

**Thursday 23rd August
2012**

The happiest people don't necessarily have the best of everything; they just make the most of everything that comes along their way.

BENDIGO BANK GRANTS NIGHT

Last Thursday night I was invited to represent our school at the annual 'Grants Night' for the Pearcedale Branch of the Bendigo Community Bank and other local branches at the Koo Wee Rup Community Centre.

My task along with the other community representatives was to pick up a cheque for our organisations, donated by Bendigo Bank. On the night Bendigo Bank made grants totalling \$200,000.00 to 70 community groups, from the 5 local branches including Koo Wee Rup, Lang Lang, Tooradin, Naree Warren and Pearcedale.

The bank financially supported schools, kindergartens, play groups, senior and junior sporting groups, senior citizen groups, men's sheds, fire brigades and choirs just to name a few organisations. It was also pointed out that the bank financially supports De Fib Your Club for Life, local students from Mount Erin with university scholarships, a L to P program which provides money for advanced driver courses and they have formed a partnership with OzChild to support children.

It's fantastic to be involved with an organisation that truly supports local communities and I'd like to thank Darryl and the staff at the Pearcedale Branch of the Bendigo Community Bank.

COLLECTIONS

Recently our school community has been involved in collecting Woolworths Stickers, Coles Vouchers and Pauls Milk Caps to help benefit our school.

The Woolworth Stickers and Coles Vouchers have now finished but the Pauls Milk Caps are still going and are now worth double value until the end of September.

We have collected 94,000 Woolworths stickers which we will soon be exchanging for books, science and maths equipment to support the students learning. We finished with 63,000 Coles Vouchers which we will be exchanging for sports equipment which the children will enjoy. We have already exchanged a box full of Pauls Milk Caps for \$300 and have almost double that to still exchange. With the caps being worth double value to the end of September we hope to have even more to cash in by the end of the school holidays.

So I'd like to thank the school community for their support in these collections and encourage you to keep collecting the Pauls Milk Caps. Thankyou!

LITERACY AND NUMERACY WEEK

To celebrate Literacy and Numeracy week next week we will be holding a number of activities during the week culminating in a 'Book Character Parade' on Friday morning at 9.10am. Parents are most welcome to come along and enjoy the colour of the parade.

FATHERS DAY STALL

The Father's Day Stall is also on next Friday and will begin immediately after the Book Parade. A big thankyou to our parents club for all their hard work to ensure that all children can purchase something special for their dad and for adjusting their timetable for the parade.



PREP ACTIVITIES

The first year of school is always an exciting time and our preps have been busy recently as they learn about the Olympics and Living things.

Last week, Sydney 2000 Paraolympian swimmer Lichelle came to school to show the prep students her medals, torch and special swimming suit. The preps were very excited and enjoyed writing about her experiences.

On Tuesday, they were able to make the most of the sunshine, as the lovely Lyn from Bunnings Frankston showed them how to make a special butterfly ornament for our school garden. The students also planted their very own flower and covered it with 'magic growing dust'. Hopefully these flowers will thrive at home.



Don Mackenzie
Principal

UPCOMING EVENTS

(As of the time of print)

AUGUST

- Fri 24th** Daffodil Day
- Mon 27th - 31st** Hearing Awareness Week
Butterfly Badges \$2.00
- Wed 29th** Wakakirri-Art Centre
- Tues 28th** Grade 2 - "Insect"
Incursion
- Fri 31st** Book Character Parade
- 9:15 am

September

(Please note change of date for Prep excursion)

- Tues 4th** Melbourne Zoo - Prep
Excursion
- Mon 10th** Professor Maths Incursion
- Tues 11th** Gr. 4 Botanic Gardens,
Cranbourne
- Thurs 13th** Grade 5 Sovereign Hill
- Thurs 13th** Grade 6 Imax excursion
- Fri 14th** Professor Maths Incursion
- Wed 19th** "Hair Gone Crazy" Day
- Thurs 20th** Werribee Zoo - Grade 1



Number of children with interrupted days.

ie. Late, absent, early leave, holidays.



| Thur 16/8 | Fri 17/8 | Mon 20/8 | Tue 21/8 | Wed 22/8 |
|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| 59 | 74 | 69 | 72 | 75 |

IT'S NOT OK TO BE AWAY

Items needed in the Art Room

Grade 5 will be creating scarecrows to be displayed around the school and 3 will be entered into the Hinterland Scarecrow Festival.

To create these we are after:

4 bales of Hay or Straw to create Scarecrows

To dress these scarecrows we are after - wigs, any old costumes can be adults or children, shoes, boots

Washed 1.25 litre drink bottles

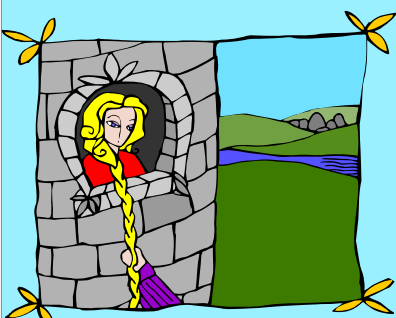
Ice-cream containers

Margarine / butter containers

Takeaway containers



Thanks Kerry



BOOK PARADE!

As part of Literacy Week, we are having

Book Character Parade

at school on

Friday, 31st August .



