FROM THE PRINCIPAL

School Photographs:
After contacting Spargo School Photography last week, following our School Council Meeting, Daniel has given his guarantee to make good any photographs taken this year that parents weren’t happy with, particularly if the colouring wasn’t correct and he apologises for any concerns regarding the photographs that might have arisen.
If you have any concerns regarding your School Photographs for 2014 please return them to the office and then we will arrange for the company to come and collect the photographs and contact you personally to make good the product you received. It would be great if photographs in this category could be returned by Friday the 13th of June.

After School Care – CAMP Australia:
In the body of this newsletter is a letter from Camp Australia indicating that After School Care fees will rise by a maximum of $1.36 per session for each child attending the After School program. The changes in the pricing structure will commence from the 14th of July, 2014. If you have any queries, please don’t hesitate to contact our Camp Australia co-ordinator.

Family and Friends Day:
Don’t forget our Family and Friends Day which is being held this Friday. Parents, Grandparents and Friends are more than welcome to come along and join in the various activities on offer. We will be providing Morning Tea for our adult visitors and a sausage sizzle lunch for everyone. All the fun begins from 9.50 am.

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IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- PLEASE take care at all times in the Car Park areas. Caution and alertness needs to be uppermost in everyone’s minds when in these areas.
- It is very important that if any parent or friend of the school has any concerns, queries or problems regarding any aspect of the school to bring it to the attention of your child’s teacher or Allan straight away. Under no circumstance should parents/guardians approach other students in the school grounds.

THUMBS UP

- To Merv Stokkel for providing the transport of all those bikes for Grades 3 and 4 students. Very much appreciated.
- To all the parents and friends who came along and supported the Grade 3 and 4 students in their bike ride at Casey Fields.
- To Josh J, Jehi E and Taylah E who submitted entries for the tickets at the “G”. The winners of the tickets were Taylah and Josh. We hope they enjoyed the night.
- To Nathan Eager for giving the oval a shave over the weekend, keeping it in good order for the various footy games.
- To our Cross Country Representatives who did extremely well on Monday and to the parents who came along and supported them in their endeavours.
- To Ossie and Lily who now progress on to the next stage of the Cross Country Championships at Ballam Park – Frankston.
- To Sasha and Teagan for their initiative in raising funds for the Animal Farm. The winner of the competition will be announced tomorrow at assembly.
- To the Grade 3 and 4 teachers for organising such a perfect day for the bike ride on Friday. The weather was just glorious.
- To Darren King for repairing our Junior School headphones. We appreciate your support Darren!

HOW MANY JELLY BEANS!

THE WINNER OF THIS COMPEETETION WILL BE ANNOUNCED AT ASSEMBLY THIS WEEK SO STAY TUNED!

CROSS COUNTRY

On Monday we had 12 students represent our school and the Lang Lang and District sports Association at the next level of competition in the Cross Country event. Two students Lily P and Ossie P have qualified through to the next round at Ballam Park – Frankston. Lily and Ossie will run off in the South Eastern Metropolitan Region Finals – if successful they will then proceed to the state event. Congratulations to these two students and we wish them all the best.

Congratulations also to the following students who did a fantastic job on Monday competing in the Cross Country. Jason S was placed 25th, Zoe J 26th, Hayley R 11th, Blake C 17th, Brad E 22nd, Brodie S 23rd, Romi E 27th, Bailey F 27th, Ashlee C 19th and Maddison C 28th.
Friendly Reminders:

(New Arrangements) When parking on Cardinia Road – school side please park as close as possible to the bollards and barrier. Children and parents need to use the designated pathway between the new fence and bollards.

It is important that children arrive punctually at school, 5 – 10 minutes before bell time in the mornings so that their day can commence on time and in a casual manner.

Cardinia Road and the front of the Hall car park are available for parents to park and pick up students, or there are limited spaces in the Church Car park located off Dalmore Road, but please don’t park on the nature strip or block the driveways in this area.

It is School policy that all students need to be collected by an adult, at the end of the day, to avoid an accident from occurring in these congested areas, which can get very hectic at the end of the day for 15- 20 minutes. Your assistance, patience and understanding in this matter would be greatly appreciated.

Parents and Friends of students are reminded that smoking and the consumption of alcohol are not permitted on school grounds or when participating in school activities when students are present.

