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**Friday 5th September 2014**

**Principal’s Message 5.9.2014**

**House Athletics Sports**

Our best laid plans were tested this week with the House Athletics Sports being postponed from Tuesday to Friday after some inclement weather. I hope that all the children participated to the best of their ability today. The results will be published next week with the winning House receiving the shield at School Assembly on Monday afternoon. Thanks to the parents who assisted with events; your help was much appreciated.
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<td>Marley</td>
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<td>Agreements. Marley takes responsibility for his behaviour.</td>
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<td>Nathan</td>
<td>For displaying confidence and speed when telling the time to the minute.</td>
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<td>A fantastic effort.</td>
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<td>Michael</td>
<td>For a great start to your information report and some very interesting facts.</td>
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<td>For an excellent effort on your information report! You always take great</td>
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<td>5/6S</td>
<td>Micaela</td>
<td>For always putting in your best effort to all that you undertake! Keep up</td>
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**NAPLAN RESULTS**

The student results for NAPLAN have arrived and will be distributed to all Year 3 and Year 5 children who completed the tests. Parents are asked to pick up the results personally from the office. Any results not picked up by Friday will be mailed to parents as requested by the Department of Education.

**NEW ENROLMENT**

It is with pleasure that I inform everyone that we have three children newly enrolled at Upwey Primary School. We welcomed the Huaraka family this week with parents Sandile and Sarah emigrating from England. Thulani is in Year 6 (Grade 5/6S), Amahle is in Year 4 (Grade 3/4G) and Sicelo is in Year 1 (P/1C). Please make them feel welcome if you meet them and make them feel like part of the school community as quickly as possible.

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Sicelo  
Amahle  
Thulani
INFORMATIVE WRITING
In the classrooms we are concentrating on Informative Writing for this term and children are currently completing their own draft and good copy which will be displayed in the office foyer during the last week of Term 3. Each grade will have a display board with every child’s work on display for the school community to appreciate. This will be a great opportunity to see the curriculum work the children are completing in the classrooms and observe the amazing efforts that are being shown by our children. Please take time to have a look during the last week of Term 3.

STUDENT BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS
I would like to ensure parents are aware that any Grade distribution to celebrate a child’s birthday should be “run by” and approved by the classroom teacher to ensure school requirements are being met before handing out any treats such as birthday cakes or similar. Some items may be inappropriate in certain circumstances and ingredients will need to be notified to the class teacher to ensure safety in regard to possible allergies, although I realise that most children are very attentive to this as we do have children with anaphylaxis, and their safety is paramount. Please follow these guidelines if you are thinking about celebrating your child’s birthday by sharing with the class in this manner.

FATHER’S DAY STALL
Our wonderful PA/Fundraising Committee once again did a magnificent job in organising the Father’s Day Stall to-day. Children had a quite a selection and I hope the dads and grandpas enjoy receiving any gifts this weekend. A great effort by the children with particular mention to Thulani H for such a great effort on her first day at Upwey PSI!

DISTRICT ATHLETICS – TUESDAY 9TH SEPTEMBER
The District Athletics Sports will be held at Knox Athletics Track on Tuesday 9th September. Children in 3/4G and 5/6R are reminded to return permission forms by Monday 8th at the latest in anticipation of the final team being selected on Monday due to the postponement of the House Aths Sports. Payment can come at a later time but the permission notice will be required in order to attend the events.

HOOPTIME BASKETBALL FINALS
Our Upwey Warriors Team (Year 3 & 5 children) will be participating in the finals at Kilsyth Basketball Centre on Friday 10th October (first Friday in Term 4). Sue M will be supervising the team after organising all the events at the Knox Stadium. Good luck to the team in the finals.

UPCOMING EVENTS & EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

YEAR 3/4 LOG CABIN LODGE CAMP
The Year 3/4 Camp to the Log Cabin Ranch at Monbulk is fast approaching and will be held from Wednesday 10th to Friday 12th September, next week! Forms and clothing lists have been distributed and must be returned with payment by today, if not already completed. The final cost is $230. Miss Weatherlake, Sue Maxwell and I will be the staff attending with Sandra attending for part of the time. Thanks to the many parents who have volunteered to assist with transport. I will contact you regarding requirements soon to confirm assistance either travelling to or from the camp.

