Parents are advised that the canteen will be closed on Friday August 12.
No lunches or snacks will be available on that day.
We apologise for any inconvenience.

PRINCIPAL’S REPORT

Last week, Garden Club planted fifty indigenous plants, provided by Boroondara Council to promote National Tree Day. Many thanks to Kristina Verhagen, our Environment Captain, Amelie B, the keen student gardeners and parent Leeanne H. for their assistance.

While teachers held parent-teacher meetings yesterday, our students were entertained for 50 minutes by some very confident and talented Prep-Year 2 students in Greythorn’s Got Talent. Our younger students set a high standard for tomorrow’s GGT session for Years 3-6. The finalists, as judged by some of our staff, will perform at the next school assembly. Thank you to those parents who have supported their children through intensive rehearsals at home since last Friday: those of us in the audience agreed it was absolutely worth it!

This term, one teacher from each team (Prep, Junior School, Middle School and Senior School) is working with our Literacy consultant, Di, every fortnight. Di is modelling reading lessons in that teacher’s classroom, or observing the teacher while they are teaching, and targeting a focus area decided by each team. After discussion with Di after the lesson, each teacher then shares or models their learning with their team. Thanks to Simon Judkins and the English team for leading and organising this valuable professional learning.

Following interviews for a P.E. teacher for the remainder of the year, we congratulate Ms. Ashley Douglas, the successful applicant. Our students already know Ashley, who has worked in P.E. this term at Greythorn.

Parents may be aware of the requirements for schools in regards to the new Child Safe Standards. These arise from the Victorian Parliamentary Inquiry’s Betrayal of Trust report and aim to protect children from all forms of abuse and neglect. All schools are required to meet the new standards by the end of 2016 and we have begun this work. At the recent Education Committee meeting, a new Child Safe Policy was discussed. This was ratified at School Council last week and can be found on our website here or under ‘About Us: School Policies’.

Finally, congratulations to our 2016 Preps, who celebrated their 100th day of school last week, and thank you to our Prep teachers for organising an exciting day to celebrate this milestone.

Kind regards
Kim Dray
Working with Children Check - a reminder for all parents:
The WWC Check is a minimum checking standard set by the Working with Children Act 2005 for those who work with children, either on a paid or voluntary basis.

All parent helpers in the school, as well as attending excursions and swimming, are now required to have a current Volunteer Working with Children Check and provide the details to our office.

The application process is available online. For more information, or to apply, see our website under the Parent Information tab.
Volunteers are always required and your help is appreciated. Please contact Suzy on 0422 588 731 or email suzyd33@gmail.com if you are able to assist on any of the blank days.

Thank you.

Please find below the Roster for Canteen duty for Thursday 4th August to Wednesday 17th August 2016.

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STUDENT BANKING

STUDENT BANKING – EVERY WEDNESDAY EXCEPT THE LAST DAY OF TERM.

NEWS: Congratulations to many of our school bankers who are well on their way to reaching their 15 deposits by the end of Term 3 which will give them automatic entry into the wildlife family adventure holiday competition. This competition has a prize that includes a Platinum Zoo Adventure Tour at Australia Zoo for 2 adults and 3 children, return flights, 4 nights’ accommodation, 5 days’ car hire, $1,000 spending money and a meeting with Bindi and Robert Irwin.

SCHOOL BANKING TROPHY: Congratulations to 1B who are the winners of the School Banking Trophy for Week 4.

Tanya, Dave and Kate
School Banking Co-ordinators (klocke@iinet.net.au)
Recycle Uniform Shop News

All unnamed lost property located in the lost property cupboard in the Prep building has now been relocated to the recycle shop for sale.

However there remains many fully named bomber jackets and fleecies awaiting your collection from the cupboard. If you are missing something please take a look.

PFA News

We are excited to announce that tickets are now on sale for our fabulous "Las Vegas Night" on Saturday 10th September. This is a major social and fundraising event for the school. Funds raised will support several projects, including the development of the Discovery Centre, replacement of student furniture, resurfacing the oval area and placement of goal posts, and installing high fencing along the grass area of the school.

Book your tickets now at https://www.trybooking.com/MKUH. You don’t need to put together a table of people - just come along to join the fun!

