**JUNE 18th**

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<td>18th School Concert</td>
<td><strong>CONCERT</strong> What a great night! Congratulations to all our amazing students who danced and sang with great pride and enthusiasm last night and no doubt will again tonight. As usual our Prep and Grade 1 children stole the show - how cute were they? In the lead up we felt that this concert was going to be the best ever and that has been confirmed with all the lovely comments and emails we have received this morning and last night. As I write this article children are gradually coming to school after a sleep in and no doubt this will be the case tomorrow morning. Our decision to run this year’s concert over two nights was to accommodate the many family members who wished to attend as well as providing our children with a true performing arts experience. I just spoke to Sarah Johnson Grade 3 this morning who informed me that her parents gave her breakfast in bed this morning - how nice.</td>
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<td>22nd 5/6 Winter Sport</td>
<td><strong>REPORTS &amp; PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS</strong> Staff will be submitting their reports to me for proof reading later this week with the goal of sending them home with children on the last day of term. Midyear Parent Teacher interviews will be conducted on Tuesday 21st and Wednesday 22nd July between 3:30 - 6:00pm. Parents will be notified of the online interview booking system on the first day of term 3.</td>
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NO ASSEMBLY THIS FRIDAY

A reminder to everyone there will be no assembly on Friday. Our last assembly for the term will be on Friday 26th June where many of our Concert Helpers will be acknowledged.

PARENTS PARKING IN STAFF CAR PARKS

Once again I have to ask parents not to use either staff car parks especially the one beyond the pedestrian crossing near the infant rooms. There are two families who have School Council permission to park beyond this crossing as their daughters are in wheelchairs and require a larger space - they are the Bramwell and Haysom families.

END OF TERM EARLY DISMISSAL

A reminder to parents that the children will be dismissed at 2:30pm on Friday 26th June - the last day of term 2!

Graeme Russell - see you at the concert tonight!
SCHOOL FEES

If you have elected to pay your child’s / children’s school fees by instalments, the instalments are now past due. Please send your payment to the office or if you have a health care card please fill in the CSEF form and return it asap to claim the camps and excursions fund.

Apple Man

Friday 19th June is the next apple delivery. If you wish to place an order please make sure your order and money are handed into the office by 9am on Friday. Pink Ladies, Royal Gala, Granny Smith all apples $10 per 5kg bag.

SCHOOL PHOTOS

The miscellaneous group photo order forms have been sent home, if you wish to purchase the photo please complete the form and return it to the office.

June
14th  Makayla Matthews
      Oliver Lindner
      Taryn Ahern
15th  Charlotte O’Neill
16th  Avaleigh Bentick-Gough
17th  Olivia Collins
      Skyla Eaton
      Emily Fox
18th  Willow Oakley
18th  Kane Yeomans

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY PROGRAM

If you have received a letter offering the opportunity for your child to participate in the Occupational Therapy Program please send the reply slip in by Monday 22nd June so we can finalise the details for Term 3.

Any questions please see Chris Donaldson.
WEEK 9 AWARD WINNERS
REGION CROSS COUNTRY

On Tuesday at Yarra Glen 5 of our students, Zarah Smith, Olivia Curson, Tylah Chrystal, Jhye Smith and Jack Watt, took part in the Eastern Metropolitan Region Cross Country Event. To qualify for this extremely high level they had all finished in the top 20 places at district level and then in the top 10 places at division level. Each of these students performed exceptionally well in large fields of high quality competitors. A special mention needs to be made of Jack Watt who in finishing in 4th place has now qualified to compete in the State Cross Country Championships at Bundoora Park on Thursday 16th July. Thank you to all families who came along to provide support. Individual results were as follows:

11 Boys – Jhye Smith 64th.
10 Boys – Tylah Chrystal 67th.

Dale Goldsmith
Phys-Ed and Sport
Grade 5/6 Winter Sport Round Robin

BOYS SOCCER

On Friday the 12th of June the boys' soccer team went to Egan Lee reserve.

GAME 1 The Basin VS Knox Gardens
The scores were 1 – 4 and Josh Gill kicked our goal!

GAME 2 The Basin VS St Andrews (1)
The scores were 2-0 and Patrick kicked both goals

GAME 3 The Basin VS St Andrews 2
The scores were 6 -1 Pat kicked 2, Ethan kicked 1, Josh kicked 1, Jarvis kicked 1 and James E kicked 1.

We had lots of fun 😊 written by Josh, Mitch and Pat

GIRLS SOCCER

On Friday the 12 of June the girls soccer team participated in the winter school sports round robin.

We played against 3 schools and the scores were:

Knox Gardens – 2 – 0 - The Basin
Kent Park – 2 – 0 – The Basin
St Andrews - 1 – 4 – The Basin

VOLLEYBALL

The girls Volleystars team played at St Jude's Primary School on Friday 12th June.

Our first game we played against St Andrews and the scores were Basin 13 – 21 St Andrews and Basin 17 – 21 St Andrews.

Our second game was against Kent Park and the scores were Kent Park 21 – 17 Basin and Kent Park 21 to 14 Basin.

