Deepest Sympathy:

On behalf of the School community I’d like to express our deepest sympathy to the Stokkel family on the recent loss of a much loved mother, Oma and wife. Last Friday, after a long battle with cancer, Anna Stokkel finally succumbed to this dreaded disease. Our thoughts are with Eric, Jodie, Odette, Teagan and Jarrod, Merv and Raelene, Nikita, Mikaela, Jason and Chantelle and the rest of the Stokkel family and friends. Louis and Anna always attended the School’s activities, supporting their grandchildren, showing a keen interest in everything that they did.

Art Show Raffle:

The Art Show and Cardinia Show Day is this week and being a major fund raising activity for the School it would be fantastic to see as many families supporting this activity as possible. Remember we have some fantastic prizes up for grabs in the raffle and at $2.00 a ticket or 3 for $5.00 you can certainly grab yourself a bargain. Remember there are more tickets available at the office and tickets will be on sale right up to the draw on Friday afternoon.

On Thursday the 13th of August we have the Art Show where pieces of art work produced by the students will go on sale for $5.00. We will have Gillian Samuel in attendance displaying her talent and preloved prints and paintings on sale. Entrance for the exhibition is a Gold Coin donation. All proceeds raised will go towards the renovation of the Techroom including a kitchen upgrade.

On Friday we have the Show Day activities and Talent Quest.

Parents and friends are more than welcome to attend and join the activities. Students will be in their Buddy Groups for the Side Shows where they run and organise a simple activity for all other students to participate in. Students organise and run their Side Show throughout the duration of this segment of Show Day.

See a more detailed program for Show Day in the body of this Newsletter.
**WANTED**

*Those Pictures You Don’t Want Anymore!*

If you have any preloved Prints or Paintings that you would like to donate to the school to be sold at our Art Show, please drop them into the office before next Wednesday. We will try to sell them, with all profits going to our Fund Raising effort. The idea is we will try to sell them with prices ranging from $5.00 to $20.00.

If you can assist in this matter, it would be greatly appreciated.

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**Meal Deal this week is Pizza, Garlic Bread and a Choc Wedge for just $4.00**

*Please indicate your child’s lunch bag with either Ham & Pineapple OR Ham & Cheese as their preference.*

Also, bags must be clearly labelled with your child’s name and grade.

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**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.**
Woolworths Earn & Learn 2015
KEEP ON COLLECTING!!

Thank you to all our families that have returned their Earn & Learn sticker sheets. It is not too late to return your sheets, even if they aren’t completed. We have until **Tuesday 8th September** when the promotion ends and Sticker Sheets can be either dropped into the Collection Box outside Safeway supermarkets or at School.

If you’d like to know more you can see Mrs Smith or Mrs Friend in the office.

Quick Run Down on Show Day
Friday 14th August

*Remember it is a free Dress Day – Gold Coin Donation*

The Art Show will be open for Parents/Students to visit throughout the Side Show segment of the day and at lunch.
Talent Quest to take place on Basketball Court weather permitting

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Thumbs Up

- To all the students who represented Cardinia Primary School at the Hoop time event on Monday. Great job by one and all.
- To the family and friends who provided transport to Hoop Time and assisted in the various coaching and supervision roles throughout the day – very much appreciated.
- To the Grade 6 students who assisted in moving in all those Art Display Boards yesterday – very much appreciated.
- To Brody, Jarrod and Jack for their great work last week in cleaning up a mountain of leaves and sweeping the pathways – much appreciated.
- To all the staff who have volunteered to set up for the Art Show and be in attendance for the Art Show on Thursday evening. Very much appreciated.
- To the families who have donated a couple of much loved but no longer needed prints for the Art Show – very much appreciated. (Keep them coming!)
- To everyone who has been busily selling raffle tickets for the Art Show Prizes – remember you can collect more from the office to sell to family and friends.
- To everyone who is collecting those Earn and Learn Stickers for the school – keep them coming!
- Elise B in FA and her family for the huge collection of Woolworths Earn & Learn Stickers! Thank you very much!!

CAMP 2015

Camp Information, Consent and Medical forms have been sent home for all students who had previously handed in an expression of interest to attend this year’s camp at Coonawarra. If you haven’t received these forms please see Nicole Chidlow. It is important that if you no longer wish your child to participate in this event to let Nicole or the School know as soon as possible as we have a waiting list for camp this year even though the capacity of the Camp is 160 students. The return of these forms and payment of the deposit will confirm your child’s participation and involvement in Camp. Please remember the deposit must be paid as soon as possible and full payment must be made prior to students participating in this activity, otherwise they won’t be able to attend Camp.

We realise camp is a long way off but we need to finalise lists of students participating to confirm bus bookings, camp activities and arrangements back at school during Camp Week.

For further information, please see Mrs Chidlow or Mr Armstrong.
Book Week

In week 7 we will be celebrating Book Week, a time where we acknowledge all great authors and illustrators, especially those that have made it to the short lists for the different categories for awards. On Monday August 24th and Tuesday August 25th storyteller time will be held in the Grade 3 classrooms for half an hour where students can come and listen to some of the picture books that have made it to the short list for Picture Book of the Year.

**There will be no assembly on Thursday August 27th**

Instead of our regular Assembly, we invite all parents at 3:10pm to come into their child’s classroom and celebrate Book Week by listening to the stories their child has written this year during our Big Write.

We look forward to seeing you all then.

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**FATHERS DAY STALL**

This year our Fathers’ Day stall will be held on Thursday 27th August.

