Dear Families

This week is National eSmart Safety Week. Throughout this week the focus is on celebrating cyber safety and digital inclusion as well as developing the skills needed to be responsible digital users. The internet can be a fantastic tool for learning, creating and connecting with those we love, however “with one in seven young Australians found to be victims of cyber bullying each year, and the many other challenges young people face online” (eSmart website) it is vital that we all work together to ensure the safety of our children when online. The following links and websites may be useful for you:

- www.esafety.gov.au/esafety-information is a link to the Office of the Children’s eSafety Commissioner and has links to a number of useful pages, including where to report offensive content and iParent which has parent specific and up to date information on the latest internet issues.
- www.esafety.gov.au/kids-quiz/is a link to a children’s quiz which will highlight how aware they are of giving information online and opening emails/texts they receive from unknown sources.
- www.communications.gov.au/what-we-do/internet/stay-smart-online is a link to the Stay Smart Online site. This is an Australian Government site and has a wealth of information including protecting your identity and socialising appropriately.
- www.esafety.gov.au/esafety-information/games-apps-and-social-networking is a link to advice on a range of popular apps; the terms of use, age level and parent guides.

Next week we have our PEP immersion day on Thursday. On this day children will be in mixed age groupings and investigate an area of their choosing within the realm of Science. If you are able to assist on this day for all or part of the day we would love to have you join us. Please return the flyer that was sent out recently or leave your details and a copy of your Working With Children Card/application at the office.

Next Friday is the last day of Term 3. Children will be dismissed at 1:30pm. Term 4 commences on Monday 3rd October.

Best Wishes for a great week,

Carmel Marantelli
PRINCIPAL
Parish Of Melton Office
10 Unitt Street, Melton
Tel: 9743 6515, Fax: 9747 8603
Email: stdoms@bigpond.net.au
Office Open: Tuesday-Friday 10am-4pm

Mass Times - St Catherine of Siena
Tuesday Evening: 7.00pm
Wednesday: 9.15am
Saturday Evenings: 6.00pm
Sunday Mornings: 9.00am & 11.00am

Reconciliation
Saturday :5.30pm - 5.45pm

Mass Times - St Dominic’s
Thurs - Friday : 9.15am
Sunday : 5pm

You Are Invited To The
St Catherine of Siena
BOOK FAIR

The annual St Catherine of Siena Book Fair is now at school. The Book Fair will be open daily from 8:00am - 9:00am and 3:00pm - 3:45pm until Thursday, 15th September.

The Book Fair will be held in the Learning Centre (Library)

All students who purchase from the book fair will be given a raffle ticket to go into a lucky draw, there will be a prize winner for each class.

Books can be purchased via EFTPOS
Come along to the opening of our Annual Art Show!

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Come and enjoy a night looking at art work from children across the school. Parents are encouraged to come to the opening night of the Art Show between 5.00pm and 6.30pm. The opening will include a performance by the school choir. This will be a great event to acknowledge all of the work that is done in Art throughout the year!

*Art work will be available to be viewed 8.30-9am and 3.15-3:45pm Wednesday 12th October—Friday 14th October*

Tea and Coffee provided for parents
CONGRATULATIONS

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Great job!
MELTON SOUTH
DREAM BIG FESTIVAL
FREE ENTRY & FREE ACTIVITIES FOR ALL AGES
Mount Carberry Reserve & Melton South Community Centre
Exford Road, Melton South

Friday September 9
12pm - 3pm
Linking Melton South Pop Up Services Hub
School performances
Arts exhibition

Friday September 9
4pm - 9pm
Twilight market
7pm FREE screening of MINIONS
Food and drinks

Saturday September 10
12pm - 4pm
Health and wellbeing expo
Arts activities & performances
Sports activities
FREE BBQ & food

For more info:
lishac@djhs.org.au | 9361 9300

Dream Big Festival is a joint partnership between Festival for Healthy Living and Linking Melton South
Supported by Melton City Council and Victoria's Community

Facebook: linkingmeltonsouth
Vacation Care Program

Program Details

Who
This program is open to all primary school aged children.

