($15 Bbca members) 1.30-3.00pm
All ages (Min 4 Max 8)
Play with clay and create a wonderful clay dragon. Fixing is an extra.
Book by calling Jessie 56267045

Collage with Marleen
Friday 6th July $18 ($15 Bbca members) 11.00-12pm
All ages (Min 4 Max 8)
Design and create a creative collage using an assortment of cut and layered materials.
Book by calling Marileen 56342790

Wet Felting for beginners with Barbara
Thursday 12th July $30 ($25 Bbca members) inc materials. All equipment supplied (kits for further felting projects $20)
Ages 8+ (Min 6 Max 8)
Participants in this workshop will use wet felting techniques to make beads, rolls and a placemat. This workshop is about fun, ideas and lots of warm soapy water.
Book by calling Jessie McLennan 56267045

Fabulous Faeries with “Faeries with Attitude”
Saturday 14th July $30 ($25 Bbca members) 10.30-12.30pm Ages 10+ (Min 6 Max 10)
Create your own fabulous faerie, complete with wings and an elegant gown. Choose your own colours for her hair and gown. Powder is the textile hardener used.
Book by calling Rhona Hunt - 51221429 / 0429115555

Masks with “Faeries with Attitude”
Saturday 14th July $40 ($35 Bbca members) 2-4 pm
Ages 10+ (Min 6 Max 10)
Create your own fabulous mask. Choose your own materials and colours.
Book by calling Rhona Hunt - 51221429 / 0429115555

Arts Hub Workshop Registration Form 2012

Participants name __________________________ Address __________________________
Phone __________________________

Workshop choice __________________________

Bookings and payment required prior to workshop beginning. Limited numbers.
Fee payable $ ____________ (If workshop is cancelled the full fee will be refunded).
I do / do not give permission for photographs of the participant to be used for promoting future workshops.
I would like to receive information about future workshops. My email __________________________
Signature __________________________ Date __________________________

Additional registration details for children under 18
Parent/Guardian Name: __________________________
Child Age: __________________________
Contact while workshop is running: Phone: __________________________ Mob: __________________________
Address: 10.30-11.30pm __________________________
Is there anything special we should know about your child? __________________________

Medical Emergencies
I give permission to the instructor/supervisor to seek medical treatment for the participant in the event they are not able to reach myself (parent/guardian). I have also declared any physical/mental problems, restrictions, or conditions to the teacher.
I’ve read the above and agree. __________________________ Date: __________________________
Signature: __________________________
NILMA PRIMARY SCHOOL
PARENTS CLUB FUNDRAISER
WARRAGUL SWAP MEET CATERING
SUNDAY 1st JULY 2012

PARENT HELP NEEDED!!!
The Parents Club will be catering at the Warragul Swap Meet at
the Warragul Showgrounds on
Sunday 1st July for fundraising purposes.
On the menu will be Sausages, Hot Dogs, Egg & Bacon Sandwiches,
Tea & Coffee, Soft Drinks and Juice.
All help is greatly appreciated, if you are able to help on
the day please return the form below by Wednesday 20th
June. More hands make light work!
All families will be expected to support our fundraising throughout
the year—so why not come and help for a while and take a look at the
goodies at the Swap Meet!!!

Thanks,
Belinda Smythe Annette Sutherland
On behalf of Parents Club Principal

NILMA PRIMARY SCHOOL
PARENTS CLUB FUNDRAISER – WARRAGUL SWAP MEET
CATERING
(All families please return)
The _______________________________ family will be available to help on
Sunday 1st July 2012 at the Warragul Swap Meet.

☐ 6am – 7.30am ☐ 7.30am – 9am

☐ 9am – 10.30am ☐ Any of these times

PLEASE RETURN TO SCHOOL BY
WEDNESDAY 20TH JUNE 2012
Kids need snacks!
Healthy snacks are important for growing children as they help support good nutrition and growth. Choosing the right snacks helps develop healthy eating patterns. Children burn energy a lot faster and have a smaller stomach so snacks are important. Snacks help provide the energy needed to grow and play. The best snack options offer plenty of nutrients without too much energy:
Grain products such as crackers, cereal or muffins.
Fresh fruits and vegetables with a low fat dip or cottage cheese
Dairy products such as yoghurt or milk.

Prepared by Angela Greenall
West Gippsland Healthcare Group

Teaching of Handwriting Reading And Spelling Strategies (THRASS)
INFORMATION SESSION FOR PARENTS
Learn how to help your child with language
Expression of interest form

Complete slip below and return to the office by Friday 22nd June.

Name of parent: ____________________________________________

What days would suit? _______________________________________

What times would suit? _______________________________________

Signed by parent: ___________________________________________

Date: ______________________________________________________
# School Calendar Dates 2012

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