FROM THE PRINCIPAL

WELCOME BACK
It has been a positive start to Term 3 and I look forward to an enjoyable and rewarding 10 weeks for the students and staff.

Term 3 Events
Classroom teachers have been busily preparing their programs in light of the upcoming Olympics and other areas of focus.

Units of Work to be covered this term include:
Olympics (Prep – 6)
Grade Prep & 1 (Science & Discovery)
Grade 2 (Countries of the World)
Grade 3-6 (Bushrangers)

School Production: We were fortunate enough to receive funding through the Long Gully Neighbourhood Centre and their Bushfire Microgrant Grants. It will assist the school with the various costs associated with a school production. The staff are now preparing and planning for the production. Further information regarding the production will be made available as the need arises.

Webpage: Our webpage will be upgraded shortly and hopefully the changes made to the site will make it even more user friendly.

PA System: During the school break we had a new PA system installed. The PA system should ensure improved communication throughout the school and with as little disruption to classroom programs as possible. The PA system also ensures we have an emergency management system which is fast and effective.

School Sports: A busy term with the Interschool football and netball carnivals occurring next week. Later in the term we have a basketball tournament, athletics and an AFL 9’s event.

Camp: The Grade 3-6 camp to Harrietville is occurring in the second last week of term and from all accounts should be a memorable and exciting occasion for all involved.

‘GOOD PUD’ LUNCHES
Good Pud lunches will no longer be available from the beginning of Term 3. I would like to thank Judy and Keith for providing the lunch service during 2011 and 2012.

HEAD LICE
We have received a report of a child having head lice, we would like to take this opportunity to remind parents to check their child’s hair for head lice regularly.
PARENT OPINION SURVEY
The 2012 Parent Opinion Survey is to be conducted statewide from Monday 30th July through to Friday 3rd August. A random sample list of 40 families is generated through our CASES21 administrative system and these families will be forwarded the surveys. If you are one of the fortunate parents to receive a survey it is extremely important the survey is completed and returned to school. The more surveys returned the more reliable the results will be. The Department of Education and Early Childhood Development compiles the results which we will then analyse and use to inform and direct our plans for school improvement.

SCHOOL FEES
The Education Tax Refund (Schoolkids Bonus) has recently been forwarded to all eligible families. I would like to acknowledge and thank all of the families who have paid the school fees. Families who have paid the fees assist the school to meet its budget requirements and provide all of the students with the resources required to give them the best educational opportunities. If you have still not paid your fees or have been paying instalments the due date for the final payment is August 3rd.

Jason Lee
Principal

School Calendar

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School Assembly starts at 8.55 a.m. Please be on time!
OUTSIDE SCHOOL HOURS CARE

New families are always welcome to come and join in with our fun activities. Some of our activities include cooking, arts/crafts, computers and indoor & outdoor games.

Our mobile phone number is 0427-338-776.

If you would like to book your child into After School Care, please do not forget to obtain an enrolment form from the school office and return it (completed) as soon as possible.

If your child is not going to be in on the day they are usually booked in please let the school office know as soon as you know.

Accounts for Outside School Hours Care are posted to the families home fortnightly, each account is stamped with a date that indicates when it is due to be paid by, it would be appreciated if all outstanding accounts were paid by the due date.

Mrs. Paton

HEALTHY LIVING

A GREAT WAY TO START THE DAY!

Don’t let children skip breakfast

- Children who skip breakfast generally have below average nutrition
- Their diets contain less calcium, iron, dietary fibre and other vitamins
- They will have a poorer concentration level throughout the day at school
- They will have a slower metabolism throughout the day and;
- Less energy to work and play.

Easy ideas:

- Fresh or tinned fruit (in natural juice) with wholegrain breakfast cereal and low fat milk.
- Toast with cheese and tomato, or banana.
- Boiled eggs with finger wholegrain toast.
- Rolled oats with sultanas and low fat milk. Toast with a thin spread of margarine (polyunsaturated or monounsaturated)
- Baked beans on toast
- Tub low fat yoghurt and fresh or tinned fruit

If you are in a real rush, at least send them through the door with a piece of fruit or a slice of toast in their hand and a hot milk drink.

