COMMUNITY EVENTS

A big thank you to our wonderful group of parents who coordinated the Father’s Day Stall and raffle. I hope that the special men in your child’s life had a lovely day.

This Saturday is our annual Trivia Night. This night supports the fundraising efforts of our school, which this year is working towards additional air-conditioning in the Billabong. We would love to see our community – you’ll have a great time and there are some terrific prizes and items up for purchase at the auction.

Reminder all newsletter items must be handed in/or emailed no later than 10.00am on a Wednesday morning to ensure it is included in the current week’s edition of the school newsletter.
News from the Principal continued…..

Thanks to Michelle Kitchener who has overseen this fundraising effort.

HOUSE SPORTS

Congratulations to Yarra House who won our annual House Athletics Sports Carnival last week. It was great to see that the weather was kind to us and the children really ‘gave their all’ throughout the day. A big thank you to Mr. Stella and all teachers who spent considerable time in the planning and implementation phase. Thanks also to the parents who assisted on the day. Mr. Stella and I will now sit down and organise the District team, which will compete next Wednesday at the Croydon Athletics track.

RADIO PROGRAM

Today three more of our children had the opportunity to participate in the Radio program at Yarra valley radio. Due to a double booking this week they will have an opportunity soon to preform on air. Thank you to Mr Moxon for co-ordinating.
News from the Principal continued…..

CAMP

Last week our Year 5 and 6’s attended Sovereign Hill Camp. The children had a wonderful time at the St. Alpius school and also exploring areas such as the Gold Mine, the local shops and panning for gold at the river (whilst dressed up as a child in the 1800’s). A big thank you to Miss Letts, Mrs Berry and Mr. Moxon for their outstanding care of all children.

ALPHABEENIES

This program, that builds the literacy skills of our four year old children (those enrolled in 2016) has been operating for almost a term now.

MATHS MASTERS

Next Friday (last day of term) will be our next Maths Masters competition. Teachers will select semi-finalists based upon their knowledge and speed of recall over the past term. Good luck to all our semi-finalists.
News from the Principal continued.....

OSHC
A reminder that all outstanding amounts must be paid prior to the end of term as the license moves to OSHCare4Kids at the beginning of Term 4.

SCHOOL COUNCIL
The next meeting is next Wednesday, 16th September at 4pm.

Carolyn Elliot
School Principal.

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Calendar of events at Pembroke Primary

**SEPTEMBER**

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Pembroke Primary School’s
Trivia Night 2015

Theme: Australiana

Saturday 12th September

Time: 7.15pm for a 7.30pm Start

Must be over the age of 18 years old.

B.Y.O Drinks and Nibbles. Small and loose change for games and raffles.

Tickets on sale Now

The cuckoo, Nikos Tavern, Kings swim, Science works, Puffing Billy, Hogs breathe café, The good guys, Bunning’s, Dollar Curtin Mel way, Roller city Bayswater, Methven’s Mooroolbark.

Great Prizes to be won for games, best dressed person and table, and many more. So come along and enjoy a great night.
Congratulations to the following students.

**Prep M**  
**Sarah.**
Taking pride in her History Day costume.

**Grade 1/2T**  
**Dawt.**
The pride and care you took in writing your recount about History Day! Good job Dawt!

**Grade 2/3C**  
**Jason.**
Consistent excellence in everything he does!

**Grade 3/4W**  
**Bawi D.**
Showing purpose and great effort in his writing.

**Grade 5/6L**  
**Shayla.**
Showing pride in her writing at Sovereign Hill.
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<td>The fantastic effort you have been putting into all classroom activities.</td>
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VALUE OF THE WEEK.
Sep 7th– Sep 11th  2015
HELPFULNESS

Congratulations to the following students

Grade Prep M  Stony.
Being helpful every morning by putting chairs down!

Grade 1/2T  Lily.
Being helpful and supportive to your classmates. Great work Lily!!

Grade 2/3C  Elijah.
Always being helpful by remembering to collect the roll tub each day and being a reliable time keeper. Another helpful act.

Grade 3/4W  Zeddy.
Showing helpfulness to other students when they have been upset.

Grade 5B

Grade 5/6L
Thankyou to all the mums that helped with The Father’s Day Stall. Your efforts were kindly appreciated.

The winners of the Father’s Day Raffle:
1st Prize Jason H
2nd Prize Mrs O’Rourke
3rd Prize Noel.
4th Prize Michelle Kitchener
5th Prize Zac T.
6th Prize James R.
7th Prize Alex.

Canteen Day is next Friday. September 11th.
$6 Footy Day Lunch
1 Pie or 1 Hot Dog
1 Doughnut
1 Water or Juice Box

Orders in by Wednesday please
After The Bell with OSHCare 4 KIDS

How Cheap Is OSHC
Did you know that if you enrol your child into Before and After School Care it can cost you as little as $3.97 per session per child with Government Rebate eligibility?

The Week That Was
Last week was all about bugs and Insects! We found out that spiders were neither insects nor bugs they are actually arachnids! The children made their own spiders out of colourful play-dough with funny names like trapuntupia. We also created beautiful paintings of bugs and insects and a bug book to display them in.
Our OSHC bunny, Crumb, came to visit us AND the school office during the day. He loved seeing all the staff and parents at the window.

Cooking Club
We will be creating our famous and yummy edible dirt.

Announcement
Sun Smart Season has started, so don’t forget your hats!

Community News
September VAC program is out now!
Incursions! Excursions!
Adventures galore!
See what’s on and join in the fun at Eastwood or Mater Christi Primary.