Program Hours
6.30am – 6.30pm

Location
Bridge Road Children’s & Community Centre
260 Bridge Road, Melton South

Cost
$65 per day (prior to Child Care Benefit being applied)
Excursions and Incursions will incur an additional cost

Enrolments Open
8.30am Monday, 22 August 2016

Enrolments Close
5pm Friday, 9 September 2016
Bookings submitted after this date will only be accepted at Supervisor’s discretion and incur a $20 late enrolment fee

Contact
E vacationcareprogram@melton.vic.gov.au
Ph 9747 7200

BOOK EARLY! Don’t miss out!

Monday, 19 September
Spring-a-ling
Spring’s in! Wear your brightest colours

Tuesday, 20 September
Growing Greens
Get your green thumbs ready for our gardens

Wednesday, 21 September
Excursion Charge $30
Mick’s Jump’n’Play Departs 9am Returns 1.30pm
Excursion by popular demand

Thursday, 22 September
Book Dress Up
Come dressed as your favourite book character

Friday, 23 September
Incursion Charge $20
Snake Awareness Begins 9am
Join us for a fun and interactive reptile show

Monday, 26 September
Technology Day
BYO electronic device and sign the Safe Play contract

Tuesday, 27 September
Incursion Charge $20
Vac Olympics Begins 10am
Track and field events at the new Athletics fields

Wednesday, 28 September
Excursion Charge $30
Environ-Mental Departs 9am Returns 1.30pm
Discover Melton Botanic Gardens and guests from Western Water

Thursday, 29 September
Team Day
Finals fever is here, wear your colours with pride

Friday, 30 September
CLOSED – Public Holiday

More information can be found at melton.vic.gov.au

* Activities are subject to change.
Melton Phoenix FC is proud to announce that Danny Gnjidic will again be running the popular Soccer Skills Development Program at Melton Phoenix FC with 7 sessions across term 4.

Session times:
- **Wednesday evenings, starting 5th October**
  - Ages 5-7
    - 6pm to 6.45pm
  - **NEW!** A program designed specifically to develop the game skills of Juniors Ages 15-18
    - 7pm to 8pm
- **Sundays, starting 9th October**
  - Ages 8-10
    - 9am to 10am
  - Ages 11-14
    - 10.15am to 11.15am
  - Girls
    - 11.15am to 12.15pm

Content will be based on the Skills Acquisition phase of the FFA national curriculum, and sessions will be tailored to each player’s needs.

The following Core skills will be the key components addressed across the duration of the program:

1. Striking the ball
2. First Touch
3. 1v1
4. Running with the ball

Each of the sessions will be run with 3 key parts:

1. Skill introduction
2. Skill training
3. Skill game

**BOOKING INFO**
- **Cost:** $120 per child, inc. a free training shirt & drink bottle
  - Limited to 20 children per session – make sure you book early to guarantee a place
- **Bookings and payments made at trybooking.com**
- ***No cash payments accepted***

MELTON PHOENIX FC
MacPherson Park
Coburns Rd
Melton VIC 3337

Contact us for more information at meltonphoenixfcjuniors@gmail.com
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<td>Hannah Watts Park&lt;br&gt;6.30pm - 7.30pm&lt;br&gt;Spotlight Walk—Creatures of the Night&lt;br&gt;Meet at the Rotunda Hannah Watts&lt;br&gt;Please wear sturdy shoes and bring a torch—walking flat ground&lt;br&gt;[Also Melton South Primary talk by Nora Peters]</td>
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<td>Front Lake Caroline Springs&lt;br&gt;10am - 12pm&lt;br&gt;Walk and water bird identification for beginners.&lt;br&gt;Meet at the building on the lake near Caroline Springs Blvd and Western Highway</td>
<td>Navan Park Lake Playground&lt;br&gt;12 pm - 2pm&lt;br&gt;Feeding the ducks some healthy food and learning who they are&lt;br&gt;Meet at the playground Navan Park</td>
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<td>Eynesbury Discovery Centre&lt;br&gt;10.30am - 11.15am&lt;br&gt;Storytime for 2-5 year olds&lt;br&gt;Making a nest—learn how to make a birds nest&lt;br&gt;Rockbank Primary&lt;br&gt;10am - 11am&lt;br&gt;Talk and photos about baby birds and their nests&lt;br&gt;<strong>Whose nest is that?</strong> by Nora Peters&lt;br&gt;public welcome RSVP Melton City Council (Inderdeep Thapar)</td>
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