Dear Families,

Last Wednesday saw the end of our PEP Program. PEP has been a wonderful opportunity for children to explore an area they may not otherwise experience and to work in a group with other children across the school. During this six week program children experienced cooking, woodworking, survival skills, pottery, computer, sport/games, boot camp, martial arts, volunteering, grooming, science, textiles, lego, music, gymnastics and dance/drama. They made items, learnt skills to apply in a survival/camping situation, visited elderly members of our community along with many other experiences. The breadth of these encounters and the quality of the activities would not have been possible without the support of so many parents, and friends. Assistance from community groups and the support of Catholic Regional College Melton in offering the use of their facilities to us have meant that we can offer the children far richer experiences during this program. Thank you to everyone who has assisted us throughout the past six weeks, your support has been invaluable and truly appreciated.

Over the past few weeks we have noticed that many students are not wearing their proper winter uniform. Full winter uniform is to be worn in Terms 2 & 3 unless children have sport, in which case they must be in their full sports uniform. Any parents who need to purchase items of uniform are reminded that the uniform shop is open onsite each Monday and Wednesday between 8:30 and 9:00am. A complete list of winter uniform items is listed in the newsletter. We ask all parents to assist us in ensuring that children are in their proper uniform each day.

Over the past fortnight we have run two sessions on an introduction to personalised learning. During these sessions we gave an insight into personalised learning and then went on a walk through the school to see it in the reality of a classroom of students. Both sessions were well supported and parents had the opportunity to have their questions and queries answered. While I understand that many parents are not available to attend during the day due to work commitments, we chose purposefully to hold them at that time so that we could walk through the school while the children were actively on tasks. Other sessions will be held later in the year on other topics. We hope to see you there.

Best wishes everyone for a great week.

Carmel Marantelli
PRINCIPAL

Friday 22nd June - Reports to go home
Wednesday 27th June - Parent Teacher Chats
Thursday 28th June - Parent Teacher Chats
Friday 29th June - Last Day of Term, 1:30pm dismissal
Uniform News

Long sleeved polo tops are now available for purchase at the uniform shop.
Opening Hours:
Monday & Wednesday 8.30am - 9.00am
*Eftpos facility is not available*

Girls Winter Uniform
Long Sleeved Polo Shirt
Winter Tunic
Track Pants
Girls Trousers
Windcheater

Boys Winter Uniform
Long Sleeved Polo Shirt
Boy’s Trouser
Track Pants
Windcheater

St Dominic’s Church
10 Unitt Street, Melton
Tel: 9743 6515, Fax: 9747 8603
Email: stdoms@bigpond.net.au

Office Hours: Tuesday - Friday between 10am - 4pm

Mass Times
Saturday Evenings: 6.00pm
Sunday Mornings: 9.00am & 11.00am

Weekday Liturgies
Tuesday Evening: 7.00pm at St Dominic’s
Wednesday: 9.15am at St Catherine of Siena
Thursday & Friday: 9:15am at St Dominic’s

SCHOOLISTIC BOOK FAIR

The Scholastic Book Fair will be here in the Discovery Centre from Monday 18th June for viewing by Students, these times will be arranged by classroom teachers. From Monday 25th until Thursday 28th of June the Book Fair will be open before and after school for purchasing. The Book Fair will also be open during Parent / Student / Teacher Interviews for purchasing items.

Would You Like To Become An…… Altar Server?
Why not come and join St Dominic’s Parish Altar Serving Club.
New members interested in joining can come and join in the practice session which will be taking place in July.
For more information contact Mar-ian Muller on 0400 007 286.

