**Principal’s Report**

**Olympics Day**
Great weather and colourfully dressed students made this day another excellent occasion at Eastbourne Primary School. The Wacky Walk in team colours, the look at some of Australia’s great performances over the years at other Olympics and the different events each child participated in after recess kept the students active and occupied in the Olympic spirit. Well done to Mr. Hussy for his organisation.

**Bunnings BBQ**
On Saturday August 27 we are running a sausage sizzle at Bunnings Rosebud. If you are able to assist please let the office know so we can roster you on. 30-60 minutes is all you have to volunteer for.

**Father’s Day Breakfast**
Our annual Father’s Day egg and bacon breakfast is on again in 2016. On Friday September 2 at 8am, egg and bacon sandwiches will be served with a selection of juices. The Mr Wilko egg and bacon sandwich is as good as ever.

**Fiddlesticks**
This magical trio of guitar, violin and cello introduce string music in an exciting, entertaining and relevant way. Fiddlesticks will showcase the versatility of instruments in the string family and give students the ultimate and dynamic live music experience. This is a subsidised performance and only costs $3. I encourage all students to attend.

**Caravan/Rock and Roll**
The caravan for auction is now completely been upgraded and will be ready to have a look at before the end of term. This van will be auctioned at the Rock ‘n Roll evening on Thursday October 20. The Rock ‘n Roll evening will be a great opportunity to have fun, dance and have a meal at school in the hall. The music starts from 6-7:30p.m. It will be a great evening with a band, dancing, prizes for best dressed rockers, raffle, food and the auctioning of the caravan. The cost is $2 a head or $6 a family of 4 or more. Food will be on sale in the hall from 5p.m. Tickets will go on sale next week.

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**Term Dates 2016**

Term 3 11th July-16th September

Term 4 3rd October-20th December

Absence and Communication SMS
Eastbourne Primary School SMS number is 0427016460. Please remember to add this to your contacts on your mobile phone. It is a great way to keep in touch with the school!

Notices and Upcoming Events
Copies of all notices and newsletters and information on what has been happening around the school and coming events is available from our website. Just go to http://eastbourne.vic.edu.au/ then family and community for notices and upcoming events for important dates.
Student of the Week 6 Term 3

Tyson   Lacey
Natalie Maddi
Jack    Shaun
Kiarra  Chase
Ava      Brenden
Lachy   Kam
Phoenix Josh
Krystal Ashden
Amber   Honey-Sue
Noah     Luke

A big congratulations to all the children who have the honour of being named Student of the Week, we are proud of you all.

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Walk and Ride to School Day Tomorrow

Research reveals that good habits if started young are more likely to last. Friday August 26th is Walk and Ride Safely 2 School Day when children are encouraged to get walking and parents and carers are asked to walk all or part of the way to school with their young child.

By joining in on Walk /Ride 2 School Day you:
- encourage children and young people to develop healthy habits by becoming more physically active from a young age. Walking is one of the best forms of exercise – it’s free, can be done anywhere and by almost anyone!
- help save our environment by creating less greenhouse gas from vehicle car emissions
- lessen hazardous traffic congestion around the school gates.

HOPEFULLY YOU WILL ENJOY IT SO MUCH ON FRIDAY YOU WILL WANT TO DO IT MORE OFTEN!

Parents are asked to walk their young children to school, but if you can’t walk the whole way, combine the walk with driving by simply parking the car a practical distance away from the gates and walk the rest of the way!

Also remember the Walking School Bus that operates every day except Thursday form the Colchester Road Pool carpark (the team starts walking at 8:30am). See below for ideas.

Breakfast Club will be on for when you get to school. Students will receive a sticker form the Active Travel team at the entrance to the school near the Music Room.
PE/Sport Report

Local Footy:
Looking for something to do this Saturday? Rosebud FNC has two semi finals this weekend. The seniors play Frankston at 2pm at Rye and the Development team plays Red Hill at 12 at Rye. The U19’s have a semi final on Sunday morning at Devon Meadows against Somerville. At the Junior Football Club, the U16’s made it to the Grand Final and play Seaford this Sunday at 1.30 at Langwarrin. Come along and support the local teams if you can.

District Event:
This term’s big district event is the Athletics Championships on Tuesday August 30th at Ballam Park in Frankston. The notices went out earlier this week for the chosen students. It is really important they get their notice back tomorrow and that they remember we must leave at 8.45 am next Tuesday morning so all students competing in theses Athletics should be at school by 8.30 and meet in the amphitheatre. Map on how to get there if you would like to come along and cheer our kids!

