Principal’s Report

Cross Country
This week we had teams from across the school travel to St Arnaud to compete in the Zone Cross Country competition. All those involved have trained hard over the last few weeks during their lunchtimes. We were very proud of how our students performed on the day with a number of students coming home with medals. Our senior girls’ team won their event and now have the opportunity of representing the school at State level, while Kaitlin Latta, who came sixth in her event also did well enough to earn an individual spot to compete in Melbourne.

Evacuation Drill
This week our school had an onsite evacuation drill aimed at ensuring everyone would be aware of what to do in an emergency. Our drill ran very smoothly and no one was misplaced in the process!

Carlton Footballers
We have a group of Carlton footballers visiting the school on Monday next week. The group, assisted by some Year 9 students, will conduct a series of workshops with our primary students and will talk to our senior classes later in the day.

Musica Viva
Mrs Nerida Morrish conducted the Welcome to Country on our behalf on Thursday this week as an introduction to a celebration of Koorie music, dance and culture presented by the Musica Viva group. Students from Years Prep to 8 have been preparing for this program over the last few weeks in Music and Humanities classes.

End of Semester
As we come to the end of Semester One teachers have been very busy conducting assessments and writing reports. Our Years 9 to 11 students have exams scheduled for June 15th to 17th. Our exam program is designed to prepare students for Year 12 VCE by practising working in exam conditions. We swap to the second semester timetable in the last week of term so a new timetable will be published before then and students will be given the opportunity to reassess their goals.

Next Tuesday any students undertaking a VCE 3/4 Unit will sit the GAT Exam. The GAT is an essential part of the VCE assessment procedures checking that school-based and external assessments have been accurately assessed as well as assisting in calculating Derived Exam Scores should these be necessary for individual students.

Leanne Daves
Principal

ACCOUNTS:
Fees are now overdue
Please pay as soon as possible via cheque, cash or directly online.
BSB 063-732
A/C No. 1000 1994
Please list your family/child’s name as a reference.
Tech projects cannot be taken home until that charge has been paid.
If you would like to begin a payment plan to pay for your child’s school camp or are unsure of your account balance, please contact the Business Manager, Mrs Bobbie Stacey on 5092 1182.
P-4 Weekly Awards

Super Star of the Week:
Prep:
Blythe Revell
Grade 1 & 2:
Boden Hastings
Grade 3 & 4:
Leon Payne

Attendance Bear:
Grade 4

Aussie of the Month:

Literacy Award:
Prep: Eliza Wakefield
Grade 1: Claire Latta
Grade 1/2: Caleb Gall
Grade 3: Seanna Chalmers
Grade 4: Thomas Vasic

Numeracy Award:
Prep: Kai Wethers
Grade 1: Terah Martin
Grade 2: Maggie Smith
Grade 3: Harry Scott
Grade 4: Tamzin Elliott

Sheep Sale Roster:

June 16th
Workers
Katrina Erhardt
50922109
Kellie Eldridge

Cooks
Cathryn Prentice
Kim Darley
Peter Trelor
Zoe Taylor

June 30th
Workers
Jan Morrish
50924194
Donna Nihill

Cooks
Nicki Maynard
Lisa White
Rebecca
Richardson
Yvonne
Sporn

Late Passes:
Any student who is late for school needs to come to the General Office for a late pass. This ensures a student is not marked absent for the day.

School Banking:
A reminder to all parents that school banking is on Wednesdays.

Change of Address or Phone Number:
If you have recently moved, changed your phone number or changed employment, please advise the school. We require the correct address and contact numbers in an emergency.

Changed Medical Conditions:
Please remember to inform the school if your child develops a medical condition or allergy which you may not have included on your original enrolment form. It is extremely important for us to have accurate medical records if an emergency occurs.

Visitors:
All visitors to our school, including parents, are expected to report to the Office to SIGN IN.

Bus Travellers:
Primary Students
Parents are asked to send a note or make a phone call or notify via tiqbiz when your child/ren are not going to travel on the bus.
If we do not have a note or have not received a phone call, your child will be required to travel on their designated bus.

Water Bottles:
Students are permitted to bring a pop-top water bottle to school to use during class time. They are particularly important in hot weather. Please ensure the bottles are named.

Guitar Lessons:
Could all guitar students please be sure to stick to the allocated lesson times as much as possible to avoid disrupting the whole school timetable.

Notification of absences and swapped lesson times must be made to your tutor and your teachers at least 24 hours in advance (unless in the case of sudden illness).

Fixed lesson times during classes are not available unless negotiated with the teachers concerned beforehand. Missed lessons will be charged at the normal rate.

Shelley Woodall

Thought for the Week:
No act of kindness, no matter how small, is ever wasted.

Aesop

June 3rd
Claudia Maynard

Claudia

Tiqbiz

Families who have tiqbiz on their smart phones are asked to update the year levels they require relevant information for.

New families are asked to install tiqbiz on their smartphone so we can contact you at any time and you can contact us without a phone call.
If you’d like to know more about tiqbiz visit us at the General Office for information.
FOOD TECHNOLOGY:
This week Year 8 students enjoyed almond crumbed chicken with a tangy dipping sauce, a variety of vegetables & a chocolate pudding. They added sliced peaches to this menu to complete the meal and to add to their fruit intake. They cooked safely, not overcooking any items & carefully presented each of the menu components.
Year 10 prepared lamb souvlakis accompanied by their own versions of yoghurt dressing. Well prepared creamy vegetable risotto proved very popular as we endeavoured to include the skills required to produce another international style. Lemon Delicious, an old winter favourite, completed this meal for the appreciative class.