We are seeking assistance to make this night as successful as possible. We are looking for families who could provide donations of prizes that can be used in our silent auction, live auction and other games. Ideas could include:

- the use of your holiday house for a weekend
- vouchers from your own business or friends' businesses (e.g. hairdressers, massage, beauticians, restaurants, children’s parties, experiences, photography, etc.)
- sporting goods or memorabilia

We will also be putting together hampers, so we would be most grateful for donations of items for these. Items need to be new and in good condition. Hampers will include:
- Beauty Hamper (skin care, make up, perfume, etc)
- Toy Hamper
- Baby Hamper (baby goods)
- Kitchenware Hamper
- Homewares Hamper
- Gourmet Food Hamper (non perishable food items)

Our final request is that each class provides 2 bottles of something (non alcoholic). This can be olive oil, soft drink, shampoo, sauce, juice, cleaning liquid - anything that comes in a bottle!

A box for collecting donations will be placed at the office, so you can leave donations there.

Many thanks for your assistance in making this a fantastic night.

Grethorn PFA

2017 Enrolments

To current families with siblings:
If you have not handed in an enrolment form could you please collect an enrolment form and return it to the office ASAP as we are preparing 2017 classes.
On Tuesday 26th July The Preps celebrated their 100th Day of School. They brought in bags of 100 things and did some counting and grouping. They wrote what they would do with $100 and they made some yummy fairy bread. Thank you to all those who came up to congratulate the Preps on the day.
Greythorn Primary School is fortunate to belong to the Dough Raiser Program at Bakers Delight Balwyn.

**How the Dough Raiser Program works**

1. Each time a family makes a purchase with Bakers Delight Balwyn, simply tell the bakery staff **AT THE START OF THE TRANSACTION** that they are from Greythorn Primary so that the sale can be recorded electronically. The sales attributed to our school are totalled at the end of each year and **5%** is then given to the school via cheque or electronic payment.

This Program is on all Bakers Delight products and has no time limit.

This is a great fundraising opportunity for Greythorn Primary and we appreciate the support of our local school community by Bakers Delight Balwyn.
Las Vegas, with all its lights and entertainment, is coming to Greythorn Primary School

YOU'RE INVITED TO Fabulous LAS VEGAS NIGHT

SATURDAY 10 SEPTEMBER
7.30pm – 12pm
$35 pp

A great night of dancing, games, casino tables, auctions, prizes and fun

Ticket includes:
Live entertainment from cover band Humble Mischief,
Play money for casino games tables. Finger food and Door prizes

DRINKS: Beer. wine. bubbly and soft drinks for sale on the night. EFTPOS: facilities available. BYO: plenty of gold coins for other games. DRESS CODE: Bling it up!

BOOK YOUR TICKETS AT WWW.TRYBOOKING.COM/MKUH
Dear Parents
You may be aware, Greythorn Primary School traditionally supports the Scouts Australia annual raffle, receiving $1.50 for every $2 ticket sold. The raffle is due to commence for 2016 with prizes including:

- A Toyota Prius C Hybrid valued at over $26,000;
- A $3,000 IGA gift card;
- A Logitech surround sound speaker system and
- Various Snowgum products including tents and clothing.

If you wish to receive a book of raffle tickets to sell, please complete the details below.

Raffle ticket books will then be sent home via your eldest child. If you do not wish to receive any tickets to sell, you do not need to do anything.

Should you require any further information, please contact Greythorn PFA at klocke@iinet.net.au

Please tick

☐ I am happy to sell raffle tickets. Please send 1 book of tickets home with my eldest child.

OLDEST CHILD’S NAME: ________________________________

GRADE: ________________________________
GREYTHORN PRIMARY SCHOOL
PARENTS GOLF DAY

We are delighted to offer the opportunity for Greythorn parents to enjoy a morning of golf.

Freeway Golf Course
47 - 49 Columba St North Balwyn

Sunday 21st August at 10.00am

Total cost - $35 per person

Includes 9 holes of Ambrose Golf, Sausage Sizzle & Prizes. Drinks are available at the Golf Club, pay as you go.

Places are limited so please return the below form to school by end of Term 2, 24th June, and pay a deposit of $15 per person to reserve your spot.

In the event of extreme weather we will look at an alternative golfing date.

Please note this PFA event is organised for the adults (not the children). If you have any enquiries please call David Axup 0405 505 251 or email greythorn-pfa@gmail.com

PARENTS GOLF DAY, Sunday 21st August 2016

Name of Golfer/s:____________________________________________________

Contact Number:____________________________________________________

Email Address:_____________________________________________________

Payment amount - $15 deposit per golfer (non refundable)
Balance to be paid by 5th August

Payment Method:  Cash / Cheque / Credit Card  ONLY

Credit card payments can be made at the school office.
(NO BPAY or Direct Credit payments please)
FATHER DAUGHTER CAMP FOR YEARS 1, 2, 3 and 4
2016

We are delighted to offer the opportunity for Year 1, 2, 3 and 4 girls to enjoy a weekend away with their dads.