Summer 2017 Basketball Team Registrations
open – Southern Peninsula Basketball Association registrations are open for the new season starting from Term 4 2016. To register a new or existing team go to www.sharksbasketball.com.au

Winter Park and Walk/Ride
Try parking/being dropped off from the following locations:

**Short walk or ride: (5 to 10 minute walk/ride)**
- Illaroo Street shops, Coleman Cres (anywhere along this street is a great walk), Currawong Court, Attuna Cres, Wyuna Street, Marwarra Ave, Sanderling Court, Balaka Street

**A bit further: (10 to 15 minute walk)**
- Shire offices in Besgrove Street, Olympic Park

Remember to walk and ride safely observing the road rules.

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Hope you can join us!
Brett Pascoe – (Assistant Principal – Student Wellbeing) - pascoe.brett.w@edumail.vic.gov.au

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**What is the Life Plus program?**
Life Plus is an active physical activity and mental program designed specifically for people who are at risk of diabetes, heart disease and stroke.

**The program offers:**
- 1 hour program twice a week for 10 weeks
- A healthy lifestyle and improved physical and mental health
- Four exercise sessions helping you adopt a healthier lifestyle
- A reduce by you with details after the program

**Who can attend?**
Adults wanting to prevent or manage diabetes, heart disease and stroke.

**Who runs the program?**
- Exercise program officer
- Life Plus facilitator
- Dietitian

**What are the benefits?**
- Help manage and prevent diabetes
- Improve heart health
- Improve exercise ability
- Improve sleep
- Improve mood, energy and quality of life
- Improve low pressure
- Improve muscle strength and balance

**What is it cost?**
$2 per session. Some people may be eligible to attend for free. Ask your doctor to refer you to the Life Plus program.

**For more details phone**
1300 665 781

**For more details about Life Plus program**
www.lifematters.org.au

**References:**
People are referred by doctors, health professionals or self-referral.

To ensure your safety, you may be referred medical guidelines from your doctor to participate in the Life Plus program.

**Changing your mind? See**
www.lifematters.org.au

**What it looks like**
Life Plus is provided with other support materials, advice, education, tools and equipment for life-changing changes that promote good health.

**Giveaways plus more**

**THURSDAY 1ST SEPT**
**FATHERS DAY**
**FAMILY NIGHT**

**Join the Bunnings Rosebud team and bring the whole family**
Sausage sizzle, Jumping castle, Animal Farm, Classic car and Hot rod display, Live band, Rosebud Rockers, make a Go Kart with dad and the Mens Shed, Kids D.I.Y, Adult D.I.Y, Giveaways plus more

**Bookings essential for catering purposes**
**2015 YEAR 6 STUDENTS AT SECONDARY COLLEGE**

It can be very daunting for our Year 6 students starting at Secondary College. We have a wonderful transition program at Eastbourne Primary School and here are some stories of two very happy, successfully transitioned Year 7 students!

**LAYNI**

So, at first thinking about going to high school and all that it was really scary but no, it’s not like that at Rosebud Secondary. On the first day I was really nervous thinking that it was going to be really hard and that I wouldn’t like it but what I thought was totally wrong, yes it was really nervous starting at a big school but all the teachers help you out a lot and support you in your learning in many ways.

The first term was really good, it is really good making new friends and trying out new things and you have the support of all the teachers and your friends. At Rosebud Secondary College there are so many new things to join or try. The sport is really good, there is always something to do at lunch and at snack. I’m very happy I came to Rosebud Secondary College. It is an amazing school and supports everyone in many ways. It covers everyone’s ability in their learning skills.

The first semester was nothing like I thought it was going to be. It was way better and I loved it and the year just keeps on getting better as it goes on.

By Layni

**ADAM**

Since coming to Rosebud Secondary I have just loved it. Going into high school was never scary and finding my way around the school has been very easy! It’s really weird being at the bottom of the school again and everyone is so tall!

