PRODUCTION, 22nd MAY

Excitement is building for 2013 Pembroke Production of “Mrs Wisteria’s Circus”. The kids are doing a great job with each of their routines making it a guaranteed hit for all those who attend. There are currently limited tickets remaining for the evening session so get in quick if you plan to come at night. Plenty of seats still remain for the matinee session. Tickets can be purchased by contacting the Office - $10 matinee; $12 evening. Unfortunately, given the small number of DVD sales in 2012, we will not be having a professional company video the performance. Families may video provided they respect the right of those around them to see.
and hear the entire production.

**NAPLAN**

Naplan will be held on Tuesday 14th, Wednesday 15th and Thursday 16th May. These tests will involve Year 3 and 5 children, with Year 4 and 6 completing last year’s in order to see where gains and been made and gaps still exist. Tests are timed and cover the areas of:- Writing (write a persuasive piece on a given topic), Spelling, Grammar and Punctuation, Numeracy and Reading. Parents may choose to exempt their child, however, a specific form needs to be completed. Please contact our Naplan coordinator, Phillip Moxon if you would like to obtain one of these forms.

**INDIVIDUAL LEARNING PLANS**

The staff at Pembroke are committed to the improvement of all children irrespective of their current level of ability or grade level. To extend or develop areas, we have put in place a process where Individual Learning Plans are developed for children working 12 months ahead or below their expected level in a specific academic area. Parents may be contacted to organize a meeting in order for the plan to be explained and goals set. We value the time you are able to give and hope that you understand that this is an important opportunity to do the very best we can for your child.
BOOK FAIR

Our annual book fair is on once again in the Junior School. This is a great chance to purchase reading material for your children at reasonable prices. Money raised goes into purchasing new books for our own Library and therefore continues to help all children in the years to follow. Thanks to Sheryn and other members of PFA for their coordination and assistance.

MOTHERS DAY STALL

Our Mothers Day Stall will be held this Thursday and Friday. To assist with the care of money, it would be very beneficial if children brought all money in a named envelope or identifiable purse. We hope that all mums and special women in our kid’s lives have a great Sunday (although every day should be a day to thank that special female who looks out for us!)

IMPORTANT DATES

* Parent teacher interviews – 27th July (last day of school this term is the 28th July)

Carolyn Elliot—School Principal.
Pembroke Awards
May 6th — May 10th 2013
Congratulations to the following students.

Grade Prep B  Isla W.
Taking pride in her writing. You are making excellent spelling

Grade 2/3M  Darcy W.
Always being willing to push herself to do her best work. You are such a wonderful thinker and we love how you always try to extend yourself.

Grade 5/6C  Faith W.
Always doing her best 100% effort 100% of the time. We are so proud to have Faith in our class!
**STUDENT OF THE WEEK.**  
**WOW WORKERS OF THE WEEK**  
May 6th — May 10th 2013.

Congratulations to the following students.

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<td>For a truly outstanding week. Quinn has made great Learning choices. Well Done.</td>
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<td>Sharing some brilliant ideas during persuasive writing. We learn a lot from you Thomas (aka “The conclusion King”)</td>
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VALUE OF THE WEEK
May 6th — May 10th 2013.

‘COMMITMENT’
Congratulations to the following students.

Grade Prep  Alex F.
Showing a commitment to doing
his very best at all times.  Go Alex!

Grade 2/3M  Locky C.
Showing a commitment to learning
the sounds of all letters.
Keep up the great effort!

Grade 5/6C  Luke.
Honouring his commitment to his
leadership role by always leading
by his wonderful example!

MANGKU’S NOTES
Hi my name is Mangu and I am here to assist Chin families with
any thing within the school.  I am here on Monday and Tuesday
all day.  If you any questions or need help about your child
please call me on the school office phone 9725 6689.

Keimah cu Mangku ka si ii hi ka sianginn ah hin Chin
chungkkar caah bawm ding in ka um. Ca cawn nikhat le nihnii
chun nitolak ka um lai. Bia hal ding le bawmh na herh mi a um
ah cun sianginn zung phone in chawnh khawh ka si. 9725 6689
SCHOOL BANKING.
Deposit a minimum 3 times no matter the value for a chance to win
1st prize $5000.00 adventure holiday anywhere in Australia with $500 spending money. Plus $5000 cash for the students school
25 runner up prizes valued at $700 each which included a Wii U and waterproof camera.
New accounts welcome contact the office for more details.