Mrs Eeles will be deputising for me in my absence from school during the days of the Year 3 & 4 Camp.

SWIMMING PROGRAM 2014
Our Swimming Program will be held from Thursday 7th November until Friday 14th November at the Belgrave Outdoor Pool. It will be a 7 day intensive program to be held in the morning. The cost is anticipated to be $80 including train transport, pool entry and lessons. Parents are still invited to pay instalments if your child will be attending the lessons. Full details and permission will be distributed before the end of term.

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<td>= Kiana G &amp; Rhiannon M</td>
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<td>Hannah B</td>
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<td>Jeremy N</td>
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<td>Laura G</td>
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<td>Sam H</td>
<td>Brock H</td>
<td>Robbie F-R</td>
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PASSIONS 2014 PROGRAM
I am still seeking parent/community helpers for the Passions 2014 which will be run during Term 4. The anticipated dates will be Tuesday 21st October, Tuesday 11th, Tuesday 18th and Tuesday 25th November from 2 to 3:30 pm. Whatever your passion please let me know so that children will have a large selection of activities from which to choose. Thanks to those who volunteered this week. Your names have been added to the list. I will just need to know what activity will be completed by all those involved and we will be ready for children to select. I am anticipating final details to be organised in the last week of Term 3.

PLANNING WEEK – Monday 15th to Thursday 18th September
There will be no scheduled Specialist Lessons for grades in Art/Craft, Music and Physical Education during the last week of term as this will be a Planning Week for teachers. During planning sessions grades will be taken by specialist teachers or relieving staff in classrooms but individual teachers may still have the children participate in Art, Music or PE activities.
Grade 2E and Prep/1C will be having planning time on Wednesday 17th September from 9am – 1 pm.
Grade 3/4G and Grade 5/6S will be having planning time on Tuesday 16th September from 9am – 1 pm.
Mrs Hickey will have Performing Arts/Music planning time on Tuesday afternoon.
Mrs Kittredge will have Art planning time on Wednesday morning.

REMINDERS
KAY’S ON LEAVE
Kay will continue with her Long Service Leave next week with Cindy and Sue C making up the extra time. I am sure she had a great time in Bali and is resting up in anticipation of her return on Monday 15th September. I would like to thank Cindy and Sue for their excellent work in completing all office tasks during Kay’s absence and providing great support for me.

DANDENONG RANGES SECONDARY SHOWCASE
This inaugural event to showcase the secondary schools in the Dandenong Ranges Network has been specially organised for parents/children in Years 3-6 considering schools in the future. This is a great opportunity to find out plenty about the schools as they provide information on their programs.
When: Wednesday 10th September 7.00pm to 8.30pm
Where: Burrinja Cultural Centre, 351 Glenfern Road Upwey
Guest Speaker: Elida Brereton
Ex Principal Camberwell High School and Principal of Summer Heights High TV series
GRADE 2E PARENT/TEACHER INTERVIEWS
Final Chance: Due to her absence Mrs Eeles was unable to complete parent/teacher interviews at the end of Term 2 so she will be completing the interviews at the end of Term 3 instead. Parents/Guardians of children in Grade 2E should have received the timetable for interview.
Response forms indicating parent priority times must now be returned to Mrs Eeles (if not done so already) by Wednesday 10th September and a confirmation slip will follow. The interviews are scheduled for Monday 15th, Wednesday 17th and Thursday 18th September.

SCHOOL PRODUCTION 2014
Work continues in full swing for the production of “Kids At Sea” with all grades improving their singing for the whole school production at the beginning of Term 4 (Thursday 16th October at Berrinja Theatre). The Year 5 & 6 children have continued working on the script and learning their lines for particular roles as well as working out transitions and providing dance assistance and choreography.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION
MRS EELES RETURN TO FULL TIME DUTIES
Mrs Eeles is now out of the cam boot and into her own shoes with progress on her broken foot continuing well. She will attend physiotherapy sessions on Monday afternoons for the next two weeks, but otherwise is back to full time duties.