SCHOOL CAMP - Wednesday September 12th to Friday September 14th 2012

The Grade 3 to 6 School Camp to Harrietville is fast approaching. To ensure that we have given the camp directors correct numbers and assist in our planning we need all camp payments to be finalised by Friday August 3rd.

If you are not sure how much money is owing on your child’s school camp please check with Nicole in the office.

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Parents’ Club Meeting
The next meeting of the Parents’ Club will now be Friday August 3rd, after assembly in the school conference room - opposite the office. All are welcome to attend.

Lunch Order
Parent’s Club are offering lunches next Tuesday, July 24th. On the menu is Dim Sims. All orders and correct money need to be returned to school no later than **9.30 a.m. on Friday July 20th.**

PLAYGROUP
Tuesdays and Thursdays 10.00 a.m. - 12.00 p.m. in the Outside School Hours Care room.
The next Playgroup sessions will be Tuesday July 24th and Thursday July 26th. Please bring along a healthy snack and drink. All Welcome! **On Tuesday July 26th the Playgroup will be going to The Fun Factory.**

We always try to encourage the healthy eating and SunSmart messages that are taught to our students at school, to provide a great foundation for our future students.

Join us on Facebook: [www.facebook/calgullyplaygroup1](http://www.facebook/calgullyplaygroup1)
Congratulations to the following students on being named Student of The Week for their positive attitude to school and social values.

**Friday June 29th**

**Prep/1 Christian:**
- Zaccari B. - For great skipping technique. You’re a little jumping bean.
- Elycia M. - For being a happy, friendly member of Prep/1 C.

**Prep/1 Peacock:**
- Tyson B. - For excellent efforts in reading groups. Wonderful fluent reading.
- Molly F. - For consistent practice of Ring Words. Keep up the good efforts in Term 3.
- Lily G. - For always putting in her best effort and working well in Reading Recovery.

**3/4 Hartney:**
- James H. - For always being caring and co-operative.
- Casey O’N. - For doing great work with his storywriting.

**5/6 Ennor:**
- Alex H. - For working well in all class activities.
- Madeline N. - For working well in all class activities.

**5/6 McKerrow:**
- Makalah K-K. - For helping classmates with computers.
- Tamika M. - For completing her Premiers’ Reading Challenge.

**5/6 Windridge:**
- Riley B. - For working well on his “Ultimate Story”.
- Skylah R. - For completing the Premiers’ Reading Challenge.

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**Goodstart Early Learning Flora Hill Car park fete**

Plenty of stalls with lots of bargains

**When:** Saturday 4th of August 2012

**Time:** 11am-3pm

**Where:** 32 Sommerville Street

Flora Hill (Centre Car park)

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LEADERS BOARD
Jeanette T.  
Gen O’S.  
Murray T.  
Craig G.  
Taylah P.  
Harry G.  
Bob T.  
Hartland Family  
Cody B.  

ALTERNATIVE LEADERS BOARD
Ella S.  
Callum G.  
Susan C.  
Keeley G.  
Brodie H.  
Phoenix P.  
Balke B.  
Mason F.  

CELEBRITY TIPSTER ROUND 17 - Kiara A.
Essendon will follow up their win last week with another win over Geelong at Etihad on Friday night.
The MCG will be the scene of a very close game but will see win for Collingwood over Hawthorn.
Adelaide may be the slightly stronger team, but will lose to West Coast.
This game will be close after Gold Coast won their game last week by two points but the winner will be Brisbane.
Western Bulldogs will not be quite good enough, Carlton will play a good strong game on Saturday.
Melbourne are going to play better than they have in a while and will have a win over Port Adelaide.
Sydney will have a surprising loss to St. Kilda particularly since the game is at the SCG.
They will want to fight back after last weeks 2 point loss, Richmond will beat North Melbourne.
Fremantle will have an easy win this weekend, they are only playing a game of “keepings off” against Greater Western Sydney.
COMMUNITY NOTICES

Coles Sports for Schools is Back! We are once again participating in the —Coles Sports for Schools program. If you shop at Coles please collect the vouchers at the check-out and hand to Miss Ennor in the Grade 5/6 room. If your neighbours, brothers, sisters, aunts, uncles, grandparents or anyone else shops at Coles get them to collect the vouchers also. Vouchers are available at Coles, Coles Online, BI-LO or Pick ‘n’ Pay stores and will be available from June 13th until August 14th.