Camp Manyung Recreational Camp
Sunnyside Road, Mount Eliza

Saturday 8th October - Sunday 9th October

Total cost - $135 per person

Includes one night accommodation, activities and 4 meals per person (Saturday lunch, Saturday dinner, Sunday breakfast, Sunday lunch)

Places are limited so please return the below form to school by 03/08/16, and pay a deposit of $50 per person to reserve your spot.

As this is parent-organised, and not a 'school camp', there will be no Greythorn teachers attending this camp. It is essential that children are accompanied by their own parent or guardian.

Queries : Danielle Brown 0425 771 471 or greythornpfa@gmail.com

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Year 1, 2, 3 and 4 Father Daughter Camp 2016

Name of Child Camper:________________________________________________________

Child's Class:_______________________________________________________________

Name of Parent Camper:_____________________________________________________

Email Address:_____________________________________________________________

Payment amount - **$50 deposit per camper** ($100 for a father and daughter)

Payment Method: Cash / Cheque / Credit Card ONLY

Credit card payments can be made at the school office.
(NO BPAY or Direct Credit payments please)
Hello Everyone,

We all feel very proud to say that all our older children of grade 4’s and above are doing planning for the program, taking meetings and also effectively leading activities. Parents have also given positive feedback about children do improving their leadership skills and running the program.

Last week we did heaps of indoor and outdoor activities like making jester hats, hand print lamb, fox mask and making tiny teddy cookies. Children were happy to go in stadium during BSC session and play group games over there.

We are currently in our health week and have some very exciting planned activities organised for the children. We have heaps of cooking activities that will teach children that cooking can be done using minimal sugar and all healthy ingredients.

For those who haven't booked so far in our “Play on footy session” please book you child in asap as only limited seats are available. If you have any trouble booking them in feel free to contact me on our program number or also see our website for additional information. Our first session starts on coming Thursday 4th August followed by every Thursday for 8 weeks.

Please give us suggestions if you have any as this is important to improve our Quality Improvement Plan which we are working on.

That’s it from us this week,
Rashmi Gandhi
Greythorn Coordinator

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All families must be enrolled to attend the program, remember this is Free!! Please create an account online at www.oshclub.com.au all bookings and cancellations can also be managed via your online account. For on the day bookings please contact the Coordinator direct at the program.
Outdoor Hockey 5’s
- Held at Elgar Park on a modified field during October and November 2016.
- Teams of 7 with 5 on the field at any one time.
- Wednesday nights 6.30-8.00pm commencing October 12th
- $40/child for games plus $50 Hockey Vic membership (incs insurance)
- Enter your own team or we can place you in a team.
- Coaching provided
Contact: Toregazier a team or an individual email juniors@kbhbrumbies.org.au

Brumbies Winter Programmes
- U12’s through to U18’s
- Games Friday nights, for U14,16,18’s
- Saturday Mornings for U10,12’s
- Wednesday afternoon for U10’s
Places available for boys and girls U8 through to U18 for next season.
Age as of 1/1/2017.
Where: Home ground and training at Elgar Park, Corner Elgar & Boroondara Road, Mount Albert North

Summer Competitions: Indoor Hockey
- Competition held in November and December
- U13,15,18 & 19

For further information on the KBH Brumbies go to www.kbhbrumbies.org.au
Greythorn Primary School
Order an Entertainment™ Membership and support our School

This year we are trying to raise as many dollars as we can for our School and we need your help! Order your NEW 2016 | 2017 Entertainment™ Book or Entertainment™ Digital Membership from us, and 20% of the proceeds contribute towards our fundraising, so please forward this to your friends and family!


As an added bonus, if you or your friends order a Membership before 12th April 2016, you'll receive over $120 worth of additional offers which you can use right away!

Entertainment™ Memberships are packed with thousands of up to 50% OFF and 2-for-1 offers for the best local restaurants, café, attractions, hotel accommodation, travel, and much more!


Available as a traditional Entertainment Book - or - Digital Membership on your smartphone, your Membership gives you over $20,000 worth of valuable offers valid through to 1 June 2017! Final books selling fast.

Greythorn Primary School
Annette Lawrie  [alawrie2@csc.com.au](mailto:alawrie2@csc.com.au)
Thank you for your support!

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