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From the Principal’s desk…….

Camps
Our Year 3/4s enjoyed a fantastic overnight camp at Camp Wyuna, Queenscliff, last Thursday and Friday. Lots of beach fun and activities were enjoyed, along with taking in the sights and history of Fort Queenscliff. Our thanks must go to Miss Roesler for her organisation and coordination of camp, as well as Miss Tait, Miss Riches and Mr Hackett for their efforts in making the camp a fantastic experience for our kids. Further thanks to our parent volunteer Hayley Dewar for giving up her time to attend camp and assist our teachers. Our students and school community are very grateful to all of you for your commitment to our students.

Parents and Friends Hot Cross Bun Drive
On Sunday I spent some time with our incredibly hard working, dedicated and enthusiastic Parents and Friends group at the Colac Secondary College baking Hot Cross Buns! I was overwhelmed by the amount of time and effort that went into the drive—over 12 hours of constant work! It really was an amazing effort that I know our kids and school community very much appreciate. We need to recognise the efforts of all on the day, but in particular Kerrin Irvine, Hayley Dewar, Renee Hall, Johanna Latham, Nita Carson, Faith Parsons, Samantha Gaffney and Janet Walters who put in a whole day! We are indebted to you all ladies! Many thanks to the varied other contributors who were able to assist on the day—everyone’s effort made for a very successful fundraiser and some very delicious buns!

Grounds development
You may have noticed that we have a shiny new path around the east end of our BER Building. This is part of our oval redevelopment that will be completed towards the end of the holiday break. We are certainly looking forward to enjoying our new oval this Spring!

Division Athletics Carnival
Well done to our team that competed in the Division Athletics on Monday. We had a variety of success as well as some personal best efforts! It was wonderful to be able to attend and witness the excellent behaviour and sportsmanship of our students. We’ll now await advice from district staff regarding the next level of progress for our athletes.

End of term arrangements
This Friday, the 27th of March is our final day of Term 2. Our Student Representative Council are running a fundraiser to support Danika Testa in her ‘Shave for a Cure’. Children are encouraged to dress up in “What I want to be when I grow up” and provide a gold coin donation for the Leukemia Foundation. Uniform is only required on this day if not dressing up.

Students in 1T and 2G will have their last swimming lesson for the term at the normal times on this day, with lunch scheduled for 1:30pm. School will conclude at 2:30pm.

Wishing everyone a safe, happy and restful holiday break, including a happy Easter!

Looking forward to seeing everyone back at school on Monday 13th of April.

Angela Hall
Principal
Student Awards!

Prep  Ruby H for being an excellent role model and for always striving to achieve her personal best!
P/1H  Bailey C for an excellent effort with his reading and enthusiasm towards his work!
1T   Hudson D for being an all-rounder!! Always displaying our school values proudly. Keep it up!
2G   Hayden S for excellent listening skills at our swimming lessons.
3/4R Dean G for having a brilliant ‘Red Hot Go’ attitude towards all of his learning. You are a terrific role model!
3/4T Emily M for her outstanding attitude to her learning. For being involved in everything and for her great sense of humour on camp.
5H   Year 5 Team for harmoniously working through solving a problem on their own without needing teachers help.
6H   Sarah HB for being a polite, happy and hard working student.
Indonesian Madison B for enthusiasm and active participation.
Art   Tahlia S for a positive improvement in personal and communal responsibility.
School Josh S for being a great friend.
Values Attendance Award — This week goes to 3/4R for excellent attendance in Week 8 of Term 1! Congratulations 3/4R!

Principal’s Award

This week's Principal's Award goes to Scarlett A! Scarlett consistently demonstrates our school value of ‘Responsibility’. She is a most trustworthy student who gives her best to all tasks and is a caring friend. We know we can always rely on Scarlett. Keep up the good work!
Canteen
Friday 27th March, 2015

Morning Supervisor:
Nita Carson
9:00am: Emma Balcombe, Karly Shaw, Elizabeth Borso

Afternoon Supervisor:
Hayley Dewar
12:30pm: Jamoke Balogun, Tracey Cook

OCR RM 2015 TEEN TRAINING
Open to guys and girls aged 13 to 25.
Learn how to host your own radio show.
Sign up for the Training Session any time after 4pm
on Friday 27th March at the Colac youth Health
Hub during the end of Summer Party.
Ten Training will be held at the Youth Health Hub
on Tuesday 31st of March from 10am to 3.30pm
Lunch & snacks will be provided.
For more information contact OCR FM on
52321991 or email admin@ocrfm.org.au

PARENTS & FRIENDS NEWS

Easter Raffle
Congratulations to our Raffle Winners: Mark Russell, Bailey Smith, Nicole Roesler, Darcy Walters
(x2), Chloe Balcombe, Chloe Ramon, Lynice Riches, Annalie Harris (x2), Tori Wilson, Leah Parsons
(x2), Jonathon Graham, Emma Graham, Connor Balcombe, Tilli Higgins, Joyce Gove, The Vesey Family, Josh Parsons and Greg Slater.

Hot Cross Bun Fundraiser
Thank you to everyone who came along on Sunday to CSC to make our Hot Cross Buns, with all your help it was a very successful day.

Next meeting
Our next meeting will be on Thursday 16th April at 9am in the Conference Room.
We’d love to see you there!

SRC FUNDRAISER
Friday is Dress Up Day “What I Want To Be When I Grow Up”. A gold coin donation is required with all proceeds going to the Leukaemia Foundation.

ICAS Order form—last chance!
Please complete the below information and return to school with payment in an envelope clearly labelled with ICAS and student name.

Student Name: ___________________________ Year: ______
Test name: & cost: (add more if required)
1. __________________________________
2. __________________________________
3. __________________________________
Money enclosed: _______________________
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