Principal News:

**Sports day on Friday:** All families are invited to join us for the Junior P-2 Sports Day as it is a great day to see your children enjoying participating in a variety of events. There will be tea and coffee on sale throughout the morning and normal snack time will be held for all students. We also wish our students who are competing in the State School Surf Competitions lots of great surfing on Friday. We hope you all catch some terrific waves.

**Car Parking Reserved for the Disabled:** As you are aware legal car parks are always difficult to find around our schools and kinders. We have several people in our school communities who need to use the spaces reserved the disabled. Please do not take these spaces unless you have the required sticker displayed on your car. Parents are also reminded that the top car park is reserved for staff and you are requested to drive through to the bottom section for student drop off and pickups.

**Year 5/6 Camps:** This is a reminder that all students need to be prepared for the early start on Tuesday morning. Please ensure that full payment for the camps has been finalised this week. Any family experiencing difficulty please contact the office to arrange alternative method of payment. We thank our teachers and volunteers for their extra time commitment to make these camps a successful experience for all students.

**Recycling Reminder:** All batteries, mobile phones and handheld devices can be handed in to the office.

Pam Kinsman, Principal
Dates To Remember

Friday 6th November  Foundation - Yr.2 Athletics Day
Friday 6th November  Yr.’s 5/6 Community Sport
Tuesday 10th - 13th November  Yr.’s 5/6 Camp
Tuesday 10th November  Yr. 1 Incursion - Ocean and Surf awareness
Wednesday 11th November  Australian Youth Choir Visit - Yr. 2-5 students
Monday 16th - 20th November  Book Fair - Library
Monday 16th November  Yr.4 Excursion - Black Rock Treatment Plant
                      R5, R7 & R8
Tuesday 17th November  Yr.4 Excursion - Black Rock Treatment Plant
                      D1, D3 & R9
Tuesday 17th November  Yr. 1 Incursion - Cultural Infusion
Tuesday 17th November  Yr.6 Blue Light Disco - Geelong West Town Hall
Friday 20th November  One Up Day - Whole School Transition Session 2
Mon 23-25th November  Yr. 3 Camp Wilkin
Tuesday 24th November  Magic Show excursion - Selected students
Friday 27th November  Yr.’s 5/6 Dance Party - Presentation Room
Friday 27th November  Prep Cafe
Thursday 3 & 4th December  Foundation Excursion - Queen Victoria Market
Friday 4th December  Yr. 1-4 Disco - Stadium
Friday 4th December  Yr. 1 Incursion - Kelly Sports
Tuesday 8th December  Transition Day - Whole School
Tuesday 15th December  Yr. 6 Graduation

Pupil of the Week

C3 - Coco  C4 - Paisley  C6 - Jack  C7 - Kieran  D6 - Kalani & Harriet
D8 - Laila  B2 - Jack  B3 - Finn  B5 - Leilani  B6 - Cortez
B7 - Lili  B8 - Max  D5 - Jack  D7 - Maddison  D1 - Audrey
D3 - Sasha  R5 - Lily  R7 - Lawson  R8 - Samuel  R1 - Ava
R2 - Charlie  R3 - Max  R4 - Archie  F1 - Andy  F2 - Makaela
F3 - Tristan  F4 - Jordan  F5 - Pippa & Tarli  F6 - Daisy  F9 - Leah

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Sample Group Photos are available to view in the office foyer this week and next week. Orders available online at [www.arthurreedphotos.com.au/OnlineTeams](http://www.arthurreedphotos.com.au/OnlineTeams)

Cost $10 each

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**Wanted:** Rolls of Christmas paper, even brown paper for Art Room attached to stadium.

Thanks in advance, Yvette Swan

**Glasses:** We have a collection in “lost property” to be claimed. Please check the photo to see if a pair belongs to your child.

**Fitbit found:** A Fitbit has been found in the school yard. Please claim from office.

**School Magazine:** Parents are reminded to order and pay for a school magazine as soon as possible. Orders are due 13th November. $12 to be paid to the office please.

