School Calendar Term 3 2014

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Fathers Day afternoon tea Friday 5th September at 2.00pm.

Special guests from the Bendigo Bank will be attending for the afternoon. Come along and help us show our appreciation for their help in developing our pizza oven area.

“Catch the Reading Bug - Let’s Grow Readers” garden themed book fair dress up day. Grubs, bugs, butterflies and all other garden creatures welcome.

C Generation photos and movie clips will be displayed in the junior classroom during the afternoon.

Please bring a plate of food to share.

Thank you

Mr Ray Tonan our awesome groundsman for volunteering your time. Also helping with measurement in the garden and creating a garden ‘bed’ with the children.
From the Principal

NAPLAN results have been posted so we should see them arrive next week. Queensland results have been sent nearly a month earlier than usual. Each child will receive a parent report which highlights their child’s achievement. If you would like to discuss these results with either Gayle or myself please feel free.

A reminder to parents and guardians: If you have any negative issues regarding other children within the school please come and talk to the staff. It is not your place to reprimand or discuss behaviour with other children or parents.

95 to strive! How’s your child’s attendance?

From the Classrooms

This week in Maths we did more work with graphs. We asked all of the students in the school what their favourite vegetable was and used the data to create a line graph.

In English we wrote ‘Little Cat and the Big Red Bus’ stories.

Our stories are displayed in our classroom.

From the Garden

Preps to Year 4 enjoyed being outdoors in the sunshine last Friday. We looked at three types of parsley – Curly, Italian and Japanese – and decided that there is much more to parsley than just being a garnish. Ms Smith’s class podded our crop of dried winged bean and packaged them up for sale. We sell our seeds for 50 cents a packet or 5 for $2. Thankyou to our volunteers Peter, Christiane, Margaret and Luarna’s visiting friend Chloe who took some lovely photos. Our session ended with parsley and ginger tea. Cheers!

From the Kitchen

Friday’s kitchen session proved a trying time for some of our senior chefs. Rolling sushi is an art that certainly takes a lot of practise. We shared tuna sushi, garden salad, omelette and wasabi peas. Picking up a wasabi pea with chopsticks was a challenge set by Mrs Harrison, more practise needed to perfect the art of using chopsticks. The children even tasted wasabi paste, though it was too hot for most. We flavoured some of our sushi with fresh turmeric from the garden, what a great colour experience.

From the P and C

Pie drive forms were sent home last week with extra forms for family and friends also. Volunteers needed Friday 19th September from noon on, at the school, to help unload/distribute pies. Extra order forms are available from the school.

Pie drive order forms and money to be returned by Thursday 11th September. Thanks for your support.