How do I raise an issue or make a complaint?

It is very important for any school to know if any families or individuals have any concerns about the school their child/ren are attending so that the issue can be addressed, misconceptions corrected or issues followed up. Cardinia Primary School is no different and it’s important that such concerns are taken to the school directly and that the school should always be the first point of contact. We need to know if you have any concerns about your child’s education or well-being. Teaching and learning works best when parents and teachers talk to each other and work together to solve any problems.

When contacting the school:

- Plan what you want to say, so you can clearly explain what the problem is. (You might want to take notes)
- Have some ideas as to how the problem could be solved.
- Talk about the problem with your child’s teacher/s or principal by telephone or organise a face to face meeting. Most problems can be solved this way.
- If you still have a concern after talking to your child’s teacher/s you need to speak to the principal.
- Remember you can be supported at any meeting by a friend, colleague or representative from a support organisation if you wish.

Meal Deal this Thursday is a Hot Chicken roll and Popcorn for just $3.
Items that might be of interest

- Parents are reminded that if their children require their daily fruit snacks to be peeled or cut up into pieces this needs to be done prior to your child coming to school. Your co-operation in this matter would be greatly appreciated.

- The School will be having a Curriculum Day on Friday 1st August on the topic of “Collaboration” and each school in our network given some time to conduct workshops or do presentations on significant programs or innovations they have been operating in their schools.

FOR SALE – Printer Cartridges
The School Office has 2 Canon printer cartridges for sale. They are suitable for various PIXMA iP300 & ip400 printers. They are priced $10 for both. If you are interested please see Virginia or Sue in the office.

CROSS COUNTRY CATERING
A very successful day for our Canteen saw approximately $500 raised for our School. A big thank you to those who helped out on the day, Corrine, Steph, Wendy, Kath, Gerard, Amy, Raelene, Lisa, Deb & Donna.

We would also like to thank the wonderful people who donated all the lovely cakes and slices, especially those who did not have children participating in the event.

2014 Camp Information Session
There will be a 2014 School Camp Information Session this Thursday 5th June in the BER building. The meeting will commence at 3.30pm straight after Assembly. All parents are welcome to come.
This Friday 6th June you are invited to Cardinia Primary School to check out the amazing work our students do, and join them for some fun activities in the classrooms. The day will start with students in their own classrooms proudly displaying their work. Please take the time to wander around the different rooms to see the hard work and dedication that has been put into each piece. You will then have the opportunity to complete a range of different activities in each classroom. After all the fun and enjoyment of the morning we’d like to invite you to stay and join us for a sausage sizzle lunch to end the day.

FROM KOO WEE RUP RSL

On behalf of the Koo Wee Rup RSL Sub Branch, I would like to express our thanks to Cardinia Primary School and your representatives for their attendance on Friday 25th April at our Anzac Day Dawn Service.

I hope your students enjoyed carrying the flag in the march and enjoyed the spectacular view of the lanterns. It was also great to see your school lay a wreath.

Please also pass on our thanks to the general school community for the effort in selling Anzac Day badges.

We at Koo Wee Rup RSL hope to continue a long and rewarding relationship with your school.
Grade 3 & 4 Bike Education

On Friday our Grade 3 & 4 student’s took their bikes to Casey Fields for a day of bike rides. The students rode in a group, pairs and by themselves. They showcased the skills they had learnt during the week by passing, stopping and riding to the left of the track. It was great to see the students respecting other bike riders riding the track. They day was finished off with lunch and a play at the park. All student’s should be proud of the effort they put in and I’m sure there would have been many tired student’s Friday night!

GRADE 4 PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Grade 4 Parent Teacher Interviews will commence on Monday 9th June for two weeks. There is a timetable inside the Grade 4 class room doors. If you are wishing to speak to either Mrs Chidlow or Miss Esler about your child’s progress, please write you name on a time that suits you.
I am writing to you today with proposed new fees for your After School Care program which are set to be implemented from 14 July, 2014.

Camp Australia is committed to providing the school community with a high quality, compliant, well resourced, sustainable and accessible service. The proposed fees are a result of a detailed annual fee review process that includes amongst other things the cost implications of:

- Increased award wages and on costs
- Increased cost of resources, food and other in-program consumables
- Increased costs associated with higher staffing qualifications required of the National Quality Framework
- Variations in attendance patterns and behaviours

The proposed fees for Cardinia Primary School are as follows:

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*Refers to cost to parents after government rebates.