Glenda Pearson

ENERGY BREAKTHROUGH:
We were able to award three $100 vouchers from the Body Shop at Home, due to a total of 60 tickets sold. The lucky winners were Raelene Vine, Fiona Scott and Sienna Hulland. The total raised for the Energy Breakthrough Teams was $150 through ticket sales and outside Body Shop orders. Thank you to all our valuable supporters.

GOOD MANNERS AWARD:
Congratulations to Sarah O’Connor who was the recipient of the General Office Good Manners Award for May.

Well done to Liam Martin, Isaac Scott & Jim Vallance who were also in the running for the award.
DATES TO REMEMBER:
- Lightning Premierships Tuesday, 14th June
- Ouyen P-12 Athletic sports – Friday, 12th August
- UDSSA Athletic sports – Friday, 26th August

LIGHTNING PREMS:
The Lightning Premierships will be held at Quandong Park, Red Cliffs on Tuesday, June 14th.
A football team and two netball teams will represent the UDSSA association.
Further details outlining travel details and uniforms will be sent home early next week. Any parents who are able to assist with umpiring both football and netball would be most welcome. Please contact the school if you are available. It is requested all students travel together to the event.

FOOTBALL TEAM
OUYEN PLAYERS
Evan Comrie
Jason Erhardt
Liam Martin
Ethan Munro
Ned Scott
Aden Pengelly
Ned Cronin
Tim Vine
Joel Grace
Samuel O’Shannessy
Jonty Pengelly
Will Nihill
Ben Nihill
Isaac Scott
Blake Smith

UNDERBOOYL PLAYERS
Sam Magnisalis
Jayden Lovitt
Jack Wisneske
Caleb Farnsworth

Year 5 students have been chosen due to their sound work ethic in the classroom over recent weeks and the way they have conducted themselves during weekly sport sessions.

NETBALL TEAM
OUYEN PLAYERS
Hollie Munro
Chloe Latta
Dimity Birch
Lilly Cattanach
Maddi Linklater

UNDERBOOYL PLAYERS
Indie Wisneske

TEMPY PLAYERS
Chloe O’Brien
Rhiamee Mitchell
Milla Searle
Asha Goddard

NETBALL TEAM B
OUYEN PLAYERS
Hannah Gall
Jade Eames
Mia Hulland
Kyle Levison
Georgia Latta
Emily Birch
Imogen Hastings

TEMPY PLAYERS
Kiara O’Reilly
Madison Castleman
Paige Knight

CROSS COUNTRY:
Congratulations to the ten primary students who participated in the Regional Cross Country event on Tuesday. While the track proved challenging for the students, the weather was kind and made for an enjoyable day for runners and spectators.
Many students ran times that were very competitive, and even bettered times posted on the course at Ouyen. A remarkable effort considering the hilly conditions the runners were faced with at St. Arnaud.

A big thank you to Mr Clark for assisting with students on the day, Mrs Lonergan for training, and to the parents, grandparents and friends who supported and cheered on the runners on the day. We can all be very proud of these students and their achievements.

AFL FOOTBALL VISITORS:
The Carlton Football Club will conduct a clinic at Blackburn Park on Monday, 6th June for students in Years 3-6.
The students will walk to Blackburn Park with their class teachers where they will be put into groups to rotate through a range of drills and skill activities.
Students can bring football jumpers to wear on the day and will be given time to change back to school.
After lunch, the Carlton players will work with students in Years 7-10 discussing issues from training, recovery, diet and fitting in study and work commitments. Students should think of some questions they may wish to ask the players. Further details will be given to students during home group Monday morning.
Students in Years 11 & 12 will have the opportunity to hear from the players between 1.45pm and 2.15pm in Room 10. The focus of this talk will be on training methods, diet and recovery.
Players who may be in attendance are:
Andrew Walker, Jack Silvagni, Dylan Buckley, Lachie Plowman, Kristian Jaksch, Dennis Armfield, Nicholas Graham & Daniel Gorringe.
LMR CROSS COUNTRY
SIX QUALIFY FOR STATE FINALS

Thirty seven secondary students travelled to St. Arnaud on Tuesday to represent the College in the combined Primary and Secondary SSV LMR Cross Country. St. Arnaud greeted us with a chilly morning but the weather warmed up to quite a sunny day, very unusual for this event.

All students ran well against strong competition with 6 students clearly qualifying to compete at the State Finals in Melbourne early next term. Because there is a City Regional Final and a Country Regional (St Arnaud) the first team and the first 7 individuals after the team members are removed from the results qualify to compete at State Finals.

WELL DONE TO TEAMS
Girls 13 Years  4th
Girls 16 Years  2nd
Girls 17-20 Years  1st
Boys 14 Years  3rd
Boys 15 Years  3rd
Boys 17-20 Years  2nd

CONGRATULATIONS TO STATE FINALISTS
INDIVIDUALS
Girls 16 Yrs
Kaitlin Latta

TEAMS
Girls 17-20 Yrs
Allie Winslow, Sarah O’Connor, Madeleine Hahnel, Ebonnie Summerhayes, Charlee Pengelly
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