From the Principal.....

With just a little over a week to go until the Term 3 holiday break, it’s a good time to reflect on the wonderful things we’ve done this term. Our Life Education program was, again, an informative and engaging program for our students, our students rocked out at our school disco, our gorgeous Preps celebrated their 100th day of Prep, our whole school House Athletics Carnival was successful and a lot of fun, and our parents had the opportunity to celebrate their children’s achievements at our 3-way Progress Meetings. We have welcomed many children and their families to our very successful Kindy Time sessions and School Tours, our Family Science Night was extremely popular with a huge attendance, our Art Exhibition was equally as successful, and our Bloke’s Night In brought our community of dads, step-dads, grandfathers and mates together for a fun evening. Our Year 4-6 students competed well at the District Athletics Carnival, with some students placing to attend the Zone Athletics Carnival next term. Our fantastic Parents & Friends Team have worked tirelessly again this term to provide a very popular disco and fabulous Father’s Day Stall for our students. Our Year 3-4 students (and staff) are eagerly looking forward to Marysville Sustainability Camp tomorrow and Friday, we are looking forward to our Prep-2 production of “The Witches Party” next Tuesday, and we finish up with our Footy Dress Up on the last day of term. Wow! Our students are certainly provided with a variety of different opportunities at Bundoora Primary School. I’d like to thank our wonderful students, dedicated staff, and very committed parents for their successes so far this year.

Our Athletics Team participated extremely well last Tuesday at the District Athletics Carnival held at the Meadowglen Athletics Track. There are 15 students who made it through to the next stage of competition, who will represent Bundoora Primary School at the Zone Athletics Carnival early in Term 4. Thank you to the many parents and grandparents who went along to cheer our students through their events. Also, big thanks to Ms Arnell for coordinating this event and to our staff who supervised the day.

Our Art Exhibition was a huge success and we are all delighted with the number of families who attended. I’m sure you’ll all agree that the artwork created by our students this year, under the guidance of Mrs Rhodes, is outstanding. Our Art Show Choir performed beautifully to our audience, supported wonderfully by Mrs Newell. Jaycob Campbell, our supportive Auslan teacher, opened our event with some very kind words about how our students have embraced Auslan as our LOTE, describing how impressed he has been watching our students pick up the language so quickly.

Letters were sent out earlier this week regarding our 2016 Prep transition/orientation sessions which will be held next term. If you have a child who you intend to enrol at our school in Prep next year (or know someone who does) please forward an enrolment form to our office as soon as possible.

We hope to see many families come along to our Working Bee this Sunday from 8.30am. There are a variety of small odd jobs, painting and general gardening/weeding that need to be done. The more helpers, the quicker we’ll get through the jobs and enjoy a BBQ when we’re finished. If you can spare any time on Sunday, even if for just an hour or two, it would be greatly appreciated. Please advise our office if you are able to come along by phone or email here or complete the eForm on our School App.

A reminder to all parents and students that as of next Term, we will be trialling new days in our Canteen. Our Canteen will open on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday each week for Term 4.

A reminder to all parents that the Bundoora Secondary College car park is not to be used by any of our primary school families. Unfortunately, there are still parents who park in this car park.

Enjoy your week, Lee Pollard.
Did you miss our Monday morning Assembly?

- School Athletics information
- Men’s Night In – Great Night!
- Year 3/4 Camp information
- Performance by students
- The Witches Party coming up
- Piper Man Show coming up

...and further reports from our Captains, House Captains reporting on their chosen Value of the week, Birthdays & our School Song.

