

**Thursday 20th
September 2012**

The real voyage of discovery is not in seeking
new landscapes, but in having new eyes.
Marcel Prost

DONATION FOR SPORTS EQUIPMENT

I'd like to express Pearcedale Primary School's sincere thanks to Councillor Geoff Ablett for his donation of \$600 to our school for sporting equipment. Geoff has always been an advocate and role model for personal health and healthy living and the donation for sporting equipment supports this. Councillor Ablett continues to support our school in many ways and we thank him for his on going support.

ATHLETICS SPORTS SUCCESS

Congratulations to all our competitors in the district athletic sports during the two days of field and track events. There was some fantastic individual efforts with everyone doing their best and showing fantastic sportsmanship.

As mentioned last week we had a very successful field events day and our students once again excelled at the track events on Tuesday. Following both days Pearcedale was the overall winner ahead of Langwarrin Park PS with Woodlands PS third. Both track and field events were held at Ballam Park Athletics Track with Pearcedale winning both days and being the overall District winners. Those children that won their events now go on to compete at the divisional athletic sports during the first week of term 4. This was a fantastic result for all of the team with special thanks to Steve Crowe and Rhonda Peney for training the team.

COMMUNITY SUPPORT

As a school community we'd like to support one of our families who had their house burn to the ground last week. Unfortunately the family lost everything in the fire and we'd like to support them as a school.

The grade 6 children initiated selling ice creams for \$1.00 yesterday on crazy hair day which was extremely popular. Two return trips to the supermarket were required to replenish supplies. Tomorrow during footy day all children can come dressed in their footy colours and we're asking for a donation to support this family. I'd like to thank you in anticipation of your support which hopefully will help this family in some small way. Any additional donations that people wish to make will be accepted at the office.

FOOTBALL DAY

Tomorrow is our football day which is always an enjoyable day for everyone. It is always a colourful day with the children decked out in their team colours. Emotions run high during the parade especially for those teams still in the premiership race. The actual footy parade will take place between recess and lunch and parents are more than welcome to come along.

This holiday I am taking an extended break and taking 2 weeks long service leave at the end of the holidays. While I'm on leave Jeff Mead will be acting Principal.



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NAPLAN RESULTS

The 2012 Naplan results were posted today to all families with children in either grades 3 or 5. Hopefully all families will receive their child's results. If you haven't could you please let the office know as addresses may not of been updated when you may have shifted.

OUTSTANDING SCHOOL FEES

As a government school we are very reliant on Voluntary School Contributions to provide the facilities and equipment to provide a quality education for your children. Much of the equipment and many of the facilities your children enjoy has been provided by parent voluntary contributions and fundraising. Recently we spent just over \$50,000 upgrading computers in all prep-grade 4 classrooms. This money comes from voluntary contributions and fundraising.

This reminder about outstanding school fees is for people who may have overlooked their payment earlier in the year and are now in a better position to pay the fees.

SKATEPARK

It has come to our attention recently that a few children are arriving at school and then heading to the skate park. Please ensure that your children understand that once they arrive at school they are not to leave the school grounds until the end of the school day.

HAIR GONE WILD FOR OZCHILD

Our Junior School Council decided to support 'Hair Gone Wild' for OzChild day in 2012. They felt it was a way the kids of Pearcedale could support other kids. The day was well supported with some colourful and creative hair styles. These days are enjoyed by the children and they get excited to see the crazy hair styles of their friends and teachers. All money raised is going to Oz Child to support children who live in foster care. It's great to see our children supporting other children less fortunate than themselves.

END OF TERM

Just a reminder that school finishes tomorrow for the end of term 3 at **2.30pm**. It resumes for fourth term on Monday October 8th.

Hopefully the weather will be kind during the break and we will enjoy some beautiful warm spring weather.

Don Mackenzie
Principal

UPCOMING EVENTS

(As of the time of print)

September

Thurs 20th Auslan Oz Opera
Fri 21st Footy Parade 11:30
Fri 21st Special Footy Day Lunch
Fri 21st Last day of term 3,
 2:30pm finish

October

Mon 8th First day of TERM 4
Thurs 11th Hoop time Finals
Thurs 25th Deaf Sports Day

CANTEEN NEWS

Please note that the canteen will reopen in Term 4
 on
Wednesday 10th October.

The canteen will also be closed on
Monday 5th November prior to
 Melbourne Cup Day



Potato cakes are not available in
 term 4—Fresh
 fruit options will be
 available.



**Number of children with
 interrupted days.**

ie. Late, absent, early leave,
 holidays.



Thurs 13/9	Fri 14/9	Mon 17/9	Tue 18/9	Wed 19/9
62	79	72	49	72

IT'S NOT OK TO BE AWAY

Footy Fever is about to hit at
 Pearcedale PS with the footy
 day parade on TOMORROW!
 The excitement will begin at
 11:30 with the parade and
 followed by the footy
 kicking competition.
 Children can come dressed
 in their teams colours and
 parents are welcome to
 come along and
 join in the fun.



AUDITION NOTICE

MP Talent, a brand new kid's talent agency is auditioning NOW!!

**WE ARE SEARCHING FOR TALENTED BOYS, GIRLS AND TEENAGERS AGED 5 to 17
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 dance? Maybe they just have great charisma? Kids with experience and kids without, auditions
 are open to everybody.....a spunky personality is all you need!

Visit www.mptalent.com.au to register for an audition

Auditions by appointment only: 7, 13, 14th October (Warragul/Pakenham)



Attention!