Our final game was against Regency Park and the scores were Regency Park 21 – 16 Basin and Regency 20 – 21 Basin. We won!

Well done girls! You all did a fabulous job!!
TEE-BALL BOYS

On Friday the 12th of June 2015 the basin primary school boys tee-ball team went to Kings Park.

Game 1: The Basin vs. Knox Gardens. The captain of this game was Mason and the scores were: The Basin on 15 runs and Knox gardens on 6.

Game 2: The Basin vs. St Andrews. The captain of this game was Bradley and the scores were: The Basin on 3 runs and St Andrews on 13.

Game 3: The Basin vs. Regency Park. The captain for this game was Codey and the scores were: The Basin on 4 runs and Regency Park on 11.

Although we lost two of our games we still had a great day!

TEE-BALL GIRLS

On Friday the 12th of June the Grade 5/6 girls went to Kings Park to play 3 games of tee-ball and here are the scores. First we played Knox Gardens and the scores were 7 runs to 10 and we won. In our second game we played St Andrews (all Boys team) the scores were 12 to 8 we won. In our third game we played Regency Park and the scores were 21 to 3 we won. Congratulations to all the girls and thank you to the parents and teachers for their support. Go Basin!!
Netball

On 12th of June the girls netball teams 'A' and 'B' headed to Kent Park to compete in an interschool sport netball competition, we had a great day thanks to Miss Smith and Mrs Turner!! It was a cold and foggy morning so it took a while for our fingers to warm up! We had some great shooters throughout the day too.

Netball A

Our first game was against Knox Gardens. We played our best but sadly lost 5-24. We played our best but the cold took a while to adjust to. All of us played amazing though!

Our second game we played Regency Park and lost 8-22 but played great as a team. We were competitive once again and all of us were playing great.

St Andrews was our last team to play for the day, we played fierce against the boys and we lost 5-14. Our defenders played great keeping the pressure up, our midcourt was excellent getting the ball down the court and our shooters were VERY good.

Netball B

Knox Gardens was a good game it was also our first game, we lost 5-24 but that’s ok because we tried our best.

Our second game was against Regency Park and we were competitive the whole game, we lost 4-13 but did not give up!

St Andrews was the very last game for the day and we decided to wrap it all up with a win! We won 16-8. Since it was our very last game for the day we played our very best to try and beat St Andrews and that hard work payed off after all!! We had some excellent shooters and defenders!

In the end it was a fun, exciting, cheerful day and we wrapped up the day with 1 win out of 6 games but winning didn’t matter for us because we were having fun! We look forward to our next round on Monday the 22nd June.

Awesome job girls!! GO BASIN!!!!

By Kaila and Jess
FOOTBALL

On Friday the 12th of June The Basin School Footy Team travelled by bus to Kings park to play 3 games of footy.

In our first game we played Lysterfield the captains were Jack and Corey the score was 12 to 15 it was a close game the goal kickers were Callum and Jack.

In our second game we played Kent Park we were lucky enough to win our first game of the day. Jai Gribble and Cadell were our captains. Our goal kickers were Jordan and Jai Gr the score was 15 to 10.

Our third game was against Knox Gardens our captains where Callum and Tom Knox Gardens beat us by 5 points the scores were 13 to 18. It was a close game our goal scorers were Callum and Tom then we came back to school by bus with our heads held high.

GREAT JOB BOYS!
WINTER SPORT ROUND ROBIN No. 2
Monday 22nd June 2015

Venues and game times are listed below. Please note that Girls’ Soccer is at a different venue. Students need to bring sports uniforms, drinks, food, coats/rugs etc.

**Football** – King’s Park (Acacia Rd Upper Ferntree Gully)
- **Game 1** 10.00-10.35, **Game 2** 10.40-11.15, **Game 3** 12.00-12.35, **Game 4** 12.40-1.15

**Tee-Ball** – King’s Park (Acacia Rd Upper Ferntree Gully)
- **BOYS - Game 1** 9.50-10.30, **Game 2** 11.20-12.00, **Game 3** 12.50-1.30
- **GIRLS - Game 1** 10.35-11.15, **Game 2** 12.05-12.45, **Game 3** 1.35-2.15

**Soccer (Boys)** – Egan Lee Res (Alister Cl Knoxfield)
- **BOYS - Game 1** 9.50-10.30, **Game 2** 11.20-12.00, **Game 3** 12.50-1.30

**Soccer (Girls)** – Benedikt Reserve (Rosehill St Scoresby)
- **GIRLS Game 1** 10.35-11.15, **Game 2** 12.05-12.45, **Game 3** 1.35-2.15

**Girls Volleyball** – St Judes Primary School (53 George St Scoresby)
- **Game 1** 10.35-11.15, **Game 2** 12.05-12.45, **Game 3** 1.35-2.15

**Netball** – Kent Park Primary School (Greenaway Dr Ferntree Gully)
- **“A” Team - Game 1** 9.50-10.30, **Game 2** 11.20-12.00, **Game 3** 12.50-1.30
- **“B” Team - Game 1** 10.35-11.15, **Game 2** 12.05-12.45, **Game 3** 1.35-2.15
Program Update

This Week We Have Been Busy Doing...
We have been enjoying the last of the sunshine by having afternoon tea outside. The children have been enjoying playing with dinosaurs, Legos, dress ups and drawing and colouring their own pictures. As the weather is getting colder, please ensure that your child has a jacket with them at all times.