ENROLMENT AND BOOKINGS
Head Office: (03) 9758 6744
Email: enrolment@oshcare4kids.com.au
Shannon Hawkins – Program Leader
0437 569 448

Reminder
When cancelling a booking we need to be contacted by 12:30 the business day before or you will be charged as of term 4.

BEFORE SCHOOL PARENTS: When sending your children to before school care, please come in with them and sign your child in. Otherwise, it can lead to confusion for staff.

We are running out of time to enrol your child for next term! DON’T MISS OUT! If you would like a place for your child at OSHC next term, please return your enrolment forms to either the OSHC room or the school office.

Please note there is also an option to do this online by going to www.oshcare4kids.com.au

Next Week...
Last week of term party! This week is the last week of term we are so excited for the holiday program at EASTWOOD or MATER CHRISTI so to prepare we will be doing all things holiday related. We will be having a bowling match, cricket game, balloon racing and even hanging streamers all over our room.

This Week’s Program
This week the children were given an opportunity to plan what activities they would like to do. They have chosen to have a big arts and craft session, with construction competitions and play-dough making. Don’t miss out and book in now!
**Weekly Program & Menu Planning**

Week Beginning: 31st August

Theme of the week: Bugs and Insects  
Goal for the week: Learning what different bugs and insects are

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| Come on in for an awesome afternoon of making caterpillars out of loom bands and your own insect rocks to take home! | Slime Pit play! Come on in to find all the different bugs and insects inside the slime pit! ITS GOING TO BE EPIC | Today we are going to be making spiders.... Is a spider a bug? an insect? or some else? COME FIND OUT!! | COOKING CLUB  
Come on in for an awesome afternoon of cooking we are going to be making bugs and insects out of our food!!! | Today we will be drawing and creating lots of different bugs and insects to put on our OSHC walls WHAT WILL YOU CREATE?  
Visit from the bunny crumb! |

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Get the **write** start to learning.

**Become an Alphabeenie!**

Open to children that are enrolled at Pembroke for 2016, at no cost. Led by our Prep teacher, Miss Bree Monks, in the Prep classroom!

Core language skills taught and reinforced weekly, with take home tasks and songs to enable further consolidation at home.

**Big kids school, for little kids!**

**Upcoming Dates:**
- Tuesday 4th of August – Alphabeenies (1.30-3.00)
- Tuesday 11th of August – Alphabeenies (1.30-3.00)
- Tuesday 18th of August – Step Into Prep (2.30-3.15)
- Tuesday 25th of August – Alphabeenies (1.30-3.00)
- Tuesday 1st of September – Alphabeenies (1.30-3.00)
- Tuesday 8th of September – Alphabeenies (1.30-3.00)
- Tuesday 15th of September – Step Into Prep (2.30-3.15)

Please call the School Office on 9725 6689 if you have any questions!
Community Notices

On the last week of Term 3 we will be having a stall where you can buy squishy balls.
They will be $1 per ball and you can get 3 balls for $2.50. The maximum for each customer will be 3 balls.
All funds will be to the Animal Aid. Squishy balls are just full of rice, sand or flour you pick, Squishy balls are just stress balls in disguise and don’t squeeze them too hard or they will pop.
Kind Regards Azalea and Darcy
Croydon Little Athletics Centre invites new and returning families down to the track for information on the upcoming 2015-16 Little Athletics Summer Season.

**Our Information Day is on**
**Saturday 19th September, 9am-11am**
Croydon Little Athletics Track
Town Park, Nortons Road, Croydon

- Free BBQ for families.
- Athlete’s Foot Eastland will be attending for footwear advice and have shoes available for sale on the day.
- Club t-shirts will be available for purchase.

email [croydon@lavic.com.au](mailto:croydon@lavic.com.au)

**Season starts Saturday 10th October 2015!!**

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**BUKIDO KIDS KARATE**

Designed for children to have fun while at the same time learning the skills of self defence. These skills will help to:
- Improve behavior at home and at school
- Improve school grades
- Improve self-discipline and self-esteem
- Improved listening skills, courtesy, and self-control
- Overcome shyness and improve self-confidence

**We offer One Week Free training.**
Open 6 days a week.

For further information phone Bella on 97351138
3pm to 7.30pm. Our website is [www.bukidokarate.com](http://www.bukidokarate.com)
MILO CRICKET
@ Mooroolbark Cricket Club

Registration Day
SUNDAY 4th OCTOBER – 11:00am-12:00pm
Mooroolbark Heights Reserve, Longfellow Ave, Mooroolbark

The season will run over the following Friday nights 6:00-7:00PM:
November 6, 13, 20, 27
December 4, 11
February 5, 12, 19, 26
March 4

Subscription Fee: $75 per child
Includes Cricket Australia Milo kit (t-shirt, hat, bat, back pack, etc)

For further information
Contact: Bryn Griffiths
0429 925 242
b.griffiths@waterway.com.au

Mooroolbark Family Dental

BULK BILLING DENTAL FOR KIDS
Eligible 2-17 year old kids receive $1000 in dental work

26 Charles Street
Mooroolbark

9726 7955

Special
Kids (2-17) FREE for checkup*
Adults pay only $99 for checkup & clean

*for children who are not eligible for Child Dental Benefits Scheme
**September**  
Term 3: 13th July – 18th September 2015

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Just a reminder that Earn and Learn stickers finish on Tuesday. Please bring your stickers/sticker sheets to the office.

Thank you.

💰 School Banking Mondays  🍊 Canteen Fridays @ morning recess time.

School Holidays/