Local Business Owners

*Would you like to sponsor our
2012 School Magazine?!*

We are seeking your generous support for the Annual Pearcedale Primary School Year Book. This is a unique opportunity to support the school community that supports your business.

The year book is a professionally printed memo of the school year and is distributed to over 500 families from Pearcedale, Baxter, Somerville, Tooradin and Langwarrin.

If you are interested in advertising your business in the School Magazine this year could you please contact Jan D'Amicis on 5978 6259 or email jdamicis@pearcedaleps.vic.edu.au

Thank you for your support.





PUMP GOLF SHOOTOUT

Ages: 12 - 16 years
Date: Friday 28th September 2012
Event: 9 Holes from 8.00am
Format: Modified Stroke Event
Cost: \$25 per player includes sausage sizzle and a drink

Please contact our Trainee Professional, Michael Holland for further details on 03 9785 6072. Entry form attached.

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS JUNIOR PROGRAM

This is an 8 week coaching program covering all aspects of the game.

Ages: 8 - 16 years
Days: Every Wednesday
Dates: 17th October 2012 – 6th December 2012
Times: 5:45pm - 6:45pm
Cost: \$80 per junior

For bookings please contact the Golf Shop on 03 9785 6072 or
skent@settlersruncg.com.au



SEPTEMBER SCHOOL HOLIDAY GOLF PROGRAM **24th – 26th September 2012**

These programs are for those children who are already active and interested in golf and wish to develop their skills with some added fun. Available for children 8 – 16 years of age.

Day 1 (Monday 24th September)

8:30am:	Registration
9.00am - 11.00am:	Skill Instruction Full Swing
11.00am - 11:30am:	Morning Break (Food Provided)
11:30am - 1:30pm:	Skill Instruction Chipping/ Putting
1:30pm:	Finish

Day 2 (Tuesday 25th September)

8:30am:	Registration
9.00am - 11.00am:	Day 1 Review/ Skill Instruction Pitching
11.00am - 11:30am:	Morning Break (Food Provided)
11:30am - 1:30pm:	Skill Instruction Bunker Play
1:30pm:	Finish

Day 3 (Wednesday 26th September)

8:30am:	Registration
9.00am - 11.00am:	Skill Instruction Review
11am - 11:30am:	Morning break (Food Provided)
11:30pm - 12pm:	Etiquette and Course Care
12pm - 2:30pm:	9 Hole Competition
2.30pm:	Conclusion of Camp

Cost: \$ 185.00 per child for 3 days tuition

For bookings please contact the Golf Shop on 03 9785 6072 or
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HOLIDAY/JUNIOR SOCCER PROGRAM

Multi Sports Holiday Program being run at the Frankston Indoor Sports Centre during the school holidays. Sept 25th, 26th, and 27th Oct 2nd, 3rd and 4th. Cost is \$15.00 per child includes a can of soft drink. All sessions fully supervised canteen will be operating with lunch orders available. Times are from 10am to 2pm Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursdays. So get the kids out of the house over holidays for a great time playing a variety of sports.

Bookings essential as limited spaces suit ages 7 to 13 girls and boys.

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Commencing 4th Term of school New Junior Indoor Soccer and Cricket Competitions Wednesday and Friday afternoons contact the centre for more details get a group of your mates together and join in the fun. Mums and Dads new season commencing 1st October 4 a side indoor soccer & 5 a side indoor soccer double court so get some mates together and join in the fun check the web site for more details.



TAKE HOME A BIG BROTHER OR BIG SISTER

Give your children the wonderful opportunity to have an international big brother or big sister by hosting one of our exceptional international students arriving in Australia in February 2013 for their 3, 5 or 10 month programs. Our international students from France, Germany, Italy, Austria, Sweden, Norway, Denmark, Finland, Japan, Colombia, Canada and the U.S.A. will live as a local, attend a local secondary school, arrive with their own spending money and comprehensive insurance cover – all arranged by Southern Cross Cultural Exchange. Visit us at www.scce.com.au, email scceaust@scce.com.au or call us toll free on **1800 500 501**, request a selection of international student profiles to check out, and capture the spirit of family and friendship!



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of
the

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THROUGHOUT!



WED 26TH TO FRI 28TH SEPTEMBER '12

SOMERVILLE REC CENTRE (14 EDWARD ST)

**DOMESTIC & AUSSIE HOOPS PLAYERS PROGRAM:
10AM TO 12.30PM EACH DAY**

**JUNIOR REP & DEVELOPMENT SQUAD PLAYERS PROGRAM:
1PM TO 3.30PM EACH DAY**

\$120 PER PARTICIPANT

OR \$100 EACH FOR 2 OR MORE KIDS FROM THE 1 FAMILY

**SIMPLY FILL IN THE REGISTRATION FORM AND POST OR HAND INTO
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Pearcedale Twilight Market - 23/11/12

What a response! Pearcedale Twilight Market is shaping up to be absolutely fantastic.

The Market will run from 3.30pm to 8.30pm on Friday 23/11/12 and showcase a range of stalls from homewares, giftware, jewelry, food, craft, Christmas gift ideas and lots more.

A great night to do some Christmas shopping and support local small businesses!

Tell your friends, family, neighbours - spread the word!



For Stall inquiries, contact Donna 0437 787445 or keep up to date by liking the 'Pearcedale Twilight Market' on Facebook. Stalls applications are also available at the School's office.



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- Kids Sports Parties
- After School Sports Programs
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MAKE YOUR NEXT PARTY OR SCHOOL SPORTS PROGRAM A MEMORABLE ONE!