PRINCIPAL’S NEWS

WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL FOR TERM 3!
It was wonderful to see everyone’s smiling faces back at school on Monday as we started the new school term. Many students had exciting holiday breaks, going interstate, overseas, or having camping holidays with family. Some students had birthday parties or had been to the movies and were keen to share their adventures. I have already read some amazing holiday writing and am looking forward to sharing more of the fun as children complete their stories. We have a very exciting school term ahead, with lots of learning planned and opportunities for children to develop their academic, social and sporting skills. Unfortunately Mrs. Wesolowski did not have such a good holiday- she had a fall and has broken her wrist. She has had some surgery and is now recuperating at home and we wish her a speedy recovery.

SISTER SCHOOL VISIT
Next week we will be welcoming our sister school students who will be visiting from No. 1 Primary School attached to Lianyungang Teacher’s College, in China. Thank you to all the families who are hosting students during their visit with us and to Miss Wong who is hosting the two teachers. We know that this will be a very novel experience for these students as they adjust to a new language, unfamiliar foods, a new school and staying with families other than their own. It will also be a learning experience for our students as they discover more about what life is like in China for someone of their own age.

NEW OVAL
Students were very excited to finally be able to use the school oval after patiently waiting for the new surface to be established for most of last term. Although still damp in parts, the grass was mown over the school holidays and declared fit for use. I have spotted some awesome goal-kicking skills, now that the new goal posts and protective mats are in use - possible future AFL stars? We will still be locking the back gate during school hours and after school to deter the general public from using the oval as a ‘walk-through’ zone, although we will unlock the gate at the beginning and the end of the school day to try to minimize inconvenience for parents. Thank you so much for your understanding and patience while this has been going on.

BOOK FAIR
The Scholastic Book Fair will be at our school from Monday 17th to Friday 21st August. The library will be open most days for 15 minutes before and after school so that students and their families can browse and buy from a range of wonderful books and novelty items. The Book Fair helps us raise money for new resources for our school Library.
STUDENT AWARDS!

Tane Berends
For presenting his Information Research Project on the ‘Death Star’

Memphis Barsic-McDonald
For displaying outstanding team work skills to complete a fractured nursery rhyme

Shakarlyah Shepherd
For becoming more confident in all areas of her schooling, especially maths

Abigail Cordone
For excellent writing skills across all text types. Great job!

Leanne Shrimpton
For getting started straight away in reading to make sure she finished her work

Indica Storrar
For her fantastic procedural writing about her push and pull toy

Max Heyne
For becoming a more independent learner. Well done Max!

Amy Gallagher
For trying her best to stretch out words in writing this week

Tahlia Brown
For the interest and enthusiasm she displayed when our class created ‘milk rainbows’

Riley Hutchins
For his concentration and hard work when working with fractions

Brendan Winter
For working hard to achieve his reading goals

Katia Sansom
For always taking care to add detail to her drawings

Molly Black
For being the most responsible and helpful student a class could want!

Jaymi Butler
For showing terrific iPad skills to produce an iMovie of his marble run

Corey Purvis
For his excellent work on simplifying fractions

Mitch Thompson
For using his times table knowledge to help him to simplify fractions

Marlai Allin
For her outstanding story writing

Woolworths Earn and Learn is back – Help Us collect for our School

Taking part is easy – Starting on Wednesday 15th July when you shop at Woolworths you can collect stickers to place on your sticker card. For every $10 you spend you will receive one sticker. Once you complete your sticker card place it in the collection box at the front office.

The program closes on Tuesday 8th September – we can then redeem the points we have earned for resources and equipment for our school.

LIBRARY

We now have some more contact and lots of books ready to be covered. If you are able to spare some time please see Tracy or the office staff. Thank you

BUNNINGS BAR-B-QUE

We now have a confirmed date for our Bunnings Bar-b-que which will be held at Bunnings, Waurn Ponds on Saturday 5 September from 8am-5pm which is the Father’s Day weekend, so Bunnings should be very busy! To make this fundraiser a success we need the help of lots of parents/guardians/grandparents so we need 3-4 helpers on at all times. We are also able to have a cake stall this year, so we will send home paper plates and bags closer to the date to request cake stall items for sale.

We will send out availability notices over the next few weeks for you to nominate preferred availability / time etc. If you are able to spare hour or two it would be greatly appreciated.

NEW UNIFORMS

Deal directly with Coastal Uniforms. Ann-Maree will be at the school next on Thursday July 23 from 8.40 am to 9.00 am.

Phone: 5255 4897—Order forms may be picked up from the school office.

KILTS—Our supplier is Bellarine Uniforms, 162 Moorabool Street and the contact number is 5221 9199

SECOND HAND UNIFORMS

Visit Sally & Kelli in the Sick Bay on Tuesday afternoons only from 3:00pm–3:20pm

Hot Milo is now available in the School Canteen
Reminder that School Canteen days are TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS
Milo $1  Popcorn .50c  JJ Snacks $1.20  Grainwaves $1.20

CANTEEN HELPERS NEEDED:

We are urgently asking for some volunteers to help out with canteen on a Tuesday from 1.15pm.
Please contact the Office if you are able to assist.
ROAD SAFETY AROUND THE SCHOOL

Please use the School crossings.

Both parents and children have been putting both themselves and others at risk by trying to cross roads away from the crossings.

This is really dangerous and could lead to a nasty accident.

Our fair this year will be held on **FRIDAY NOVEMBER 6** from **4-8pm**.
Please save the date in your diary / calendar

CHOCOLATE DRIVE

A big thank you to all students and families who have sold and returned their chocolate money. If you are yet to return your money (and any unsold chocolates) could you please do so **ASAP** to the office. We have a few boxes left if anyone is able to take another. Again, a big thank you to all those families who have sold chocolates for the School.

ROAD RULES FOR DRIVERS - CARE FOR OUR KIDS

Please use your common sense and follow the road rules.

Drivers have been taking unnecessary risks both parking and turning in areas around the school which are illegal, and are accidents just waiting to happen. Take your time, obey the rules which are there for your protection and make sure you care for all our kids!

Extend OSHC at
Grovedale Primary School

*Watch this space throughout the term for regular updates from our Extend team!*

PARENT PORTAL: extend.com.au

COMMUNITY TREE PLANTING DAY—Sunday 26 July 2015

The City of Greater Geelong is organising a tree planting day (@3000 trees to be planted) from 9.30-3pm at The Greenway in Wandana Heights along the Ted Wilson Trail (Melways Ref 464 G1). The Lions Club will be providing BBQ and hot drinks. You may register at www.treedy.day.planetark.org/site/10008742 or alternatively just turn up on the day.
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### HOT DOG

- $3.00

### SNACKS

- (Hawaiian & Supreme)

### SNACKS

- Fried Rice (Includes: egg, onion, capsicum, corn, peas, bacon & soy sauce) $3.00

### SNACKS

- Chicken, Cheese & Mayo $3.00

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- Cheese $2.20

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- Ham & Pineapple $2.50

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- Tomato & Cheese $2.50

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- Ham, Cheese & Tomato $2.50

### SNACKS

- Salad $2.50

### SNACKS

- Meat & Salad $3.50

(Ham, Ham & Silverside)

### SANDWICHES

- (Chicken, Ham & Silverside)

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Bread and rolls are all white unless otherwise specified.

Salad includes - Lettuce, Tomato, Carrot & Cheese

Condiments are FREE and include Tomato & BBQ sauce, Mustard & Soy Sauce

Orders to be clearly written with child’s name and class on a paper bag

Please write with or without sauce, etc.