Pupil of the Week for the week ending: 4th September 2015

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<td>For showing outstanding enthusiasm towards his learning.</td>
<td>John</td>
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<td>For displaying great compassion when assisting some younger students who were upset in the playground.</td>
<td>Mitchell</td>
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<td>4/5N</td>
<td>For her excellent efforts during reading comprehension.</td>
<td>Sienna</td>
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<td>For always striving for excellence in all that you do and for consistently creating well presented work.</td>
<td>Jesslyn</td>
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<td>3/4M</td>
<td>For being a great friend to others in the class.</td>
<td>Swechhya</td>
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<td>1/2T</td>
<td>For always working your hardest during writing groups.</td>
<td>Maksim</td>
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<td>1/2S</td>
<td>For always doing your very best in all you do and for being such a caring and kind class member.</td>
<td>Jade</td>
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<td>1/2N</td>
<td>For your excellent efforts in Reading Groups and always doing your best!</td>
<td>Isra, Madi &amp; Richard</td>
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<td>For applying your reading strategies to new words.</td>
<td>Eve</td>
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<td>For learning the o’clock times so quickly and helping others learn to tell the time.</td>
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<td>For demonstrating an excellent understanding of how to save water.</td>
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<td>Visual Arts</td>
<td>For always showing beautiful manners and a willingness to learn. You are an absolute delight to teach. Congratulations! And For being so helpful and considerate in helping to set up for our Art Show.</td>
<td>Brandon and Ben</td>
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<td>Phys. Ed</td>
<td>For displaying your understanding of the rules of rugby during a class game.</td>
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<td>For your outstanding performance and original song in the videoing of our band project. They were so focussed all term and their enthusiasm has produced a brilliant song they can be proud of. Well done rock stars!</td>
<td>Mitchell, Mitchell &amp; Zak</td>
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<td>Your great effort remembering your sounds. Well done!</td>
<td>Darcy</td>
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<td>For signing so beautifully. You are an Auslan star!</td>
<td>Dania</td>
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<td>Auslan</td>
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<td>For always upholding our school values and leading by example.</td>
<td>Adyan</td>
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<td>For working very well on his environmental project. Well Done!</td>
<td>Matthew</td>
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<td>For reading so well and correcting his mistakes during Daily 5 to the teachers.</td>
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<td>For your great participation in class discussions. Keep it up!</td>
<td>Kristian</td>
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<td>For striving for excellence in Maths this week to improve your time telling. Great work!</td>
<td>Kimberly</td>
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<td>For always displaying a positive attitude towards all learning tasks.</td>
<td>Kiera</td>
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<td>For persevering with your writing and having a go with spelling words within your writing piece.</td>
<td>Jenna</td>
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<td>For demonstrating school values of resilience and co-operation. Well Done!</td>
<td>Bixie</td>
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<td>For your amazing reading skills. You are a sat at summarising the text!</td>
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<td>For beautiful manners and taking responsibility for her actions.</td>
<td>Zoi</td>
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<td>For your excellent understanding of how water is used and where it comes from.</td>
<td>Jessica</td>
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<td>For such a helpful and considerate student this week, You have been a wonderful role model. Thank you!</td>
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<td>For improving his catching technique. Keep it up!</td>
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<td>For your excellent effort with finger spelling. Congratulations, you are an AUSLAN Star!</td>
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Physical Education – Ms Lauren Arnell

We could not have asked for better weather as Bundoora Primary School arrived at Meadowglen Athletics Track for a day full of fun and competition. There was plenty of success in both track and field events for our school but the most impressive display was the enjoyment and sportsmanship demonstrated by our students throughout the day. Thank you to Mr McDonald, Mrs Neilson and Mr Cass for their tireless assistance on the day. Thank you also to parents, grandparents and friends for their wonderful support during events! Biggest thanks of all goes to every student who represented our school impeccably – days like these make everyone’s hard work worthwhile.

The next stage of competition will be held on the first Wednesday of Term 4 and will see many of our students again representing Bundoora Primary. Congratulations!

Visual Art – Mrs Nikki Rhodes

A huge thank you to all our family and friends who came to see our wonderful 'Enchanted Garden' Art Exhibition last Wednesday. It was a beautiful night, surrounded by all our students amazing art work. A huge thank you to Jaycob our Auslan support teacher for officially opening our exhibition, thank you to Raylene who interpreted for us on the night and our amazing Art Show choir who sang and signed garden themed songs after the opening! Canvas designs are being sent home this week, if you still wish to purchase your child’s canvas slips are available at the office.

Thank you for supporting this fundraising event and celebrating our students beautiful work!
Performing Arts – Mrs Nerida Newell

Grade 5/6 learning the song GOLD for this year's Music: Count us In program - Australia's biggest school initiative with more than 500,000 participating nationwide. To hear the song at home and access words and music, go to music count us in or musicaustralia. Our password is Bundoora. We will be performing it with BSC at our school, 12.30 Thursday Oct 29th - you're all invited!

Enhancing Online Safety for Children Act 2015

Many of today's youth use social media very extensively; sometimes from the age of ten or even younger. Often children have smartphones or other devices which give internet connectivity – meaning they are often using the internet in circumstances outside of school hours where there is little or no adult supervision. Recent research has found that over a 12 month period, around one in five children aged eight to seventeen may experience cyberbullying.