The Week Ahead...
We are planning on having a dinosaur corner made of natural materials that the children will collect from outside. We will also be learning to work together and help each other out.

Holiday Program
The Holiday Program is approaching very quickly. Please ensure that you book in early so that your child does not miss out. We have many fun days planned, which including excursions to Bounce and The Veggie Patch. Please note that our operation times during the holiday program will be from 7:00 am to 6:00 pm.

Parent Feedback
If you have any feedback, please leave a comment in our parent feedback book! All suggestions and comments are welcome!

Booking In
Please ensure that your children are booked in by 6 pm the night before so that staffing arrangements can be made. If you forgot to book your child in, please send a text message so that we know that your child is to attend after school care.

Sick or absent child?
If your child has been absent from school or picked up early, please let us know via text message on 0428 162 718.

Operation Times
Please be aware of our operation times:
7:00 am – 9:00 pm Mon – Fri
2:45 pm – 6:15 pm Mon – Fri

Note: If you are running late, please call to let us know. Late pick-ups will be charged a late fee.

Can You Help?
We are collecting the following items
- Boxes and recyclables
- Natural materials

Parent Information
OSHC program phone: 0428 162 718
Coordinator: Dee Donmez
Assistants: Martin Lester & Pam Lecky
OSHClub Head Office: 03 85649000

All families must be enrolled to attend the program, remember this is Free!! Please create an account online at www.oshclub.com.au all bookings and cancellations can also be managed via your online account. For on the day bookings please contact the Coordinator direct at the program.
Do you feel upbeat, positive and happy about life all the time? I think not! I am sure there are moments where life just seems a little harder, less joyful and you feel flat. There are oodles of reasons why we might feel like this. How would you describe your emotions during these times?

I was recently in a class that were discussing and looking at different types of emotions. In fact at one point they had to come up with an emotion for every letter of the alphabet.

Our children may not have the same kind of responsibilities and pressures we do as adults, however they still have their moments where things seem to be going bad. I’m learning as a parent all the time that what might look small to me can be a big deal and seem huge to our children. This can be totally frustrating!

Last year my daughter, then grade 4 at another school, went through a patch of not wanting to go to school and had many tears just at the thought of it... maybe a familiar story with some of you. I remember sitting down on her bed and talking to her about it and asking ‘why don’t you want to go to school?’ Through the tears she could come up with many reasons, it all painted a very bleak picture. I listened, we talked, I prayed, we worked through some ways that could help her manage her emotions; and then sent her off to school to put those things into practice.

You are probably familiar with an old Indian proverb ‘It takes a village to raise a child’. Staff at TBPS play a part in this and I continually observe what an amazing job our school staff do to support and help your child through these days where they can.

However it works much more effectively when parents are playing their part. In fact, all the research you read points to the parent as having the greatest influence, being a role model their child looks up to (even when they don’t look like they’re doing this, they’re watching & listening!). Parents, don’t underestimate your influence. You play a significant part in helping your child find ways through these emotional times.

Richard
School Chaplain
kidsinthespotlight presents...

The Gold Stars

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Monday 22nd June 2015

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OUTER EAST TREE FORUM

YOUR COMMUNITY

JUNE 24TH 2015

7.15PM REGISTER. 7.30 START.

Speakers include:
Dr. Greg Moore from Melbourne University
Ian Shears from the City of Melbourne

St. Bernadettes Primary School Hall
1264 Mountain Highway, The Basin

For more info please contact Jordan at jcrooka@gmail.com
ATTENTION JUNIOR FOOTBALLERS

EASTERN RANGES

SCHOOL HOLIDAY TRAINING CAMP

IS HERE!

Join our School Holiday Training Camp!
July 3 9.30am - 3.00pm

The Eastern Ranges are holding a development and testing holiday program for all junior footballers aged between 12 and 15.

Registrations now open!

PROGRAM INCLUDES

- AFL Draft Combine style testing including AFL agility, 20m sprints, vertical leap and more
- Skill development session with Eastern Ranges coaches
- Individualised detailed fitness testing report
- Certificate of completion
- High performance nutrition advice
- Injury prevention & recovery session with Eastern Ranges High Performance team member
- Talent pathways to the AFL discussed with Eastern Ranges Talent Manager, Len Villani
- Lunch, snacks and drinks provided

DETAILS
DATE      July 3 9.30am-3.00pm
VENUE     Rowville Secondary College
          Eastern Campus
          Humphreys Way, Rowville 3178
AGE       12-15 year olds
COST      $100 per player
REGISTRATIONS CLOSE JUNE 30

REGISTER HERE!
LIMITED CAPACITY!

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