Don’t forget to look for bonus products throughout the program where you can boost your voucher tally by earning 1 voucher for every Bonus Voucher marked product.

So far we have collected over 1390 Coles Sports for Schools vouchers, these vouchers will help us to choose some great new sporting equipment at the end of the collection period.

It’s back and easier than ever to participate and get valuable resources for our school!

From now until August 12th 2012, you can collect stickers at Woolworths that go towards Earn & Learn points. For every $10 you spend at Woolworths (excluding the purchase of tobacco, liquor and gift cards), you will receive a sticker. These stickers can then be given to your children to collect on a special sticker card (there is another card attached to this Bell Topper). Once it is completed, they can simply bring it back here to school Woolworths collection box situated in the school office. If you would like more sticker cards please just ask at the office.

The more points we earn, the more we can redeem from a choice of over 7,000 educational resources including mathematics and English resources, art & crafts materials and much, much more!

We are grateful for your support and look forward to a successful program.

So far we have earned 7,088 Woolworths Earn and Learn points, these points will help us to choose some fantastic educational resources. Last year we only earned 3720 points, so we are well on our way to doubling last years points.

Just four weeks to go.

You only have about four weeks to earn valuable resources for your children, including art supplies, books, musical instruments, construction and much more. So log onto your Earn & Learn account at www.teaching.com.au and make sure you update your sticker tally using the Earn & Learn barometer and you’ll have a much better idea of the great things you can get for your school.

Get double the stickers.

From Wednesday the 18th - 24th July, you will get double the amount of stickers by just spending $10 or more and including at least one Kelloggs, Dairy Farmers, Be Natural, Pura or Berri product in your basket.

The school is registered for the Paul’s “Collect-a-Cap” program. Please keep collecting from friends, family and neighbours the specially marked caps from Paul’s milk bottles. Washed Paul’s “Collect-a-Caps“ can be handed into the office.

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BOLD is hosting another essential evening for those still searching for answers by investigating another poorly understood disorder. We are continuing after the success of 'The Missing Piece - Sensory Processing Disorder' with a seminar on:

**Beating Procrastination**

*A modern day malaise*

Presented by

**Jim Young**

Senior Counsellor and Cognitive Behavioural Therapist at La Trobe University

As parents do you have **QUESTIONS** about your child's behaviour - do they have problems in getting going, organisation, management, delaying, diverting attention, lack of energy and focus?

Teachers are you **CONCERNED** about student concentration/organisation, self-management, confusion, lack of focus and energy?

If so, then **YOU REALLY NEED TO ATTEND**. You will learn about what can go wrong with our initiative, motivation, self concept and confidence and how this then impacts on children’s lives and parent’s lives and how to develop strategies to modify the behaviours and work habits.

**When:** Tuesday 7 August 2012

**Time:** Arrive 7pm for a 7.30 start

**Where:** Catholic Education Centre, 120 Hargreaves St Bendigo.

**Cost:**
- $10 - Families /Tertiary Students
- $35 - Professionals
- $30 per staff member from a rural school /5 or more from an organisation

**BOOKING is ESSENTIAL.** Complete the registration form located at [www.bold.org.au](http://www.bold.org.au)

Enquiries: email info@bold.org.au or contact Peter on 0488180299; Booking: Rachael Wells 5434 3922

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The Bendigo Library is about to begin a new chapter of its life with a major refurbishment. To enable these works to happen, services will be unavailable at Bendigo Library for three weeks from August 27.

From Monday, September 17, services will commence at our temporary library at 96-98 Pall Mall Bendigo (former Bendigo Advertiser site) until building works are completed in early 2014. Library services will continue as usual at Kangaroo Flat, Eaglehawk and Castlemaine during this time.

For more information phone: 5449 2700 or visit [www.ncgrl.vic.gov.au](http://www.ncgrl.vic.gov.au)

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**NIT WIZ head lice salon, 942 Wellington Way Strathfieldsaye, across from IGA complex, opening this week All natural products!**

Call Nicole on 0418352550 for information and bookings.

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