New legislation, the Enhancing Online Safety for Children Act 2015, to enhance online safety for children took effect from 1 July 2015. The new laws established the Office of the Children's eSafety Commissioner.

The Children's eSafety Commissioner will operate a complaints system backed by legislation to get harmful cyberbullying material targeted at an Australian child down quickly from large social media sites.

Leading online safety expert Alastair MacGibbon has been appointed to the role of Children's eSafety Commissioner.

Under the new laws, the Children's eSafety Commissioner has the power to issue a notice to a large social media service requiring it to remove cyberbullying material targeted at an Australian child.

The Commissioner will also have the power to issue a notice to a person who has posted cyberbullying material targeted at an Australian child, requiring the person to remove the material.

The Children's eSafety Commissioner website and cyberbullying complaint form are available live at www.esafety.gov.au, for those wanting more information, or those wanting to make a complaint.

Of course, Bundoora Primary staff will also continue to deliver comprehensive, age appropriate cyber safety units across the school.

Jamie McDonald
ICT Coordinator

Canteen

The Wednesday Treat for next week will be Choc Chip Cookies @ 50c each.

As next Friday is our Footy Day, a Footy Meal Deal will be available for ordering. A Pie or Hot Dog (with sauce if requested) + Just Juice for $ 5.00. This would be a saving of at least 50 cents.

A big thank you to all the Canteen Volunteers this term and please fill out the attached Canteen Volunteer form if you can spare some time in term 4.

3 – 6 MOVIE NIGHT
End of Term Celebration
18th September 2015

Our 3-6 Class Representatives are inviting all Year 3-6 Students to enjoy a Movie Night to celebrate the end of Term 3. This will include pizza, popcorn, drinks and a movie! Information was sent home last week! Doors will open at 7:00pm. Pizza will be served at 7:15pm and the movie will commence at 7:30pm sharp. Please return the attached ticket order form by Monday 14th September. Tickets will be sent home with your child on Thursday 17th September.

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OSH Club  (for bookings phone 0467 712 368)

Next Friday, 18th September, is the last day of term and school finishes at 1.45pm. OSHC will be available from 1.45pm to 6.00pm at a charge of $30.00 (less Government CCB rebate). Bookings are essential.

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Each day where possible students will be given an opportunity to complete homework in a space provided

Please remember to check our website for OSHC terms and conditions, including late fees and how to book your child in.

Michelle, OSHC Coordinator

FOOTY DRESS UP DAY – Friday 18th September
(last day of term)

FOOTY COLOURS DAY
SHOW YOUR TRUE COLOURS!

Next Friday, 18th September, is Footy/Sports Colours Day and we encourage all students to come to school proudly showing their favourite team’s colours. We welcome any AFL, NRL, Soccer or any other favourite sporting team to be represented. All of our students will be able to show off their colours during our Parade next Friday morning at 9.15am at our undercover area (weather permitting). We welcome parents and friends to stay and watch the Parade and we hope to see many of you there. Please bring a gold coin donation. Our Canteen will also be offering a special $5.00 Lunch Combos. Hot Dog or Pie and a Just Juice.

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Bundoora Primary School Canteen

Volunteers required for 4th Term, 2015

New Days - Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays

Dear Parents and Carers,

Do you have some spare time and would you like to become a Canteen Helper? The Canteen operates on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from 10am to 2:30pm. Having you at the canteen, even if it is only for a couple of hours can be very exciting for the children, as can the 1000 points for your child’s house when you volunteer. You do not need food handling experience or qualifications. You will be supervised by the Canteen Manager. Duties will include making sandwiches and wraps as well as counter sales.

All you will need is some spare time and a “Working With Children Check”. These are free of charge and can be applied for at all Australia Post Offices or online at https://online.justice.vic.gov.au/wwccu/reqprintapp.do

With your support we can provide the school community a quality Canteen service, offering fresh and healthy foods at reasonable prices.

If you can spare some time, please complete this form and return it to the Office. Thank you for your help. Your decision to be a volunteer is greatly appreciated.

If you are unable to be present when you have been rostered on, it’s just a matter of phoning or texting Val on 0424 264 568.