**Christmas Hamper Raffle:** We are now collecting items to include in the Giant Christmas Hampers so please send your contribution to the box in the office foyer as soon as possible. We will also send home raffle tickets and the butts need to be returned as soon as sold. Each family will receive only one booklet to sell but if you can sell more please ask the office for another book. We will draw this raffle at the final school assembly on the last day school, Friday 18th December.
Before and after photos to celebrate the wonderful work done in SAKG this year!
P-2 Athletics Day is THIS Friday
November 6th!
8.45am – Opening Ceremony (Stadium)
9.00am – Events begin
10.30am – Recess break
11am – Events resume
12.30pm (ish) – Events conclude
2pm – Assembly

* Students are encouraged to wear their house colours on the day
Scammell – Green, Inverlochie – Blue,
Bancoora – Red, Charlemont – Yellow

* Students will also need to wear a safety pin to attach their score card to their clothes

* School hats and sunscreen are a must! Please ensure your child has their hat and arrives at school with sunscreen applied.

* Students should also bring a LABELLED drink bottle to carry around to each activity.
PLEASE label with name and class!

* All families are welcome to enjoy a picnic on the basketball courts during recess. Tea, coffee & snacks will be available on the day.

IT’S DISCO TIME!!!

Our wonderful discos can not run without our wonderful helpers. We have 3 Events coming up and would love if you could please help us to supervise.

If you are free and have a “Working with Children Check”, please return the slip below to the Office by Friday 13th November, or please email karen@brownink.com.au

Thank you, The Parents & Carers Committee.

Name: ________________________________

Phone Number: ________________________

I can help with the following (please circle):

• Friday November 27th 7pm to 9pm - Grade 5/6 Party in Presentation Room.

• Friday 4th December 5pm to 6pm - Grade 1/2 Disco in School Stadium

• Friday 4th December 6.30pm to 8pm - Grade 3/4 Disco in School Stadium

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Spring Racing Ladies Afternoon in support of Muscular Dystrophy

You are invited to celebrate the Spring Racing Carnival in style at this premier ladies afternoon of indulgence including delicious Sparkling wine and canapés.

This is a fundraising event to raise money in support of the Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA).

We will be holding a raffle and auctioning a number of gift vouchers for local shops and other great prizes. You will also have the opportunity to meet some lovely ladies from our local community in a relaxing and enjoyable environment.

This is a perfect event for you to indulge with new and old friends and make a difference.

Date: Friday, 6 November 2015
Time: From 11:00 to 3 pm
Venue: 3 Sunrise Ave Torquay
Tickets: $35 (includes drinks and canapés)

Contact Mila on 0438058134 or email ladiesinracing5@gmail.com

Tickets can be purchased until 03 November 2015

Come and Try Balloon Football in Torquay

3 December International Day of People with a Disability

Balloon Football is a version of AFL that has been modified to suit the needs of people with a disability. Anyone can participate in this fun and competitive sport.

Community members are encouraged to come along, have a go at balloon football and learn more about joining a new or existing team as a player or volunteer.

The Benefits of Balloon Football
It’s loads of fun and you can meet new people. There are also many volunteering opportunities available, including scoring, coaching, umpiring, and supporting others on the court.

When: Thursday 3 December 12pm to 2:30pm
Where: Surf Coast Sport and Recreation Centre
77 Beach Road, Torquay 3228
Cost: This is a FREE ‘come and try’ event brought to you by Scope and Surf Coast Shire Council
Sausages and veggie burgers will be available before the game

Register your interest to try Balloon Football and find out more by contacting Kerri Deague before 17 November on the details below.

Please inform us of any support requirements that we may be able to assist with on the day.

Contact: Kerri Deague
03 5261 0591
0412 225026
kdeague@surfcoast.vic.gov.au

Mt Duneed Estate
Torquay Theatre Troupe Presents...

