



"Grow in Grace"

# St. Peter's Lutheran Primary School Newsletter

NO. 33

5<sup>th</sup> November 2009

## DATES OF INTEREST...

### NOVEMBER

Thur 5<sup>th</sup> Kids Conference-Longerenong

Mon 9<sup>th</sup> Craft Electives

After School Activities-cricket

Tue 10<sup>th</sup> After school activities-golf

**P & F meeting 7:30pm**

Wed 11<sup>th</sup> Remembrance Day

Transition day for Yr 6's

Mon 16<sup>th</sup> Craft electives

After School Activities-cricket

Tues 17<sup>th</sup> After school activities-golf

Mon 23<sup>rd</sup> Craft electives

After School Activities-cricket

Tues 24<sup>th</sup> Jody Neylon from AISV to visit

After school activities-golf

Tues 26<sup>th</sup> RE Christmas Service 10am

Fri 27<sup>th</sup> Report Writing Day

### DECEMBER

Tues 1<sup>st</sup> School Council 7:30pm

Tues 8<sup>th</sup> State Orientation Day

Thur 10<sup>th</sup> Morning tea for volunteers and  
Mr. Kroehn

Fri 11<sup>th</sup> Term 4 ends

Graduation service 7:30pm

### PRAYERS

This week we pray for the Krelle,  
Lehmann and Lutze families.

### CHURCH SERVICES – Sunday 8th

9am Dimboola 11am Katjil

**We may make our plans, but God has the last word.**

### **Proverbs 16:1**

How true these words have been for me in the past weeks. If you asked me 3 months ago how I would be spending my time when I arrived home from England, before starting my new job in January, I would have happily smiled and said – 'having an extended holiday.' But after one month back in the country I was becoming increasingly bored and eager to be back in school. How blessed am I that my desire, and a little pushing from God, brought me to St Peter's.

### ***Ask the Lord to bless your plans and you will be successful in carrying them out. Proverbs 16:3***

I have been overwhelmed by the kind welcome received in my first few days in Dimboola. A welcoming party met me on Sunday to settle me into the manse and the gracious staff helped me to quickly become familiar with all the workings of the school on Monday. The friendly, positive response from all the children has had the most impact on my time here so far. What a bright, enthusiastic, eager and caring group of children make up the family of St. Peter's. As parents, you can be very proud of your children who have taken me under their wing and helped me to feel right at home.

### ***Kind words are like honey – sweet to the taste and good for your health. Proverbs 16:24***

I look forward to the weeks ahead and welcome your support and continued encouragement to myself and the school as we approach the business end of the year together.

God's blessings to you all.

Rebecca Heinjus

### FAREWELL

We will be having a morning tea on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> December. This is for thanking the volunteers for their efforts within the school and also to farewell Mr. Kroehn. We will be having his official farewell at the Graduation evening (Friday 11<sup>th</sup> December).

### MAINTENANCE ROSTER

Rostered on for the weeks of the 7<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> November is the **Polack** group consisting of **Wedding** and **Schembri** families.

### CRAFT ELECTIVES

Craft electives are due to commence on 9<sup>th</sup> November, we require some adult helpers. Please contact a staff member if you can assist us in this area.

Craft Electives will run each Monday commencing 9<sup>th</sup> November.

### Birthday

7<sup>th</sup> Liam Davis (9)

Principal: Mr. Leon Kroehn  
6-26 Horsham Road, Dimboola, Vic, 3414  
Phone: (03) 53891 626  
Fax: (03) 5389 2168  
Email: [spls@bigpond.net.au](mailto:spls@bigpond.net.au)  
[www.spls.vic.edu.au](http://www.spls.vic.edu.au)

School No. 1577

**THANK YOU**  
**Dimboola Play Catering**

I would like to convey a very BIG Thank-you to the following people who helped make our catering efforts on Friday 30th October an outstanding success.

Jo Barry, Jodi Schembri, Helen Polack & Kaylene Schultz for helping set up Thursday afternoon and Kaylene Schultz, Karen Kerber, Lisa Miller, Helen Polack, Nick & Kaylene Pietsch, Noel & Jane Lehmann for their invaluable help in the kitchen and last but not least to our more than capable waiting staff - Taanya Aitken, Craig & Jemma Schultz, Shannon & Jason Pietsch, Kara Lehmann & James Klinge your help was invaluable and very much appreciated.

Donna Krelle  
President P&F

**HELP APPRECIATED**

A big thank you to Len Hartwich (Shannen's Grandfather) who kindly removed the fallen tree from the oval. We greatly appreciate your assistance.

**DID YOU KNOW???**

Did you know that today, 5<sup>th</sup> November, is the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Sesame Street?

**COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**DIMBOOLA TENNIS CLUB  
LADIES TWILIGHT TENNIS**

When: Monday 9<sup>th</sup> November @ 6pm

Where: Grass Courts, Dimboola

Cost: \$5.00 per game

Teams of 3 or any interested players names to Breanna Eldridge 53891 245

No experience required, just come and enjoy!

**MILO CRICKET**

Milo Cricket (Primary School Prep - Grade 6) and Super 8's (Grade 6 to Year 9) sponsored by Dimboola Cricket Club, DMSC and Cricket Victoria to be played on Saturday mornings 9.30am-11am.

Information and Registration Day will be held on Tuesday 13th October from 4.30pm-5.30pm at Dimboola Football Clubrooms.

Contact Rob Pyers 0413184028 or 53891937 for further details

**DIMBOOLA NETBALL CLUB AGM**

Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> November,

8pm at Football Clubrooms

RSVP with apologies to:

Raegan 5389 2116 or 0409 959 737

**FREE KITTENS !!!**

Very cute and free to good home.

1 x ginger and 1 Tortoiseshell/white (available in 2 weeks)

2 x Tabby, 1 x Black & White, 1 x White/Tortoiseshell, 1 x

Black (Available in 4 weeks)

Please contact Michelle Lutze 53894 219.

**YOU ARE INVITED TO A  
FREE  
DINNER  
AND  
BEYONDBLUE  
PRESENTATION!**



Get in quick - limited seats -  
Book your place by phoning Pam Kingwell on 0428 348 293 or 5362 3206

**DATE: Wednesday, 18<sup>th</sup> November 2009**

**WHERE: Dimboola Bowling Club ,  
Lloyd St,  
Dimboola.**

**Time: 5:45pm -9:30pm.**

We have all been impacted by unwanted change, and the flow-on effects it has within our community.

Understanding and recognizing this on-going pressure which results in feelings of stress and anxiety can sometimes be difficult.

If you are concerned about your own well-being, or the health of someone you care about, this presentation may help.

Presented in an interactive format by a Beyondblue Accredited Rural Workforce Trainer, this event will focus on rural communities / workplaces and will provide information, via DVD presentation and open discussion.

Topics covered include:

What are depression and related disorders and how common are they?

What are causes of depression and how can it be effectively managed?

What is it like to live with depression?

How to recognize depression and related disorders.

How to approach someone you may be concerned about



Some of the ever so capable waiting staff...



Jemma, Kaylene and Lisa taking a well earned break.