*Students will be able to access gifts that will be on sale during class time and they will come pre-wrapped with clear cellophane. We have a huge selection of gifts to choose from and all gifts will be priced at $5 each.*

*Can parents please pay $5 to the office as soon as possible to ensure shopping runs smoothly and every child has a gift for their Father or Grandparent.*

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**GRADE 5 & 6 HOOPTIME**

Grade 5 & 6 Hoop Time will be held on Tuesday 25th August. Permission forms will be going home shortly for this event. Please ensure they are returned to the office as soon as possible.
ART Show – 2015

On the 13th and 14th August the School will be conducting its Annual Art Show and Show Day. The Art Show will commence on the evening of the 13th of August when children’s art work will be on display in the BER Building. Each piece of students’ work will be on sale for $5.00 and parents and friends of the school will be invited to view the display and range of art work on the 13th of August between 3.45 and 7.00pm. The works will remain on display until the end of Friday the 14th of August. Admittance to the Art Show will be a Gold Coin donation per family.

This year we will have two local artists, Gillian Samuel and Laura White, who will be displaying their work and talents during the evening of the Art Show.

We will also be conducting a raffle for three fantastic prizes including an IPad, Painting by our local painter, Gillian and a quilt made by Mrs Smith featuring work from all students attending the school. The tickets are $2.00 each or 3 for $5.00 and will be drawn at the end of Show Day on Friday 14th. The first drawn ticket can choose their item out of the three available, second drawn out of the two remaining prizes and third drawn the remaining prize.

On Friday the 14th of August children in their Buddy Groups will be conducting various Side Shows, such as Apple Bobbing, Stretch the Snake, Face Painting etc. They will both run their side-show and visit others, and have a go at the various activities on offer. Following the end of the side-shows and lunch, students will attend a Talent Quest where children will present to the audience a variety of acts organised by themselves. Medals will be awarded to the best acts as judged by our esteemed judges Ms Masters, Ms VP and Ms Littler.

PARKING

Cardinia Shire and VicRoads have erected additional signage on Cardinia Road, particularly "No Standing Signs" on both sides of the road from the intersection of Ballarto Road and Cardinia Road down to the access gate to the school. Please be aware that these parking restrictions could be enforced by the By-Laws officers or police. We have already had a parent issued with an Infringement Notice so please be aware of where you park.
Swimming Program 2015

The school’s swimming program is commencing in a few weeks time.

(Monday the 31st August to Friday the 11th of September)

This program forms a major part of the Physical Education Curriculum for Term 3. These swimming sessions will replace Physical Education and Sport time for this two week period.

We will utilise the pool at Cardinia Life in Pakenham. We are doing an intensive program, where the children swim 5 days a week for two weeks equating to total of 10 lessons. The cost for the 10 lessons is $110 per student. The breakdown of costs is: $8 per child per lesson and $3 per child per day for the bus. Students will travel to the pool by bus in their class groups. Once numbers are finalised closer to the time, I will notify session times for each class in the newsletter. It would be greatly appreciated if the permission forms (which have been sent home) could be returned no later than this Friday. If your children aren’t participating in the program could you please tick ‘Not Attending’ on the form and return ASAP.

If you have any queries please see Liz Alderson or Allan.

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. We all have mornings that can be crazy however constant disruptions can affect not only your child’s learning but other students in the classroom. It is also a Departmental requirement that ALL students who are either arriving late or leaving school early to be signed in or out as the case may be at the office.
On Monday, nine teams of students from Cardinia Primary School in Grade 3 and 4 competed in the Hoop Time basketball tournament in Cranbourne. Students of all abilities were able to play against other school in the Rookies, Future Stars and All Stars divisions. Everyone represented our school well, by playing fantastically, being good sports and behaving well. Two teams performed particularly well, making it into the grand final – The All Stars team and the Cardinia Champions. The All Stars played hard and were runners up by only 5 points. The Cardinia Champions won their Grand Final, with a close score of 6-7. They will be going on to the next round of the competition.

We had a fantastic day at Cranbourne. Thank you to all the parents who came along to support their children and an even bigger thank you to the parents who coached teams on the day.

Cardinia Champions – Liam, Matthew, Isabella, Tyler, Caitlin, Abby and Ryan.

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Nestlé Healthy Active Kids encouraging a healthy lifestyle at school and at home

Why is it important for children to have access to cooking facilities at their school?

International research shows children who help prepare meals eat significantly more vegetables than those who are not involved in cooking.

Thanks to a partnership with Get Kids Cooking, AIS and Nestlé Healthy Active Kids Program is giving parents and carers the opportunity to nominate their child’s school to win a Kitchen Kart valued at $25,000. The winning entry also receives $1000 cash to help keep their family healthy and active!

Simply send a note home asking parents and carers to visit the Healthy Active Kids website to enter. It’s packed full of educational games, videos, recipes and activities to make your child live a healthy, active life at school and at home.

TO FIND OUT MORE VISIT www.healthyactivekids.com.au
PAKENHAM BUCKS

Hardy's has teamed up with local schools to start a program called Pakenham Bucks. With every $25 parents and friends spend at Hardy's they will donate $1 to our School. We can then purchase any item from Hardy's with our Pakenham Bucks. This is a great way for parents, family and friends to support our school with useable items for the children.

3 easy steps

✓ Visit Hardy's and make your purchase (must be over $25)
✓ Mention the school by name before making your payment.
✓ Receive Pakenham Bucks vouchers to be returned to the school.

$1 Pakenham Bucks will be awarded to CARDINIA PRIMARY SCHOOL
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