Special Points of Interest:

- Fri 14th Nov Gr 2-6 Soccer Clinic.
- Sat/Sun Nov 15-16th Relay for Life Croydon Aths Track Come and Support Team Pembroke!

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from the Principal ...

This week I will be absent with the Team Vic Boys 12 and under softball team. This is a team I coach and we are at the National Tournament in Toowoomba, Queensland. If there are issues there will be a teacher available each day to deal with questions or problems.

Canteen

Michelle and Le are unable to open the canteen this Friday for lunch orders.

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.
First Aid
Last Wednesday the children also participated in the St. John Ambulance Children’s sessions. We hope that your child came home and talked to you about it. We have been informed about an incident where a small boy saved his mother’s life using knowledge that he received in the session. Any proactive safety measures that children can learn will be useful in life.

Life Education
Notices for Life Education have been sent home to all families. This program teaches children about safe practices, making good choices and healthy living habits. It is informative as well as providing the foundation for classroom work through the use of a Life Education workbook which each child receives.
 Relay for Life
Our school participates in Relay for Life each year. The funds raised go towards striving for finding a cure for different forms of Cancer. Leanne Richards coordinates our team on behalf of the school. The event will be held at the Croydon Athletics track on the 15th and 16th November. Any time that you can give in support of Pembroke and the cause would be very much appreciated.

Swimming
24th—28th November is swimming week. Swimming is a crucial skill to have at all times but particularly as we lead into Summer. A reminder to bring jocks, undies, a towel and a bag to put all the wet clothes into. Goggles can be purchased at the pool or you can bring them yourselves.
News from the Principal continued…..

**Election BBQ**

As our school is an Election polling station we will be holding a BBQ to raise funds for the school. We know that your time especially on the weekend is special but would truly value an hour in order to have some assistance on the day. If you can help please contact the PFA or let us know at the Office.

**Soccer Clinic**

The Melbourne Victory Soccer clinics conclude this Friday. This will be the last of the clinics for the year. Our children have been fortunate to have participated in the following sporting events:- swimming, Tennis clinics AFL 9’s, Soccer clinics, , Cross Country, Athletics, Basketball clinics. This is on top of PE sessions, Interschool sport and Kool Kids.

**Regards**

Carolyn Elliot.

School Principal.
SCHOOL VISION

As many of you will be aware the school has recently completed a review that encapsulated the past four years. Using the report provided following the review, the school then creates the new plan for the next four years. Part of this process is looking at our current school vision and seeing whether it still embodies who Pembroke is and what we stand for.

As part of the Curriculum Day, staff spent considerable time developing the following Vision statement. We feel that the Vision is relevant to Pembroke (not just some generic statement that could be relevant for any school) but would really value the input of our school community.

At Pembroke Primary School we develop citizens with integrity, purpose and a love of learning.
We respect and embrace the diversity in our community and value inclusion.
We set no limitations and take responsibility to achieve our personal best.

Regards,
Pembroke P.S staff

Pembroke School Vision comments

NAME: __________________________________________
Dear Families

We need your help in manning our Election Day BBQ on November 29th. This is a great opportunity to showcase our school and raise much-needed funds. There are time slots listed below. We will be selling breakfast items like bacon and eggs sandwiches then sausages in bread with soft drink cans for lunch. Please fill in and return by 14th November so a roster can be drawn up and families notified.

Any time you can give is truly appreciated.

Carolyn Elliot
Principal

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Name: _______________________________________
Contact Phone No. Home: ________________
Mobile: _________________________________
Congratulations to the following students.

Grade 1W  
Juvraj.  
Such an improved attitude towards his learning. You’re making great choices.

Grade 2B  
Francis.  
The passion he is showing towards the Melbourne Victory Session.

Grade 3/4C  
Locky.  
Perseverance in handwriting.

Grade 3/4M  
Scott.  
Showing pride, passion and purpose in everything that he does.

Grade 5/6M  
Brianna.  
Taking so much pride in her writing. You refuse to settle for second best and we are so proud of what you are achieving.
VALUE OF THE WEEK.
November 10th—14th 2014

SERVICE

Congratulations to the following students

Grade 1W  Meriam.
Always offering her ‘services’ to clean the room.

Grade 2B  Daw Dawt.
Always showing support to students who need it.

Grade 3/4M  Bailey K.
Providing great service to his friends that need help!