ENROLMENTS FOR 2015
Now is the time to be organising enrolments for Prep in 2015. Enrolment forms are now available from the office.

THINKING OUTSIDE THE BOX PROGRAM
Upwey PS continues to host the Gifted & Talented Thinking Outside the Box Program for children attending local schools. The programs run by Penny Willoughby and Rhonda Ooi have been held on Tuesdays and Thursdays in the Technology Room with completion dates this week and next week.

OUR 7 AGREEMENTS – FOCUS AREA
This will be the final week that the school and teachers continue to focus on highlighting ATTENTIVE LISTENING as one of Our 7 Tribes Agreements which provide the basis for our value system at Upwey Primary School and what is important to us as members of a wider community. Please support us in encouraging children to understand and follow ideals of ATTENTIVE LISTENING.

What is Attentive Listening? Listening with your ears, mind and heart.
• Listen to take in and follow instructions
Listen to process information for questions and consider action to follow.

INFLUENZA TYPE A
We have had a confirmed case of Influenza Type A at our school. Parents please be alert to any symptoms and alert the school if your child is diagnosed with this virus.
Malcolm Aspinall
Principal

FOOTY DAY
Thursday 19th September
Order form is attached.

TERM 4 SHOPPING TOUR
Saturday 8th November $60
Includes 2 course lunch, glass of wine
Morning Tea,
10 Fabulous Outlets
GREAT FUN DAY WITH AN
AWESOME BUNCH OF GIRLS

SCHOOL DISCO
Date TBA
A huge thank you to Kelly W for making and creating some of the lovely Father’s Day Gifts.
You’re amazing!!!!!!
Hi all.
A reminder that the end of term is fast approaching which means an early finish at school. If after school care is needed on Friday 19th September please book ASAP so I can plan an outstanding end of term party.

Here’s what’s on next week.

**MONDAY**- Crayon resist. Drawings in crayon & painting over the top to create a beautiful picture.

**TUESDAY**- Salt dough sculptures. Build, bake & decorate!

**WEDNESDAY**- Games outside (weather permitting)

**THURSDAY**- Foil etchings. Paint and scratch to bring up a silver picture.

**FRIDAY**- Free play and games.

Have a great weekend & see you Monday.

Sam.

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**Before & After School Care**

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**Happy Birthday**

5th - 12th Sept

Kay G

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Thank you for our yummy Chocolate balls made with
Love from our Playgroup Children
Mount Medical Clinic

1592 Burwood Hwy, Belgrave, Vic 3160

Monday – Friday 8.30am – 9.00pm
Saturday 9.00am – 5.00pm

Bulk billing available for children under 16, Pensioners & Healthcare card Holders
Child Psychologist now available!
Providing Assessments & Counselling
Service For Children between 4-14 years
Mount Medical Clinic-BELGRAVE 82881350, www.mountmedical.com.au

Dandenong Ranges Secondary Showcase

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351 Glenfern Road Upwey

Guest Speaker: Eldis Berretta
Ex Principal Camberwell High School and Principal of Summer Heights High TV series

Showcasing the range of educational opportunities available at Government Secondary Schools in the Dandenong Ranges Network

Families with students in Grades 3-6 are cordially invited along!

www.mountmedical.com.au

FREE TENNIS LESSONS...
St John’s Tennis Club

Ferntree Gully is offering a free trial lesson for all new children. The weather is improving, so come and give tennis a try!

Times are available during the school term, and during the school holidays.