AWAY
by Michael Gow

Directed by Stacey Carmichael
Assisted by Simon Thorne

Nov 12, 13, 14, 20, 21, 26, 27, 28 @ 8pm
Nov 15 & 22 @ 2pm
16 Price St, Torquay
Adults $20/ Students & Conc. $17,
$1 booking fee per ticket

Tickets: Torquay Visitor Information Centre
Open 7 Days, Phone 5261 4219
www.ttt.org.au

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Grovedale Primary School
Cnr. Marshalltown Rd & Bailey St
“TWILIGHT FAIR”
This Friday November 6th
From 4 pm ‘til 8 pm.

Come along for a great evening of Fun & Entertainment

Fun Rides, Quality Market Stalls, Trash & Treasure, Face Painting, Lucky Dip, Silent Auctions, Food stalls, Live Entertainment including special guest Imogen Brough from ‘The Voice’

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Raising Confident and Respectful Sons
Transforming boys into gentlemen

The Regional Parenting Service, delivered by the City of Greater Geelong, together with Surfcoast Shire welcomes all dads, mums and those who support them to attend our FREE Parenting Forum to celebrate International Men’s Day 2015.

This forum will explore the essential conversations to have with your sons; how to create respectful relationships with others; how your beliefs and attitudes live on in your son. It will also explore core values of every functional relationship – trust, forgiveness, integrity, hope and compassion.

He’s waiting, He’s watching, He’ll listen.

We are delighted to partner with Andrew Fuller, a clinical psychologist, who works with many schools and communities in Australia and internationally, specialising in the wellbeing of young people and their families.

SESSION INFORMATION
THURSDAY 19 NOVEMBER
7:00 TO 8:30PM
Surfcoast Hotel (Wyndham Torquay)
100 The Esplanade, Torquay.
Light refreshments, tea and coffee provided.

EVENT REGISTRATION
RSVP by Friday 13 November 2015
to: huskies@geelongcity.vic.gov.au or
5272 4741.
Limited places available.

For more information contact Angela Baum on 5272 4816 or email: abaum@geelongcity.vic.gov.au

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GMHBA Health Insurance

Raising Happy and Resilient Girls seminar

As part of our Health Seminar Series, GMHBA is excited to present a free seminar by one of Australia’s highest profile Psychologists, Dr Michael Carr-Gregg.

Many Australian children and teenagers are experiencing serious mental health issues including mental illness, self-harming and suicide attempts.

Dr Michael Carr-Gregg’s ‘Raising Happy and Resilient Girls’ seminar will cover the latest research, highlighting the signs to look for and outlining some clear evidence based strategies for parents to utilise to build happy and resilient young people.

Session details
When: Thursday 26th November 2015
Time: 6:30pm for 7pm start
Where: The Pier, Cunningham Pier, Geelong

Light refreshments will be available prior to the seminar.

This seminar is available to GMHBA members as well as the wider community; you are welcome to register a friend or family member too.

Register Now

Registrations are limited and will close on Tuesday 17th November if not booked prior, so make sure you register soon.

If you have any other questions, we encourage you to contact us.
Your school's Carnival Book Fair will be arriving soon!

There will be lots and lots of books but here are the TOP 10

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You can prepay for these online at www.carnivalfairs.com.au
See over for instructions on how to do this

Carnival Fairs
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PO Box 525 Terrey Hills NSW 2084  E: info@carnivalfairs.com.au
W: www.carnivalfairs.com.au
ABN 11 001 896 840
How to prepay for Book Fair books

Go to the website www.carnivalfairs.com.au

- Click on the Parent Payment link in the top right corner
- Make your credit card payment and print out a receipt
- Give the receipt to your school along with the titles and quantities of the books you want
- Parents can also pay by filling in their credit card details on a Wish List
- Include this sheet and mark the books you want in the spaces provided
- If the books are in stock, the school will then give the books to your child
- If the books have sold out, the school will ask us to have them delivered to the school
- Fill in the details below so the school knows who the books are for

School: ..............................................................
Child’s First Name: ...........................................
Class: ...............................................................
Total CC Payment: ............................................
Date of Payment: ..............................................

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