Dear Parents

Road Works
The heavy work in the road construction has been completed. We will have the lines painted for angled parking soon. This will make a significant difference to parking and safety around our school.

Whilst the work has been going on I have spent a considerable amount of time in the Edward Street area. Many students are not using the crossings and unfortunately some parents are also not doing this. When a crossing is provided we all need to model its use. If we don’t as adults our students won’t either. Safety is paramount.

Fund Raising – Meeting 6th of June 7.00pm
School Council are forming a sub committee to act as a guiding body for fund raising for the school. Anybody interested in supporting the school is encouraged to attend. [The committee will not be responsible for running every fund raising event but setting dates and determining what activities will be run.] The meeting will take place at the school.

Library
Our Library is in the first stage of its “renewal”. Rob Ives is painting the walls and generally touching up where paint is needed. All of the books are currently stored in Room 1 and will go through a major “culling” process before being replaced in the Library. [A bit like going through the wardrobe and throwing out the clothes you haven’t worn for years.] We will be ordering some new furniture and replacing books to ensure we have a bright and inviting space for our students.

Mrs Collins on Leave
Mrs Collins has taken a well deserved break and will return to us at the beginning of next term. We are very lucky to have Mrs Coughlin stepping in to take the class in her absence. Mrs Coughlin currently teaches the Preps on Wednesdays and has strong relationships with all the students. Welcome back to a full time role Mrs Coughlin!

School Review
Thank you to those parents that have popped in for a chat. Some have discussed a range of issues, others have had one area that they wanted to share. Some conversations have gone for close to an hour, others for a few minutes. All feedback is welcome. Please have your say in your school.

Graeme
**Star of the Week**

- Prep C: Nate Teohill
- Gr 1/2Ellis: Kobe Brown
- Gr 1/2W: Liam Hynes-Cody
- Gr 3/4I: Jude Mussared
- Gr 3/4M: Pepper Bannon
- Gr 5/6 Ras: Stephanie Moon
- Gr 5/6 Ros: Louise Hacking

**CURRICULUM NEWS**

**Visual Arts**

This term all students throughout the school have been working with clay to create many and varied artistic sculptures – from coil pots (grade 5/6), pinch pots (grade 3/4), teddy bears (grade 1/2) to caterpillars (prep).

Children will be notified when it is time to bring their artworks home. At this time it may be a good idea to send an ice cream container to transport their creations in one piece (we have discovered that the clay can be easily glued back together!)

Our clay sculptures are on display in the corridor outside room 6. Please take the time to view and enjoy all the artworks, especially those created by your artist.  

Mrs Pascoe
Uniform Shop *specials*

Over the next two years we will be phasing in a new uniform so we are selling our older stock on hand at a reduced price. Our long sleeve polo shirts are on special for $5.00 & polo fleece $15.00. The new polo shirts are available to purchase from Rochester Sportspower ($24.00). Sportspower will be providing the shirts on a temporary basis until our tendering process is finalised.

Canteen

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Please Note: the Canteen is not able to supply students with forks or spoons for food other than is purchased from the Canteen. Please ensure that you supply your child with a plastic fork or spoon for any lunches they bring from home. Thanks.

NAMING OF CLOTHING - A reminder to parents to name clothing. We have a number of jumpers that are not named.

VISITORS TO THE SCHOOL – We welcome visitors to the school but request that you sign the book on the counter at the office, both ‘in’ and ‘out’. This is a DET regulation due to OH&S.

STUDENT BANKING

Any bank books need to be left at the school office on a **Wednesday by 9.30a.m.** Bank books will be returned on Thursday. Alternatively you can visit the Bank in person.

BBQ Catering - Friday 10th June

The school has accepted a catering job on Friday 10th June. We are seeking donations of slices. If you are able to assist please fill out the form and return to the Office. Slices can be frozen or fresh and left at the office on Thursday 9th. Please contact the office for a food label (must be attached to cooked items).

I ………………………………………………………………………………… am able to help with slices. I will supply:

Lemon slice…………… Rum balls ……………………. Hedgehog ………. Or ………………………………
COMMUNITY NEWS
Please note: Community notices will only be accepted if we have the space to print them.

CULTURAL PERFORMANCE
Dear Parents.
Our school will be participating in a school cultural performance “G’Day Asia” on Monday 30th May at 2p.m in our senior neighbourhood. The amount has been partially subsidised by the school and therefore the cost of the performance is now only $4 per student.
Please fill in the note below and return to school with the $4 by Tuesday 24th May 2016.
Leanne Picone.

CULTURAL PERFORMANCE – G’DAY ASIA – MONDAY 30TH MAY

I give permission for my child/children...................................................................................... to participate in the cultural performance “G’Day Asia”.

I have enclosed $4 per child for the cost of the performance.

Parent/Guardian signature..............................................

SATURDAY 4TH JUNE
Fundraiser night @ Echuca Workers & Services Club 7.30p.m.
A bus will leave Lockington at 7pm (limited seats, so bookings essential)
Tickets $30 (includes finger food, entertainment & drinks at Bar prices.
A fun night with an Auction, Raffle & door prizes. All proceeds donated to helping Monique find a cure.

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