SWIMMING CARNIVAL
On Monday the primary grades participated in our Annual Swimming Carnival. The day was a wonderful success with some of our students swimming fabulous times. Our other students enjoyed the activities in the intermediate pool. It was a great day for all of our students. Thanks must go to the students for their excellent behaviour and enthusiasm, to the parents who attended and those who were able to assist with timekeeping and judging. Special thanks to Mrs. Atkinson and Mrs. Elliott for their thoughtful organisation. Our team will compete at the Zone carnival on 5 March.

MEET THE TEACHER
These meetings will be conducted in the library on Tuesday 26 February. Stage 1 (Years 1 & 2) will commence at 5.30pm, Stage 2 (Years 3 & 4) at 6.30pm and Stage 3 (Years 5 & 6) at 7.30pm. At these Meetings teachers will outline the plans for the stage in 2013, discuss major excursions, high school placement, homework etc. If parents have individual concerns, please contact the office for a private interview.

PARKING
Parents are reminded that they may not use any of our car parks. The car parks closest to Old Prospect Road are for District Office staff and their visitors.

TEXTBOOKS AND SCHOOL CONTRIBUTIONS
Thanks to those families who have paid for the student’s textbooks and the school contribution. The students need these books ASAP so that they may fully participate in all class activities. Arrangements may be made with me for delayed payment or school assistance so that the students can have their textbooks.

PROFESSIONAL LEARNING
In 2013 we have been fortunate to be included in two DEC programs to improve the learning outcomes of our students. The first is called “L3” which is a Kindergarten program to improve the literacy skills of our students. The second is called “TENS”, which is a K-2 based numeracy program. Both programs will require some offsite training for staff in the next few weeks.

As a whole school we are also preparing for the introduction of the Australian Curriculum for Literacy this year.

John Spargo
(Principal)

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY –
Term 1
February 20 – P & C Meeting
February 26 – Stages 1-3 Meet the Teacher meetings
1 March – PSSA v Greystanes
March 5 – Zone Swimming Carnival
March 19 – Regional Swimming Carnival
March 20 – P & C AGM Meeting
March 21 – Harmony Day
March 27 – Combined Scripture Service
March 28 – Easter Hat Parade
March 29 – Good Friday
April 1 – Easter Monday
April 4 – Cross Country
April 9/10 – Parent Teacher Interviews

NO ASSEMBLY this week. The next assembly will be on FRIDAY 8 MARCH.
CAIITEE IINFORMATION
We have a new canteen price list which you
should have all received. We are getting orders
with old pricing on them. If one has not
reached you as yet spares are located in the
rack in the foyer.
Our helpers for the Week 5 & 6 are:-
Week 5
Monday 25 February
Tuesday 26 Feb.
Wednesday 27 Feb.
Thursday 28 Feb.
Friday 1 March
Rita Buttenshaw
Cynthia La Rosa 'til
Claudia Ghinda
Cheryl Ryan
Priscilla Lazanas 'til
11.00. Chris
Fitzpatrick from
11.30
Week 6
Monday 4 March
Tuesday 5 March
Wednesday 6 March
Thursday 7 March
Friday 8 March
Cheryl Ryan
Melissa Galea
Leisa Reid
Melissa Galea
Amanda Caine
If you can help at any time please call
0411 143 609.
Thank you,
Ann Brett (Canteen Supervisor)

Volunteers Needed For MultiLit
The school is currently running a successful
reading program called MultiLit. The program
relies on volunteers to assist the children
with sounds, sight words, spelling and
reading. We have some wonderful
volunteers who are doing an absolutely
fantastic job but we are still in DESPERATE
need of a few more volunteers.
Training by Ms Smith will be given and all
resources are prepared and provided for
you. The program will run over three days for
each child on MultiLit.
If you could help for a minimum of one hour
a week then please fill out the form below
and return it to the office. Ms. Smith or Mrs.
Vucic will be in contact with you.
Thank you.

MultiLit Volunteer
Name: __________________________
Child’s Class __________________
Day/Days I can assist: __________

Phone Number: __________________

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Do outdoor adventure activities on weekends.

YEAR 7 to YEAR 12
Tuesdays
7 PM to 9.30 PM
18 Chelmsford Road Wentworthville
Ring for details; 9885 0912 or
Church office; 9896 0859 for details.

HAY GIRL’S

Looking for something fun to do;
We are inviting you to join us
At GIRLS BRIGADE

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Time 6.30pm to 8.30pm
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