Your Name- __________________________ Contact Number __________________________
Working With Children Check number________________________ or applied on (date)______
WWC Checks to be presented to the School office
Childs Name-________________________ Child’s House________________________
I am available on: (please circle)

Wednesday 10am – 11:30am or 11:30am – 2:15pm or Both Shifts
Thursday 10am – 11:30am or 11:30am – 2:15pm or Both Shifts
Friday 10am – 11:30am or 11:30am – 2:15pm or Both Shifts
I am happy to be rostered on:
_____ day(s) per week _____ day(s) per fortnight
_____ day(s) per term _____ day(s) per month

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3 – 6 Movie Night

Ticket Order Form - $10.00 per child

Please return with payment by: Monday 14th September

We will provide each child with a pop top Juice, some popcorn and pizza. (Hawaiian, Aussie and Margherita (no meat)).

The movie we will be viewing is: ‘Paper Planes’ rated G and runs for 93 minutes.

Children should bring along a pillow or cushion to sit or lay on to watch the movie (no bean bags, please, as they will be too high!). If they feel like it, the children can also come in their pyjamas so they can sit back and get super comfy!

Name of Child: ______________________________________________

Cash/Cheque amount enclosed: _______ or Credit Card amount: _______

Card number ___________________________ Expiry date ________________

Please circle (VISA, MasterCard only)

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Name (as appears on the card) ____________________________ Signature ____________________________

COLLECTION INFORMATION: (complete this section only if someone other than a parent/carer will collect your child)

My child, ________________________________, will be collected by ________________________________

Contact number for person collecting my child ________________________________

Parent/Carer Name ________________________________

Parent/Carer Signature ________________________________

EMERGENCY CONTACT DETAILS: (required information)

Parent/Carer Name ________________________________

Contact number on the night ________________________________

Parent/Carer Signature ________________________________

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Community Notices

**Eczema sufferers wanted**

Are you or your child suffering from eczema or dermatitis?

If your child is aged between 6 and 16 years old, and has been diagnosed with eczema, atopic eczema or atopic dermatitis by a GP or dermatologist, you may be eligible to participate in a research study involving the oral intake of Chinese herbal granules for 12 weeks.

Eczema is a common skin condition with symptoms of severe itching and redness of the skin. Clinical evidence suggests Chinese herbal medicine may reduce the itchiness and improve the quality of life for eczema sufferers.

For more information or to register for the study, please contact Mr. Sherman Gu on 9925 7375 or Email: eczema.trial@rmit.edu.au
http://www.rmit.edu.au/healthsciences/eczema-trial

The study has been approved by the RMIT University Human Research Ethics Committee and is being conducted by the Discipline of Chinese Medicine, School of Health Sciences, RMIT University Bundoora West campus, Plenty Road, Bundoora, Victoria.

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**BECOME A FOSTER CARER!**

All sorts of people make great Foster Carers. They are tradesmen, nurses, sales reps, shop assistants, teachers etc.

They are couples, singles, from different cultural backgrounds, with or without their own children. They are people who have the desire to give a child a safe and welcoming place to stay.

Our next information session is on Thursday 1st October 2015 7pm-8.30pm in the Preston Area

Come along to find out more & have your questions answered.

To book or to receive an information package please contact Lynette Tollit on 8470 9999 or lynette.tollit@anglicarevic.org.au

It is easy to become an Anglicare Foster Carer, call us NOW to talk about how You will make all the difference!

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**Introduction to Office Skills – Term 4, 2015**

**Entry Requirements:** Literacy levels suitable to an office environment. Basic computer knowledge.

**Course Description:** Are you looking for work or a volunteer position in an office environment? This short introductory course will help you to build the general knowledge and skills to confidently approach the job market or pathway into accredited training.

**Program will cover:**
- Building effective and professional communication and teamwork skills
- Understanding workplace culture and environment
- A range of basic administration tasks
- General equipment & IT skills relevant to an office environment

**Location:** Thomastown Neighbourhood House (TNH)

**Mode of Study:** Classroom / computer lab

**Days / Times:** Thursdays 9.30 am – 3.00 pm

**Dates:** 8 October – 10 December 2015

**Duration:** 10 weeks (note: in addition to attending classes participants will be expected and supported to secure and complete a work placement (min. 30 hrs))

**Cost:** Concession: $50 + Service and Amenities $10, Full Fee: $92 + Service and Amenities $10 conc./$25 non conc., Fee For Service (not eligible for subsidised training) $703 + Service and Amenities $10 conc./$25 non conc.

**For more details ring PRACE on 9462 6077 or visit our website:** [www.prace.vic.edu.au](http://www.prace.vic.edu.au)
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