Grade 5/6M  Mrs. Huggins.
Showing how much she cares about the student's at Pembroke every day. How lucky we are to have her in 5/6M!.
STUDENT OF THE WEEK.
November 10–14th 2014

Congratulations to the following students:

Grade 1W  Peter C.
His fantastic effort in Maths.
You’re a money magician.

Grade 2B  Van.
His fantastic scary complication.

Grade 3/4C  Noah.
The high standards he sets in all he does!

Grade 3/4M  Ryan H.
Amazing work on his “What is a seed” assessment!

Grade 5/6M  5/6M.
The manner in which they conducted themselves in the city on our excursion to ‘Art Play’. You acted responsibly were considerate of others and had a fantastic day!
PARENTS AND FRIENDS GROUP.
Here are a few programs that the PFA run.

1. CRAFT/ACTIVITY GROUP
Every Monday afternoon we have a craft/activity group which meets in the Art room. We hope to see you in Term 4 Times 1.30 – 3.20pm
Everyone is welcome.

2. FRIDAY WALKING GROUP.
Each Friday morning we have a dedicated walking group who walk around the area for around 45 mins.
Meet outside the junior School at 9.00am. If you would like to know more please see Caron or Kerry.
Basketball News:

Pembroke Pirates
The pirates played Yarra Rd Pacers on Friday. 
The pirates played a great game but lost 10-6. 
The whole team tried really hard and never gave up. 
Well done to the team.

Pembroke Panthers.

Pembroke Panthers fought a hard game on Tuesday night to win the match 10 –6. All the team contributed in the game, which led to our victory! 
Well done Panthers!

Happy Birthday!

To the following Students:

1st Nov Madison M.
3rd Nov Emma H.
15th Nov Jack F.
Jasmine D.
Liam C.
16th Nov Ella B.
19th Nov Ruth V.
Sienna B.
20th Nov Bawi T.
21st Nov Dawt Mil H.
Faith W.
25th Nov Jesse D.
Junior School did some Thank You letters for people who provide a service for the community.

To the Policemen, Thank you for helping us from bad things and providing a service to the community. From Pembroke P.S. (written by Victor & Cung)

To the Hospitals, Thank you for taking care of people who need help. From Pembroke Primary School (written by Ella)

To the Junior School Council, Thank you for helping Relay for Life. From Levi & Joshua.

To the Firefighters, Thank you for helping us get out of the fire and keeping our community safe. From Tyler & Bawi

To the Plumbers, Thank you for helping us fix our leaky pipes and fixing our taps and also helping us fix our toilets and providing a service to the community. From Pembroke Primary School (written by Jack W)

To Brad, Thank you for coaching. The Pembroke Pirates hope you will coach them next year. If not, then the Panthers. We will be better next year. Thank you, From Elijah.
Well done for reading... 200+ nights!

The more you read, the more you know! Dr Seuss

Is hereby awarded to

Aden

October 2014

Nora Monks
Our OSHC Program

Before School Care: $11 (less with CCB)
7am – 8:45am and includes breakfast

After School Care: $16 (less with CCB)
3:30pm – 6pm, includes afternoon tea

Call or text 0437-569-448 to book!
Mooroolbark Umbrella Group Inc. invites you to our annual Community Forum featuring

Don Elgin

Every Step Counts

From country boy to International sports podium and what I learnt along the way.

They don’t come any livelier than the boy from the bush that took on the world, so if you want a few laughs along the way to being inspired and encouraged to embrace the challenges of life, you’ll make a point of hearing Don Elgin.

Entertaining, motivational and an all-round larrikin, Don represented Australia at four World Championships and three Paralympic Games and was a triple Paralympic medallist from Athens in 2004. In 2012, Don was Track and Field Team Manager for the Aussies at the London Paralympics, and made a comeback to the competitive arena by competing in the 2014 Commonwealth Games team.

A husband and proud father of four kids, Don is also founder and director of StarAmp Global, which manages some of Australia’s finest talent.

Don Elgin will also present the 2014 Mooroolbark Quiet Achiever awards.

WHERE:
MOOROOLBARK COMMUNITY CENTRE
125 Brice Avenue, Mooroolbark
(behind the Senior Citizens Centre)
WHEN: 7.30 PM,
THURSDAY 20 NOVEMBER 2014
ENTRY: GOLD COIN DONATION

FURTHER INFORMATION AND TO RSVP:
moor.umb.group@optusnet.com.au
OR PHONE 042 571 6655
**November**

**Term 4 : 6th Oct– 19th Dec 2014**

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**School Banking Mondays**

**Canteen Fridays @ morning recess time.**

**School Holidays/**