Children can dress up as any book character!

The parade will take place at 9. 15 and parents and friends are most welcome to watch this exciting event.

Prizes and certificates will be awarded on the day.

Students are allowed to come to school dressed as their chosen character.

FATHER'S DAY STALL

ATTENTION MUMS AND KIDS

Our Annual Father's Day stall will be on again
Friday 31st August in the old Hall.

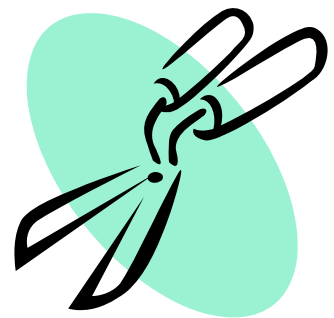
There is a great range of gifts for sale, prices range
from .50c to \$10.00

Don't forget to bring along some money preferably no more
than \$20.00 and an environmentally friendly bag or carry bag
for your child to put their gifts in.

There may be an after school stall to sell any remaining gifts,
this will be held near the basket ball/hall area at 3.15pm.

Thanks for your support

The Parents and Friends Club



FATHERS DAY RAFFLE

1ST PRIZE : \$300 Father & son fishing gear
Tackle World Cranbourne

2ND PRIZE : \$100 Voucher Thrifty Link-
Pearcedale Hardware

3RD PRIZE : \$60 Family tour MCG &
National Sports Museum

4TH PRIZE : Gift pack including 2 x Members
Visitors tickets for Cranbourne Races

5TH PRIZE : Father's day prize pack

\$1 EACH OR 6 FOR \$5.00
DRAWN 31ST Aug at 3pm

Please return by Thursday 30th

**Tickets can be purchased at the stall
on Friday**

Any extra tickets can be collected from the office



**Casey Fields
Kids Fishing Day
Registration Form**



Students from Casey's Primary Schools are invited to register their interest to attend a fun fishing day at Casey Fields on **Sunday, 23 September 2012**. Students will have the opportunity to fish for rainbow trout in the Casey Fields Lake. Sessions will be conducted from 9am – 1.30pm.

Registrations are **limited** and only students who have registered can attend on the day. Registration will be on a first replied basis.

Each registered participant will receive:

- **A free fishing rod and reel fully rigged and ready to fish.**
- **Instructional session (approx. 30 minutes) from Paul Worsteling of IFISH TV on how to catch fish. Children are then encouraged to fish in other sections of the lake with a parent/guardian following the supervised session.**
- **A cooking demonstration by a chef on how best to prepare your catch!**

Students that have successfully registered will have information posted directly to their home address. It is important that all details are completed on the return slip below. The information will be collected, stored and used in accordance with Council's Privacy Policy.

Please note that by becoming a registered participant you agree to be photographed and/or filmed for the purpose of promoting the Kid's Fishing Day and fishing at Casey Fields.

Cut along this line and return section below

FIRST NAME: SURNAME:

SCHOOL: GRADE:

HOME ADDRESS:

..... PHONE:

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME:

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE:

PARENTS/GUARDIANS ARE REQUIRED TO REMAIN IN ATTENDANCE DURING THEIR CHILDS FISHING SESSION.

Please return this section to the following



**Casey Fields Kids Fishing Day
City of Casey
PO Box 1000
NARRE WARREN VIC 3805**





PEARCEDALE NETBALL CLUB INC



SUMMER 2012 - 2013 REGISTRATION

We will be holding our Registration evening for the Summer 2012 - 13 season on:

Tuesday 28th August 3.45 pm – 4.30pm
At the Netball Courts – Pearcedale Recreation Reserve

Open for all ages -

Net Set Go*

Netta

U/11's – Seniors

\$50 deposit required on the afternoon

**We will require at least 10 participants for this program to proceed*

Enquiries:

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| PRESIDENT: | Meaghan McKinnon | Tel. 0437 661 814 |
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Open Day

SEPTEMBER 5
9am to 11.30am

Flinders Christian Community College
Tyabb Campus

Preference will be given to applications for Year 7 in 2014
received by Friday 7th December 2012



Prospective parents and students are warmly invited to Open Day
to meet teaching staff, see classes in operation, attend tours and
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Saturday 8th September
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7.30PM

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American Graffiti

Friday 14th September
AMERICAN GRAFFITI (M)
7.30PM

Saturday 15th September
GREASE (PG)
7.30PM

GREASE



The
Blues Brothers

Friday 21st September
THE BLUES BROTHERS (M)
9.00PM

Saturday 22nd September
VANISHING POINT (M)
9.00PM



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Please remember to send in a change of clothes in your child's school bag on the wet days we have at school. The grounds, as with everywhere else, are very wet and muddy.

Also remind your child to look in lost property for lost articles. It always seems to be overflowing with clothes and goodies.



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OSHC NEWS

Hello Everyone,
August 30th marks 177 years since Melbourne was founded by European Settlers. We will be doing different activities to learn more about our fabulous city.

Wendy, Annie, Chris, Maddie and Sasha

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK



AFTER
SCHOOL
CARE

MONDAY
Victorian floral
emblem activity

TUESDAY
AASC Volleyball

WEDNESDAY
AASC Karate

THURSDAY
Melbourne City
activities

FRIDAY
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