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Dear Parents,

### Anzac Day

This Term all classes have focussed on various aspects associated with Anzac Day. Children have had the opportunity to explore feelings and emotions via Anzac art. Children have made Anzac biscuits & poppies from clay and written letters as if they were an Anzac soldier. We were fortunate to have an Anzac case from the War Memorial where children were able to wear a soldier's uniform, handle coins and war medals and other artefacts from World War 1.



Last Monday all of the students gathered to commemorate ANZAC Day. The ceremony was led by our Student Representative Council and I wish to thank them and to congratulate them on a job well done. Our thanks also to Marie and Patrick Gamwell who prepared the service. We remember all of our service men and women who gave so much for our country and especially those who paid the ultimate sacrifice. **Lest We Forget.**

### Term Overviews

Term 2 overviews are on the classroom blogs. Please look at your child's classroom blog to find out what learning your child will be involved in together with important school dates and events.

**THERE WILL BE NO SCHOOL FOR CHILDREN NEXT WEDNESDAY.  
ALL STAFF WILL BE COMPLETING THEIR FIRST AID TRAINING.**

In addition to being our Deputy Principal, Marie Gamwell is also our Student Well-being Leader. Marie has prepared an excellent brochure about Bullying which has been sent home today. Please read the brochure and talk to our staff if you have concerns about bullying or want to know more about this issue.

## GRADE 5 & 6 CAMP

This week our Grade 5 & 6 students have been on Camp at Anglesea.

I wish to thank Tanielle- Marie Pereira and Frank Stosic for organising the camp and accompanying the children.

Our thanks also to Frankie Brekalo, Matthew McLeod, Ana Quach and Khiem Vu who have been the parent helpers at the camp.

## ALBION COMMUNITY DAY AND RALLY FOR TRAFFIC LIGHTS

This Sunday the Albion Action group in conjunction with the Albion and Ardeer Community Club Inc. will be holding a Community Day at Selwyn Park at the Albion Eco-Living Centre. There will be music, food and activities for the kids. The event starts at 2.00 p.m. and finishes at 5.00 p.m.

AT 1.30 ON SUNDAY THERE WILL ALSO BE A RALLY TO TRY AND GET VICROADS TO INSTALL TRAFFIC LIGHTS AT THE CORNER OF PERTH AVE AND BALLARAT RD. MEET AT THE PERTH AVE SHAOPS AT 1.30 P.M.

## CHILD SAFETY

Please be aware that our school's child safety policies and practices are published on our school website.

*Happy Birthday this week to Fr Barry, Sam Restall and Dot Chats.*

## INTER-SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY RUNNING HAS BEEN RE-SCHEDULED TO FRIDAY THE 5<sup>TH</sup> OF MAY

Farewell and Good Luck to Jessica Mamistvalov as she commences maternity leave tomorrow.

**CYBER SAFETY INFORMATION NIGHT AT SCHOOL ON TUESDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> OF MAY. 6 p.m. – 7 p.m.**

## Parish Mass Times:

Monday:	
Tuesday:	
Wednesday:	9.00 am Queen of Heaven 10.30am Mother of God. (Polish)
Thursday:	9.00am Mother of God.
Friday:	9.00am Albion 6.00pm (Polish, Mother of God)
Saturday:	6.00pm (Vigil) Mother of God.
Sunday:	10.30am Albion 9.00am Mother of God, (Polish). 9.00am Queen of Heaven.

## DATES AND EVENTS

### April

26<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> Gr 5 & 6 Camp

### May

3<sup>rd</sup> No School – Staff P.D

9<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> NAPLAN testing

9<sup>th</sup> Cyber Safety Info Night

10<sup>th</sup> Advisory Board Meeting

12<sup>th</sup> Mothers' Day Mass

12<sup>th</sup> High Tea for Mothers 11.30 a.m.

14<sup>th</sup> Mothers' Day

17<sup>th</sup> Confirmation preparation day

22<sup>nd</sup> Bishop Curtain to visit Grade 6 students

26<sup>th</sup> Confirmation

### June

12<sup>th</sup> Public Holiday – No School

23<sup>rd</sup> Reports

28<sup>th</sup> Parent/Teacher Interviews

30<sup>th</sup> End of Term 2 at 1.30 p.m.

SCHOOL PHOTOS WILL NOW BE TAKEN ON WEDNESDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> OF JUNE

*Tickets for the Mothers' High Tea to be held on the 12<sup>th</sup> of May are on sale in the foyer of the school at drop off and pick up times. All mums, grand mums and aunts welcome.*

*Have a great weekend.*

*Yours sincerely,*

*Robert Macklin  
Principal*