DID YOU KNOW?
- That we have a boot camp here 6 days Mon - Sat a week,
- Tai chi Tuesday and
- Yoga Wednesday
Please contact the office for more information.

*New* EFT PAYMENTS TO SCHOOL BANK ACCOUNT
This year we are offering payments by EFT to our bank account.
It can be for any excursion/incursion, fundraising, OSHC, Camps, Parent Payments; details are below.
Bank Details
BSB: 633 000
Account: 132155318
Name: Pembroke Primary School
Thanking you
Carolyn O’Rourke
Business Manager
Pembroke Primary School
Pembroke Primary’s next Step into Prep is on again soon...

The ‘Step into Prep’ program allows children to enter their first year of Primary School as confident, independent and enthusiastic learners.

Come along to our next session

Tuesday the 28th of May 2.30 – 3.15 for Step into Prep & an Information Afternoon Tea.

Kids come along and join in the Learning in the Library. Parents are invited to an afternoon tea to meet our Principal Carolyn Elliot and Multicultural Aid Mangku who will take you on a tour of the classrooms and grounds, as well as answering any questions you may have.

School Tours at Pembroke can be held anytime – contact the School Office on 9725 6689 to arrange an appointment

The School Website
http://www.pemprim.vic.edu.au/

Join Our Facebook Group
Don’t forget to find us on Facebook @ http://goo.gl/5xKnY
This year the theme for the Bookfair is ALL STAR Bookfair.

We have several competitions running.

1. How many lollies are in the jar. Every student can have two guesses each. The next competition is how many words can you make from **ALL STAR BOOK FAIR**.

2. A colouring competition for the Junior School.

All competition winners will be announced next week at assembly.

You can also enter Read more in May by entering online at [www.scholastic.com.au/bookfairs/enter](http://www.scholastic.com.au/bookfairs/enter)

If you win our school will receive up to $1000 in scholastic rewards and you can win a readers pack valued at $250+

Thanking you

Sheryn
Book fair coordinator.
Pembroke Primary School

After School Care

Indoor and Outdoor activities

cordial  crumpets  cupcakes

painting, drawing, colouring in popcorn pancakes pizza

dress ups and cubbies!

After School Care is run by Mandy Stokes
Hours: 3:30pm – 6pm Daily
Afternoon Tea is provided
$16 per night (less with CCB)
For bookings please phone the school office on: 9725-6689 or phone Mandy on:
0437-569-448

Monopoly, Uno, Simpsons, Game of Life

fresh fruit
To the following students who have a Birthday in April:
22nd April   Cung S.
23rd April   Darcy W.

In MAY:
1st May     Mercy B.
11th        Jonathon L.
14th        Lily L.
14th        Chin chin V.
19th        Tyler K.
20th        Vaughan M.
31st        Richard T.
Autism and Child
development delay playgroup.

Where - Gray Court Kinder, Mooroolbark.
Located off Cardigan St, just behind shops.
Time - 2pm - 5pm every third Saturday of the month.
Starts - 16th Feb 2013, 16th March, etc...
Cost - $3 per child & $2 per other siblings.

A great chance for children to play in a safe and fun environment with children like themselves. Also for parents/carers to share experiences, stories and information.

Contact - Karen - 0418552684
karen@hanmer.com.au
Gray Court Pre-school
Mooroolbark Playgroup

Time - Thursdays 2pm - 4pm
Cost - $3 per child &
$2 per other Siblings
Gray Court Kinder is located off Cardigan St in Mooroolbark. Just behind the shops.
Starts - Thursday 14th Feb 2013

A fun, fantastic, and safe time for children and families to meet and play before the kinder years. Contact - Karen - 0418552684 Karen@hanmer.com.au
Happy Mother's Day!
Community Notices

Thank you to Mr Gary Williams and his company RA Printing for producing all our new weekly student awards.

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School Banking Mondays  
Canteen Fridays @ morning recess time.