

# The Bridge

## Selby Primary School Newsletter

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- *A Bridge To The Future* -

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### DIARY

- Wed. 7 Oct.** : **Last day for school production DVD orders**  
: 7.30 pm 2010 prep parents' information night
- Frid. 9 Oct.** : New Zealand delegation arrive
- 13 to 16 Oct.** : Grade 5 camp
- Wed. 14 Oct.** : 9.30 am - 12.30 pm 2010 prep transition
- Thu. 15 Oct.** : 7.30 pm school council meeting
- Frid. 16 Oct.** : Gr. 5 soccer day
- Mon. 19 Oct.** : Gr. 2 camp
- Tues. 20 Oct.** : Gr. 2 camp



*SUNSMART – TERM 4*



### **SUNSMART**

A reminder to parents that during term 4 all children must wear a school hat when they are outside.

The “no hat, no play” rule will be enforced. Thank you.

**Selby Primary School Production - “The Inventors”, DVD**  
Orders **MUST** be returned to the school today,  
Wednesday 7 October 2009.



## **ACTING PRINCIPAL'S REPORT**

Welcome back everyone to school, for term 4. I would like to thank the whole community for the wonderfully warm welcome I have received from students, school staff and parents alike. It is great to be back in a school working with children in this beautiful environment and being greeted by rosellas every morning, I am reminded of the time when I actually did live in Selby (30 years ago, but who's counting!).

I would also like to thank Maureen, our fantastic cleaner for the work done over the holidays to make the school look so beautiful, and Claire Ferris Miles for all of her work organising and supervising the tree removal during the term break. The work done has been a huge job, and I am sure has taken up a lot of Claire's time, but with fantastic results. The tree sculptor is currently working on a pirate ship, castle, and wild life carvings, which will become part of the playground area.

This is going to be a very busy term, with school camps and transition programs for new preps and year 6 students entering secondary school. We have a preps 2010 information night arranged for tonight (Wednesday) at 7.30 pm, and I am looking forward to meeting the parents.

Also this term we look at the formation of classes for next year, and celebrate the successful completion of primary school for the year 6 students. Another regional principal recently told me that term 4 feels like a runaway train at times – but as we have Puffing Billy close by, we know trains don't run away, they just chug until they get there, which I am sure we will all manage with great success.

I would also like to thank Kristen Douglas, who stepped in at the last minute to work with the school last term. Kristen has left the school in great shape, in only 3 or 4 weeks making sure the school continued to run smoothly, with the focus firmly on the students and their wellbeing. The staff, parents and students who got to know Kristen were very appreciative, as am I, of her dedication and support for all. I know Kristen would have loved to have stayed, but it wasn't practical in terms of the travel she had to do. However, she has promised to call in from time to time whenever she is up this way.

***Lindy Cooney, Acting Principal***

## **GRADE 5 REMINDER**

Could all soccer notices please be returned by NO later than Thursday 8 October, as grade 5's are on camp most of next week. Thank you.

*Heather Reid*

## **ICY POLE SALES – HELPERS NEEDED**

It's term 4 already and warmer weather means icy pole time is here. The PFA is looking for anyone that can help with a shift or two to sell icy poles at Friday lunch times between approx. 12.50 pm and 1.30 pm.

Please leave your name and phone number at the office if you are able to help and we will get back to you.

We will also let you know when we begin to sell icy poles.

Thank you.

## **OOSH NEWS**

OOSH is looking for a group of supportive and enthusiastic parents to join our new OOSH Committee of Management. This committee will play an integral part in supporting, enhancing, guiding, and promoting our OOSH service. The OOSH committee will meet once a month (or less) in the evening.

The OOSH team would love your support.

Help make their wonderful care of your children even better.

Please complete the following form and return to the office before THURSDAY 15<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER.

For further information contact Kate Craig (School Council OOSH Sub-Committee) on 0414 324 541.

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### **Interest in OOSH Committee of Management**

I \_\_\_\_\_ am interested in being part of the OOSH committee.

Contact no. \_\_\_\_\_

My child/ren attend OOSH on a REGULAR / CASUAL basis.

My preferred day(s) for meetings is \_\_\_\_\_

## COMMUNITY NOTICES



### **Milo In2Cricket**

South Belgrave Cricket Club will be continuing with Milo HAG this year.

The program will be run on Monday evenings from 5pm onwards at the South Belgrave oval (netball courts) commencing with a registration day on October 12th and running for 10 weeks finishing with a Christmas break-up.

For more information ring Trevor Miller on 0414 660 125. Cost \$55.



### **Trumpet for Sale**

Bach TR500, near new worth \$1,200, sell for \$600. Call Jill Brailsford 0414 277 461 or 9754 8728.

### **Extreme Tennis**

Term 4 Summer "Get into Tennis" junior coaching special offer – enrol for term 4 and choose either a 30% discount on normal junior group coaching fees or a free junior racquet upon enrolment. Coaching days Tuesdays, Selby Tennis Club. Phone Stuart & Diana Sutterby 9759 6475, 0403 525 111, 0412 106 416.

### **Selby Art and Music Festival**

At All Saints Anglican Church, Selby. October 23, 24 & 25.

### **Emerald Girl Guides**

Sign up and information night Mon. 12 October, 6.30 – 7.00 pm., Clematis Hall, Wellington Rd, Clematis. For more information or to register your interest please call Melinda on 5968 0195 or [www.outereasternregionguides.org.au](http://www.outereasternregionguides.org.au)

### **Kids Club**

Belgrave South Baptist Church, Belgrave Hallam Rd, Belgrave South.  
Friday nights 7:30-9:30, every Friday of the school term for grades 4-6. Cost: \$2.  
Contact: Hannah Denny 97541387.

### **Wanted – a potter's wheel and pottery tools**

Call Mary Rose, St Thomas More Primary School 9754 4444 or 0429 342 349.

### **Oaks Day Ladies Luncheon – Thurs. 5 November**

At Marybrooke Receptions, 10 Sherbrooke Rd, Sherbrooke, 11 am – 3 pm,  
\$59 per head – 3 course meal with champagne on arrival. Dress – formal racewear. RSVP  
Thurs. 22 October. Contact Jayne Matthews 9754 7683 or Cassie Moxham 9754 6326.  
Raising funds for Belgrave and Upwey CFA.

### **Community Safety Expo – Sat. 7 November**

Lillydale Lake, 10 am – 3 pm. Emergency and safety demonstrations. For the kids – meet Captain Koala from the CFA, passport to safety activity, CFA smokehouse, prizes and lots more.

### **Kids Fun Run with Thomas – Sun. 15 November**

Children aged 12 years and under get the chance to run with Thomas the Tank Engine and Puffing Billy. For entry forms go to [www.kidsfunrunwiththomas.org.au](http://www.kidsfunrunwiththomas.org.au) or see school office.

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