As nearly all families who use the program are receiving the Child Care Rebate, out of pocket costs will increase by a maximum of $1.36 per child per session.

We are committed to getting the balance right, and will ensure your After School Care program is of the highest quality, is well resourced, affordable and meets the needs of local families now and into the future.

Kind regards,

Romney Nelson  
National Contracts Manager  
Camp Australia  
romney.nelson@campaustralia.com.au
Entries for the AFL Indigenous Round 2014

“My name is Joshua J from 1H and I really want to win tickets to Essendon V’s Tigers Indigenous game for a few reasons:

1. My parents don’t let me stay up late enough to watch it on TV so if I get tickets to the game I will get to watch it and see who wins.
2. I want to play footy when I’m older and play for bombers so I would love to see how they play.
3. Older cousin Aaron plays for ‘Laguntas’ which is the aboriginal word for Tiger. This is an AFL Victorian Indigenous team for 16-18 year olds. He was nearly going to be playing in the match before Essendon V’s Tigers but unfortunately he couldn’t make it but I would still love to see some of his fellow team mate’s play.
4. I have only been to an AFL game once before!!
5. And last but most important reason is because Bombers are awesome!!

So please let me win tickets to this big game. I will be so so so happy!!”

To Cardinia Primary School

I would really love to be able to win the tickets for the Dreamtime game at the MCG as I am a mad Richmond supporter. My favourite players are Number 8 jumping jack (Riewoldt) and Trent Cotchin Number 9 who is Richmond’s Captain.

I would like to be able to take my poppy with me as he always takes me to my junior footy as my Dad is away working.

From Jeki E – 3P

Football, what a great way to get dirty, have fun and meet new friends. Football is a game involves tackling, marking and speckies.

Firstly, football is a great game and it is a good way to have fun, plus it’s an Australian sport and it is either played at the MCG or Etihad Stadium.

Following on from that families from all over Australia love footy, but my family loves it the most!

Lastly, football is the best sport because it keeps you active, fit, healthy and it keeps your heart pumping, and the crowd cheers you along and encourages you to do your best.

In conclusion, I strongly believe that I should get the football tickets because it’s a great game, all Aussies love it and it keep you fit and healthy. And plus who would want to miss out on the dream time match.

By Taylah E – 6T
Ambulance in Schools Visit

Foundation, Grade 1 and Grade 2 students will have an ambulance incursion called ‘Sprinter and Friends’ on June 12th and June 13th. Each grade will spend 2 hours learning about the Ambulance service and how the ambulance can help people who are sick etc. The ambulance comes to the school and students get to climb into it and have a look at all of the special equipment. The ambulance will be parked outside the Foundation rooms or on the oval for the 2 days.

This is a fantastic experience for students, and was greatly enjoyed by the junior school last year.

HAIRSTYLING BAD TO GREAT

By Chloe P

Laim had an ordinary job. Cutting Hair....awefully. He tried his hardest but it never turned out as planned. Every night he stayed up thinking about cutting hair like a pro. Someday thinking he would.

All of a sudden a large gasp of wind picked up. The trees were just about to break the roots out of the ground. He was driving home in his car from a hard days of work and that’s when something really weird happened. He felt different. He would have to wait and see.

Anyway, he had become strong, powerful and massive. He was at home thinking what if he didn’t like the new him, what would he do? Then on the bright side, he thought he could be a superhero or hairdresser. He could earn a lot more money. It seemed like a good idea at the time. But in this world he could not understand them.

Then came the question. Where was my house? And why were people calling Mr Amazing super hero. He found out he was the hero in this town.

Being a superhero isn’t as fun as you might think, He still had to find a way home. He went down town to continue his job. Wow! His hair that he did was fabulous.

A storm picked up, so he started to drive home. BAM! He was back in his own world. But he still had amazing hair styling, he loved his new lifestyle.
Cardinia Primary School

Playgroup

Come try playgroup! Everyone Welcome.
Cardinia Primary School in Tech room
9-11 Tuesday mornings

*cooking *sensory*fine motor*gross motor*art & craft* games*outside play *friendly
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Enquiries: Cardinia Primary School
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