JUNE 6th

SCHOOL CONCERT
Another Great concert was enjoyed by the largest audience we have experienced. The children were fantastic and the concert ran very smoothly. It was great to see all our children shine. The way the children entered the stage, found their spots and commenced the dance routine was amazing. I think we have unearthed some future AUSTRALIA’S GOT TALENT stars particularly in the dance genre!

‘Basintopia’ was written by Lisa MacLean and was a celebration of our school community’s connectedness, our music performing arts programs and our school values. It also aimed to highlight the importance of communicating through speech and not through technology.

Last night was also about the children having fun and experiencing performing on a large stage, under lights and in front of an adoring audience with their peers. A successful school can be measured by the partnership between the children, the staff and the parents and this is an important strength of our school and our concert was an example of what happens when this partnership works. I want to acknowledge Stuart Mitchell who always offers his expertise at every school event requiring sound and production. Last nights smooth performance would not have been achieved without his expertise and support at the sound desk.

At Friday’s assembly we will acknowledge the staff who made up the concert committee and the many parents who spent hours and hours assisting us with this concert. Overall our 2013 concert was an amazing success and I was proud to accept many congratulatory comments and handshakes at the end of the concert. I am so proud to work at The Basin Primary School and to work with such amazing students, parents and staff.

PRINCIPAL’S NEWS

JUNE 6th

June
10th Queens Birthday
12th Winter Sports
Round Robin 2
17th School Council
28th Last Day of Term

COUNTRY FAIR - SATURDAY 26TH OCTOBER

TERM DATES FOR 2013
TERM 2
15th April - 28th June
TERM 3
15th July - 20th September
TERM 4
7th October - 20th December
COLD & FLU SEASON
The cold and flu season is upon us and a parent’s decision to keep a child home from school when he or she is sick can sometimes be a difficult one. No parent wants to interrupt their child’s learning, and for some, keeping a child home means missing work or losing pay. However, if he or she has a serious illness such as the flu, gastroenteritis, tonsillitis, high fever, etc. it’s important for the child to stay home from school. By taking this step, parents can help their children get better faster and prevent the spread of anything sinister. Remind and show your children how to use good hygiene when using tissues to discard used tissues promptly, not to share personal items, to cover their mouths when they cough or sneeze, to keep their hands away from their face, and to wash hands thoroughly and often with soap and warm water, to prevent the spread of illness to others.

QUEEN’S BIRTHDAY HOLIDAY
Finally, just a reminder that the Queen’s Birthday long weekend is upon us and as such, the school will be closed next Monday, June 10th. Have an enjoyable weekend and if you are planning a trip, be safe on the roads!

Graeme Russell

CHRIS THE APPLE MAN IS BACK
Chris delivers apples and pears straight from the orchard to the school every fortnight.

His next delivery is Friday 7th June.

If you wish to place an order please have your order and money to the office by 9.00am on the Friday morning.

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Happy Birthday to the following students:

June
3rd Ben Zinnow

6th Michaela Lewis-Lutwyche

8th Flynn Russell

Hayley Turnbull
PRODUCTION REMINDERS

IT’s NOT TOO LATE

DVD

If you still wish to purchase a DVD of last night’s performance you can do so through the main office. DVDS are $25.00. All orders need to be placed by Thursday 20th June.

PHOTOS

Photos of students have been taken both at school and at the theatre they can be purchased through:
www.karynmitchellphotography.com

The password for all galleries is thebasinps

Order forms are available from the office.

Orders close Friday 21st of June.

PROGRAMS

At last night’s performance programs were available for purchase. There are still programs left and they can be purchased at the school office for $5 a copy.
NETBALL

On Thursday 30th May 14 grade 5/6 students went to Chandler Park and played some exciting games of netball.

The first game for the A team didn’t go that well and the scores were The Basin – 4 and Fairhills – 20.

The second game we had more luck. We WON! The scores were The Basin - 14 and St Bernadette’s - 10. It was a close game.

The last game was a nail biter. We were five goals up in the third quarter but unfortunately the other team came back and won by just one point. The final scores were The Basin 13 – and Holy Trinity - 14.

The highlights of the game were Chantelle Nicholls with an amazing 9 goals and Amy’s fantastic rebounds. A big thank you to Mrs Mac for coaching and umpiring and also to the parents for coming along and cheering. Thank you also to Danielle Williams for the delicious hot chips. Well done to the team...Go Basin!!!

NETBALL

On Thursday the 30th May some of the grade 5/6 girls and Kayla Swindell went to girls Netball.

In the first game we didn’t go so well. We played Fairhills and the scores were 1-9. It was a tough game but we are sure everyone had great fun.

In our second game we tried very hard against a team of very good players from St Bernadette’s and the scores were 6-11. We were all very tired but we did our best.

In our last game we played very well against Holy Trinity and won 20-1. It was a fantastic game.

We would like to congratulations to Kayla and Alyssa for shooting 11 goals each and to Indiya for shooting 10 goals. Thank you to Mrs Mac for coaching use.

SOCCER – girls

Our first game was great. We played against Fairhills and the score was 7-0 and we won! The goal shooters were Jazzie C.E who scored 4 goals, Molly who scored 2 goals and Samara who scored 1 goal. It was an awesome game.

Our second game we played against Wattleview. It was a great game and the final score was 4-0. We won! The goal scorers were Hannah M who scored 3 goals and Jazzie C.E who scored 1. It was fantastic!