Please contact Todd Scouller to organize your free lesson.
Phone: 0412 446 642
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8 WEEK BODY TRANSFORMATION CHALLENGE

TRANSFORM YOUR BODY IN JUST 8 WEEKS

STARTS MONDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER

WHAT’S INCLUDED:
- Assessments at weeks 1, 4 & 8
- Fertility weight loss
- Unlimited access to all five 60 minute fitness sessions per week (times and locations to be confirmed)
- Body Transformation Challenge 1 or 2
- ActiveFit Goody Bag
- Personalised nutrition plan, information & diet advice
- Group Nutrition Seminar (1 hour)
- Group Fitness
- Private Facebook support group
- Ongoing advice & support
- Body Transformation winner receives a Rebel gift voucher

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OSTCare 4 KIDS

September Holiday Program
22nd Sep to 3rd Oct 2014

Belgrave

GREAT VALUE!!!!
14 sessions a week to choose from!
Morning & Evening classes to suit your timetable
Enrol now!!
Call Lisa on 0417 137 287 or
Email lisa@iprimus.com.au

Casual classes also available. Call for info!
Endorphins Mobile Personal Training
22 Kitchener Rd Tecoma 3160

*Cardio Blast
*Ab Smasher
*Tabata
*Bootcamp
*Box/Body Weight
*Power Bar
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Want the chance to shop direct at Mattel?

Stock up on Christmas and birthday presents at greatly reduced prices. Also a great way to prepare for all the parties the kids attend next year.

Tuesday 14th October
3pm—7pm

or

Saturday 13th December
9.00am—10.30am

Tickets $7 each or get both dates for $10

Available from school office
(Shop is located at Demmitt Near Hoppers Crossing)

“BELLS OF PEACE”

The Bells of Peace is a concert project to tell the story of ANZAC from a local perspective, including: a new composition for Chorus and Concert Band by Brian Hogg, community singing of WW1 songs, stories from local communities and Dame Nellie Melba’s role. Come and tell your story! Information on www.drmc.org.au and DRMC Facebook page.

We need you at the Casey ANZAC Centenary Project Launch by Hon Tony Smith MP.

Are you a Singer, Historian, Musician, Dancer, Descendant of an ANZAC, CWA, RSL? We need your stories, letters and photos from WW1.

Sunday 5th October 2014
Mt Evelyn RSL Hall 2pm.
49 Birmingham Rd Mt Evelyn

Performances in April 2015

The “Belts Of Peace” project is supported by the Australian Government ANZAC Centenary Local Grants Program. Dandenong Ranges Music Council is proud to be in partnership with Yarra Ranges Council.

Chi Generation Tai Chi
Minutes 9:30 Evening 6:30
Beldraye, Upwey Sassafras Silvan
0417 949 919
please call Su for details

Mental Health Foundation of Australia (Victoria)

Overcoming Anxiety

Dr Christopher Mogan PhD
Director of the Anxiety Clinic, Melbourne

Dr Mogan is the Director of the Anxiety Clinic, a specialist Clinical Psychology practice that provides contemporary treatments for common presentations of anxiety, especially social and panic disorders, obsessive compulsive disorder and eating disorders. The clinic is also at the forefront of research that provides innovative and profound treatments that are evidence based and effective.

In this session, Dr. Mogan will outline the Australian and New Zealand Editions of the first edition of the "Overcoming Anxiety" book, the foundation of the clinic. Definitions that describe normality in a wide range of symptoms from anxiety, panic and obsession to help you identify your problems and disorders and intervene. Dr. Mogan is the co-author of the co-authored revised two editions, and will provide an overview of the book and related treatment approaches to the book. The practical book is designed as a self-help workbook for overcoming anxiety.

Over 2 Sep 2014 — 7:30 PM — 9:30 PM
The Melbourne Clinic
241 Hoddle Street, Richmond
Richmond VIC 3121
Garler@anxcli-Menttal Health Foundation of Australia (Victoria)
FOOTY DAY

On Thursday September 18th, we will be having a ‘footy day’ at school.

We would like to see all the children come to school dressed in their favourite AFL team colours or other sporting code colours.

In keeping with the footy theme, PA will be organizing a ‘footy lunch’. There will be 4 different lunch packs available.

Please fill out the order form and return it to the office NO LATER THAN FRIDAY 12TH SEPTEMBER.

NAME …………………………………………... $5.00
Pie / Pastie / Hot Dog / Sausage Roll
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1 cinnamon donut

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