Kindergarten enrolments

Enrolment forms are available for any children turning 5 before 31 July 2016. Please let anyone in the community know that forms are available from school.

Our transition program runs every second Monday all day with Lisa Cohen. Enrolment forms must be received before children can attend.

Children also performed several dances last week for the Slim Dusty lunch visitors.

Slim Dusty day

Our school is very thankful to all those parents and community members who put in a big effort last week for the luncheon. It was a great day and all proceeds go towards helping fund excursions and equipment for the school.

The next P&C meeting is on Tuesday, 3 November 2015.

Life education van

The Life Education van will be visiting our school on Monday, 9 November 2015. Children attend lessons in the van on important PDHPE subjects.

The cost for the day is paid by our school, however you can support the ongoing running of the van by purchasing Healthy Harold merchandise on the day. Order form is enclosed - please put correct money in a clearly marked envelope.

Freaky Friday fund raiser

The SRC are holding a fund raising day on Friday. Dress as freaky as you can and bring a gold coin donation. Funds will go the Starlight Foundation to help seriously ill children.

Now that the weather has warmed up, slushies are now being sold on Fridays instead of milk. Cost is $1.50.

There is a Vision Screening Clinic in Kempsey for the compulsory 4 year old vision check on Wednesday, 7 November. Please make an appointment by phoning 66 567 061.

Purchases

We have recently received our books purchased from our Book Fair sales. These have been processed and ready for borrowing.

Last week we ordered a large number of listening CD’s to go with some of our library books for our older readers. This will enable children to listen and read along to help improve reading skills. We will shortly order some more CD’s for our younger readers.

Two new CD players with modern connections have also been purchased to allow multiple headphone listening during reading time.

Some new equipment has been purchased to help in our new kitchen - a microwave, mix-masters, food processor, toaster and kettle.

Winners are grinner

Bellbrook students entered different art works, stories, poems and crafts into the recently held Willawarrin Flower Show.

Lots of prizes were won including First and Highly Commended. Well done everyone.

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Why is sweetcorn good for kids?

The carbohydrate in sweetcorn is digested slowly so provides sustained energy and raises the glycaemic index (GI). Sweetcorn contains niacin (vitamin B3), which is needed for the release of energy from food, and the B vitamins, biotin and folic acid. It’s also a good source of dietary fibre.

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What do you call an alligator in a vest?

An Investigator

Friendship, responsibility, life-long learning
Students used our school grown broccoli to make broccoli pasta and broccoli tarts. Everyone enjoyed the food and said they would eat it at home. Pictured: Ari enjoying his pasta.

Principal’s news

Huge success! Thank you to everyone who helped with the Slim Dusty day last week. We have received lots of positive feedback about the school, the students and the P&C.

This year we had the most community support of any year. We will be hosting a thank you BBQ for those people who helped out on the day next Tuesday, 3 November 2015 from 12.30 pm. We hope you can join us.

Kitchen open day - On Tuesday, 10 November 2015, Mr Fly will be hosting a kitchen open day. Parents and students will be able to cook together in the new kitchen. Mr Fly has an information note inside today’s Babbler. Please come and have a look at all our hard work.

Alison Mitchell