Our final game was a tough competition. We played against Bayswater South and unfortunately we lost in a penalty shoot out. It was 1-1 and our goal scorer was Jazzie C.E. We had a penalty shoot out and Mr Hartley chose five people to shoot. They were Jazzie C.E, Molly, Samara, Hanna, and Hana. Jazzie C.E got the only goal but the good thing was everyone had fun and tried their best.

The highlights from the games were Hana a Jazzie C.E as goalie and Molly’s awesome face plant.

We would like to say a big thank you to Mr Hartley for being an awesome coach.

GO BASIN!
TEE BALL

On Thursday 30th of May the mixed Tee Ball team went to Gilbert Park and played three games.

Our first game was captained by Charlie Evans and we played Wantirna South. We had a disappointing loss with the final score being 14-8 home runs but we enjoyed the game to start the day.

Our second game was captained by Leo Morris and was a lot more exciting for The Basin with a win 11-7 against Holy Trinity. Some highlights included Leo hitting a fast ball for a home run, Charlie on first base running 4 batsmen out and everyone’s great teamwork when fielding.

Our final game was captained by Daniel Palmer and after an exciting start we lost in the second innings 8-11 against Wattleview, but had a great run. At the end of the day everybody had fun.

A big thankyou to Miss Richardson for coaching us and Helen Sanders and Vicky Morris for their support on the day. A special thanks to Chris Tyson for despite being injured, coming along and supporting the team.
FOOTBALL

On Thursday 30th May the boys football team played two games of football.

In our first game we played against Fairhills. James Hoffman kicked 5 goals and Todd Dowler played great in the ruck. Everybody tried their hardest and they helped The Basin win. The final scores were 75-6 with The Basin coming out with a 69 point win overall. Great coaching by Mr Goldy and the assistant coaching of Cody E.

In game two we played against Holy Trinity and had another great match by the boys. Starring Jesse Cormack-Brown with a backwards kick goal, Cody Forrest with a great tackle on the biggest kid in the team, great defence by Lachy Woolley and Jaydyn Hooper and the rest of the players in the backline. Overall a great win 73-1. Also a big thank you to Jesse’s dad for being goal umpire.
SOCCER – Boys

We started the day off with a win against Fairhills with the scores being 2-0. Ashwin and James were the goal scorers in that game.

The next game we played against Wattleview and we were losing in the first half 2-0 but the next half The Basin were on fire and Ashwin scored two goals, which made us go into a penalty shoot out. Mr Hartley then picked five players and they were Ashwin, James, Isaiah, Max and Lachy D. We ended up winning the penalty shoot out.

The final game was an upset with the boys losing to Bayswater 12-0 but we still made it to the next round.

The highlights of the first game was when Ashwin helped us catch up and got us into the penalty shoot out and when Max scored the winning goal. The highlight of the final game was the determination of the boys to finish well and Molly and Jazzie helping out.

We would like to thank Mr Hartley for coaching us and his support.
DANCEFAIR 2013 - GRADE 5

On Saturday 1st June the Grade 5 Dance Team competed at DanceFair at Fairhills High School. Students represented our school in the three sections of team, duo and solo. All our students put in a fabulous effort and did both the school and themselves proud. The students competed against six other schools.

Congratulations to all the students and thank you to everyone who came along and supported the school on Saturday night. It was great to see so many people there. Also a big thanks to the parents who transported, filmed and took photos of the night. We couldn’t do it without your support.

At the conclusion of the Grade 5 night Zoe Keltie was award 2nd for her solo performance and Alyssa Hunkin and Zoe Keltie were awarded 3rd for their duo performance. A big CONGRATULATIONS goes to all the girls on a job well done.

TEAM

1. Trinity Mengel, Courtney Hardinge, Zoe Garham, Alyssa Hunkin, Sian Cribb and Georgia Londregan

2. Deena ElShabasi, Grace Keogh, Caitlin Palmer, Hannah Mesiano

SOLO

1. Zoe Keltie

2. Keeley Ross

DUO

1. Keeley Ross and Stella Evans

2. Zoe Keltie and Alyssa Hunkin
WAKAKIRRJ REMINDERS

Its Wakakirri season and here are a few important reminders.

WAKAKIRRJ STORY DANCE

5/6 students participating in this category have until MONDAY 24th JUNE to return their ticket purchase forms and money. Each student is able to purchase one ticket ($30) and request more. Our competition date for 2013 is MONDAY 5th AUGUST.

Reminder to all Wakakirri Dance Student rehearsals will start this coming on WEDNESDAY lunchtimes in the MPR.

WAKAKIRRJ STORY WRITING

3/4/5/6 students have been provided with the opportunity to produce a piece of writing for the 2013 Wakakirri Story Writing competition. All entries are due to MISS WHITESIDE by WEDNESDAY 12th JUNE.

WAKAKIRRJ STORY ART

Selected 5/6 Students have been provided the opportunity to complete a piece of artwork to enter into the Wakakirri Story Art competition. All pieces of artwork are due to Mr Hartley by WEDNESDAY 12th JUNE.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding any of these competitions please contact me.

Colin Hartley
School Wakakirri Coordinator
PUPILS OF THE WEEK—1st June 2013
Photos Now Available

Orders taken until Friday June 21st

All photo’s $7.50 5x7in

Professionally printed on premium quality lustre paper.

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BASINTOPIA PHOTO ORDER FORM

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Photos have been grouped into year levels and the password for all galleries is: thebasinps

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One order form per child please. Extra forms are available at the office.

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Please include cash or cheque made out to Karyn Mitchell at the time of ordering.

No orders will be accepted without payment.

Orders accepted until Friday 21st June 2013

Photos will be delivered approx. 1 week after orders close.