**ADAM**

But I feel like I belong at Rosebud Secondary. Being in the Seal program has been amazing and I have had so many opportunities. These include things such as being a class captain, getting a position as one of the year level captains, going on loads of sport competitions, here are just a few: Being on the badminton team (we won), signing up for the Rock Climbing competition (yes Rock Climbing!), going to the year 7 swimming day as well as the athletics day. I helped out at the 2016 Rosebud Secondary College open night, play in one of the many school bands, was asked to go promote our school to other primary schools. I was selected to go on the year 7 ED out camp and recently signed up for a paid job at the canteen as well as having a Japanese exchange student stay at our house! All opportunities were amazing and not only did I enjoy these new experiences but I also learnt a lot of new things like: public speaking, reading music, how to cook and look after yourself out in the bush, how to serve people properly and add up prices quickly without using a calculator, improved Japanese knowledge, found out some really interesting tips about some sports I have never played and made loads of new friends! Things like being a captain also gave me other chances like getting to go to Sorrento Sailing Club and go sailing! If I were to say how many new things I have learnt, new experiences I have had as well as new skills I have been taught, I would be writing 10 pages! And this all happened in less than 6 months! plus, all the actual school learning. But this would have never happened if I hadn’t stuck my hand up each and every time some new opportunity came up and my teachers and family hadn’t pushed me to keep taking these opportunities! All my teachers have been amazing and Rosebud Secondary has been the best school ever!

Adam

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Eastbourne Primary School Celebrates Success
Parents and Friends News

Our Fathers Day Stall will be on Friday 2nd September so if you can to help out on that day just let the office know and they will take details of your availability. Gifts will be priced from $1.00 to $5.00.

We are also looking for helpers for the Bunnings Sausage Sizzle on Saturday. Please come and lend a hand!

Rock and Roll Night tickets for October 20th are now available from the office. This is going to be a great night with a caravan and other great items up for auction, so make sure you set the date aside!

Jane Griffin—On behalf of the Parents and Friends

August
25th— Josh
27th— Dalina
 Kyle
28th— Victoria
 Eddie
31st— Destiny
 Oliver
 Ngahuia

September
1st— Alexander
2nd— Cameron
6th— Lachie
7th— Trace
 Lily
 Liah Topp

Breakfast Club
Every Day for Everybody
8am to 8.50am

Eastbourne Primary School would like to acknowledge the generous support of the following businesses/community members who have supported the Breakfast Club Program in 2016.

*Bakers Delight
(Rosebud Plaza) * Illaroo St Milk bar
* Waterfall Gully Bakery *Rangas Bakery *The Peninsula Life Church and Katrina Barry for donating bread.

Grade One Swimming
By Zulmira

On Mundays and Fridays we do grade one swimming. First we go into a bus and I sat next to Leila.

Next we were there we lined up in 2 lineds, we got into our snazzy bathes, mine was black, pink and purpel.

Then we lined up in our groups. I am in group 4. I was with Jay, Tom and Chandler. After that we do freestiel and diving. Finally we got out of the pool and jumped off the pool. We went into the change room and we got our clothes. We went into the bus and we went back to school on the bus. I love grade one swimming!! SPLASH

HATS,HATS, HATS

Time to start getting those hats out!

In line with the Eastbourne Primary School Sun Smart policy, all students need to start wearing their broad brimmed hats as of September 1. When you find your hat at home just bring it along to school now and you can leave it in your room ready for next Thursday.

Students without hats will be asked to play in the shaded area around the buildings.

The Uniform Shop will be open tomorrow from 8.30am if you need to purchase a hat.
Teaching and Learning Report: Learning to Spell at Eastbourne Primary School

Learning to spell is an important part of becoming literate. Being able to spell easily and automatically enables us to become more effective writers, regardless of the technology used to write. The less energy and thought we need to put into thinking about spelling, the more thought we can put into what is said.

At Eastbourne, we focus on building your child’s spelling skills from the day they enter school. Learning to spell is a developmental process where children make increasingly accurate attempts at writing words.

According to spelling researcher Peter Westwood, accurate spelling draws on a combination of visual knowledge (knowing when words ‘look right’), phonological awareness and phonic knowledge (knowing how to identify and manipulate parts of language, and represent those parts), handwriting (writing the word by feel), morphemic knowledge (knowing how a word’s meaning influences its spelling) and strategic thinking. This is a complex skill that presents challenges for many children as they progress through school.

At Eastbourne, we take a personalised approach to helping your child to learn to spell. We use a common assessment task to identify your child’s developmental spelling level, then feedback to your child what their goals are. We then teach them the skills they need to move forward and provide them with opportunities to practise those skills.

Many children find moving beyond a purely phonemic approach to spelling difficult. At this stage, learners need to know when a word looks right, which is difficult if they haven’t had lots of exposure to the word.