LIBRARY NEWS

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Cash / Eftpos will be accepted throughout the Book Fair

LIGHTNING PREMIERSHIP PROGRAMME TUESDAY JUNE 19

T-BALL DRAW Melton Primary–Round 1: 10am, Round 3 11.10am,
Round 6: 12.55pm
Semi Finals 1.35pm, Grand Final 2.10pm

NETBALL DRAW Wedge Park– Round 2 :10.05am, Round 4: 10.45 am,
Round 7 :11.45 Semi Finals 1.35pm, Grand Final 2.10pm

FOOT BALL DRAW Black Wood Drive– Round 1: 10am, Round 2:
10.30am,Round 3 :11.00am, Round 5 :12.00pm
Semi Finals 1.15pm, Grand Final 1.45pm
**Woolworths Earn & Learn Program**

Our School has registered with Woolworths for the Earn & Learn Program. For every $10 spent at Woolworths you will receive a sticker. When the chart is full just pop it into the box in the School reception area. Thank you for your support.

**School Fees**

Term 1 and Term 2 school fees are now overdue, please make arrangements to pay these fees as soon as possible. We have many convenient ways in which you can pay: Eftpos, cash, cheque, direct debit, direct credit, Bpay or Centrepay. If you have any queries about your account please contact Lisa in the Office. If you are experiencing difficulty paying school fees please make an appointment to see Fr Michael or Carmel Marantelli to discuss your situation.

**Canteen Roster**

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**Interschool Sports**

No interschool sports this week.

**Family Challenge**

Name:______________ Grade:______________
Here are last week’s answers. Congratulations to Ryan Dreaver who submitted the correct answer.

Prep—Year 2=

![Puzzle Image]

Prep - Year 6

Start

1 2 3 5 6 7 8

*The car with the lowest number is yellow. It is the fastest. It wins the race.

*The car with the highest number is blue. It came in second.

*The car with a number more than 10 and less than 20 came in last. It is red. The other car is orange. Put the cars in order. Write the numbers on the cars. Color the cars to match the clues.

Year 3-6=

1 2 3 4 6 7 8

Take a close look at the following figure. How many triangles can you find?

My answer = _______________ triangles
CALENDAR OF EVENTS

JUNE
Mon. 18 - Thur. 28th  Scholastic Book Fair - in the Learning Resource Centre
Purchasing available 25th—28th June
Tuesday, 19      Lightning Premiership 9.00am - 2.50pm
Wednesday, 27    Parent/Teacher Interviews
Thursday, 28      Parent / Teacher Interviews
Friday, 29        END OF TERM 2 children will be dismissed at 1.30pm

COMMUNITY NEWS

Bollywood Hype with Next Generation
The Melton Bollywood Knight Riders Community Group Inc. is delighted to present ‘Bollywood Hype with Next Generation’.
We welcome you to a fun-filled evening with rocking hits from Next Generation live band and Bollywood DJ.
Also headlining the event are performances from the V Punjabi Bangra Group of Victoria from Melton.
When: Saturday, 23 June 2012 from 6:00 pm to 11:30 pm
Where: St. Catherine of Siena Hall, Bulmans Road, Melton West
Tickets: Adult: $30 and Children aged 4 - 12: $15 (Tickets to be purchased in advance)
Event Type: BYO, Non-smoking event.
Note: Tickets include food and entertainment
For ticket sales contact: Ashwin Bindu: 0401 820 771
                        Lia Dias: 0420 382 077
                        Veena Menezes: 0449 162 382
                        Melwyn D’Souza: 0420292965

FAMILY CARE SISTERS
69 Alto Ave. Croydon. 3136
Phone: 03 9723 6797
Email: resthome.familycare@bigpond.com
The Family Care Sisters facility at Croydon, offers holistic care to all women (aged 20-69 yrs.) who are in need of a peaceful environment, ‘time out’, support or nurturing. Our weekly (residential) program offers time for rest and relaxation, as well as group sessions on topics such as ‘relaxation’, well-being’, self-awareness’, ‘coming home’. Special weeks, called “Focus” weeks are also offered through the year.
Suggested cost: $30 per day.
For further information or to book in: contact us on 9723 6797.

ST DOMINIC’S PARISH DEBUTANTE BALL 2013
WHEN: FRIDAY JUNE 28
WHERE: LUXOR RECEPTION CENTRE SYDENHAM
ANY YOUNG LADIES INTERESTED
CONTACT SUE: 9743 2941 OR ROB : 9743 3174