Reading widely has a large positive impact on spelling accurately, and learning to recognise and spell common words (often that do not follow the normal patterns of most English words) also has a positive impact on helping your child become a fluent writer. Attached to this fortnight’s edition of Contact are our Eastbourne Super Words. You may like to help your child practise and keep track of their spelling of these important words at home. Don’t be scared to try them out with older children too!

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ICT Report

Our ‘Learning Goals’ in ICT have been a lot of fun during the past few weeks. We used the Olympics as our theme. Here’s a small sample of the fabulous work from various students.

Prep’s used Paint to create their own Olympic mascots.

ICT Teacher

kennedy.skye.s@edumail.vic.gov.au

Hugh Greer
Assistant Principal – Teaching and Learning

greer.hugh.a@edumail.vic.gov.au
**Payments**

Many families are using the Direct Deposit facility to make payments for camps, excursions and other requirements that occur during a school year. We even have some parents already making payments for their books for 2017. Most of these payments are for small amounts – some as little as $5.00 a week but it really does add up and makes major payments so easy to manage. If you would like to take advantage of this option the Eastbourne Primary School Bank Account Details are Bendigo Bank

BSB: 633 000  
Account Number 124505181  
Please include your child’s name and reason for payment. This facility can be used for instalments and one off payments. Please contact the office if you have any queries.

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**EASTBOURNE PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
**YEAR 5/6 STUDENTS PRESENT THEIR 2016 MUSICAL HIT**  
“WHERE’S OTTO?”

**Wednesday 14th September 2016**  
Eastbourne PS Recreation Hall  
Time: 6.30pm  
Tickets $10.00 now available from the office!

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**CANTEEN**

Weekly 50cent specials have started and are a great hit. Watch out for our “What Is On Specials”! Last week a new Canteen List was distributed. Term 4 will have daily lunch specials so watch out for those in the next newsletter!

Copies of the menu are also available on our website.

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**LITTLE ATHLETICS** develops motor skills and improves fitness for other sports. Over our summer season you can increase strength, speed, stamina and agility as well as assisting your health and fitness.  
OUR ATHLETE PROGRAM rewards individual “Personal Best” performance, encouraging you to run faster, jump higher and throw further as you progress through the season.  
CENTRE FACILITIES include double tracks, jump pits and throwing cages that reduce wait between events. Qualified coaches are on hand to develop technique, speed, balance, posture and flexibility.  
REGISTRATION costs just $145 per athlete and covers insurance, ribbons, certificates, medals and trophies throughout the season.  
WE COMPETE Friday evenings from 5.00pm for athletes aged U6 - U15 to build confidence, fitness and health in a positive environment. For more information visit:

**REGISTER ONLINE IN 5 MINUTES AT**  
www.lavic.com.au  
1. Click ‘join now’ choose ‘Southern Peninsula’ as your centre.  
2. Enter ALL details & make payment via Debit or Credit Card  
3. Come to our first athletics evening for the season on Friday 7th October 5.00pm-Truemans Rd Reserve, Rosebud West
Are you…
Wanting to build your confidence?

Looking for your first job? Wanting to go back to study?

Wanting to explore your skills & strengths? Returning to work after a break?

Do you want to improve your literacy & numeracy skills to…
Get a new job? Assist your child with their literacy & numeracy?

We are going to run an 8 week course - designed just for you!

When: Term 4 - only 2 hours per week (starting Thurs 6th October)

Where: At Eastbourne PS in the Conference Room

Time: Thursdays 1:00pm - 3:00pm

Call Mel Wyatt Parent Engagement Project - 0499 027 753 to put your name down or ask any questions!

Light refreshments supplied

PARENT ENGAGEMENT PROJECT
EASTBOURNE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Anglicare Victoria provide individual support to families of Eastbourne Primary School.

If you are interested in speaking with our worker for support please contact Mel on 0499 027 753 or pop and see her in the Conference Room (next to the Science Room) at school.

Mel is available to assist families with personal support, information, advocacy and referral to services.

BONEO CRICKET CLUB

Junior Clinic / Registration Days

Wednesday 7th & 14th September
Boneo Cricket Club, Boneo.

Free Clinics – open to all kids
3.30pm to 5pm.

Registrations for those interested in playing
4.00pm – 5.30pm

For Season 2016/17 we are looking for players to participate in the following teams

U10  U12  U14  U16  Fees $50 per Junior
U10 – U14 will receive a Playing Shirt and Wide Brim Hat included as part of Registration.

An exciting year ahead with some big events planned for our juniors development so come and be part of the Boneo Cricket Family.

For further information contact:
Brett Peet 0400 686 954 or Tracey Watson 0408 996