An inspiring community where the students shine!

The school community of Southern Cross Primary believes in providing a quality learning environment that encourages children to be curious, inspired and successful in their learning. We strive to achieve an educationally safe and caring environment through our daily implementation of behaviours, programs and modelling that values, understands and respects individual abilities and cultural diversity.

March
21st Monday Whole School Assembly 9.15
23rd Wednesday Playgroup 9.15am – 10.30am
In BER Hall
24th Thursday Last day of Term 1 - dismissal
at 2.30 p.m.

April
11th Monday 9.00 a.m. School resumes for
Term 2
13th Wednesday Playgroup 9.15am – 10.30am
In BER Hall
25th Monday ANZAC DAY – No School for
children

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Items sent home will generally be colour coded.

- Pale Blue or White General Notices
- Gold Excursion Incursion
- Orange Important Messages
- Bright Pink Fundraising

School Hours and Break Times
Playgrounds supervised 8:45 – 9.00 a.m. and 3:30 -3:45 p.m.
Students arrive 8:50 a.m. Classes start promptly at 9.00 a.m.
Morning Recess is 11 – 11:30 a.m. Lunch 1:40. – 2:30 p.m.
School finishes at 3.30 p.m.

NOTICES HOME THIS WEEK

- Blue and Red HATS now available from the office $5.00

Please read this newsletter, as it is an important communication between school and home.

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Dear Parents and Friends,

Welcome to the news this week.

School Council Elections
Following the Annual General Meeting of our School Council yesterday, we say thank you very much to departing Parent representatives, Tina Bottas and Penny Sulemani. I am sure their time on School Council was rewarding for them and the school community really appreciated the commitment given to being on Council.

Congratulations to the following new members of School Council.

Mena Henriquez and Kelsa Nagi and returning DET member, Anne Robinson

We look forward to working with you during your terms of office.

School Crossings
It has been brought to my attention that many students are not using the school crossing in David Collins Drive to meet parents who are parked on the other side of the road. Could all parents please make sure students use the crossing correctly and not call them to cross the road unsupervised. It is a serious issue as it is very dangerous for the child and also those drivers who are attempting to drive away and find they have a child in front of their car.

Could I please also ask that parents do not block the driveway into the school, as it makes it very difficult for staff to leave the car park safely. City of Casey bylaw officers, as well as police frequently patrol our area and fines are quite substantial.

Thank you for your co-operation

End of Term Dismissal

Term 1 finishes on Thursday 24th March at 2.30pm.

Final Assembly for Term 1

Our final assembly for Term 1 is Monday 21st March at 9.15am.

I wish you all a happy and healthy week ahead.

Averil Nunn
Principal
Teddy Bears Picnic
at the Old Cheese Factory

Come on down to the Old Cheese Factory with your favourite teddy bear and go on a fun-filled adventure.

Free entertainment, face painting and art and craft activities will be on offer by Hey Dee Ho Music and Arty Crafty Co. Take a wander through the gardens and play at the Old Cheese Factory’s playground.

Bring along a rug, picnic lunch or order kids and lunch packs from the Homestead Café.

Please bring along your hat and sunscreen.

For further information or to pre-order your lunch packs contact the Old Cheese Factory on 9702 1915.

Teddy Bears Picnic
Date: Wednesday 30 March
Time: 11.00 am to 1.00 pm

FREE ENTRY
Pre-order your Teddy Bears Picnic Lunch pack from the Homestead Café

Kids lunch pack
Paparoo, mini sausage roll, tomato sauce, two pieces of sandwich and a cookie
Cost: $8.50 per child

Parents lunch pack
Grilled cheese, water crackers, freshly made sandwich, home baked scones, raspberry jam, cream
Cost: $15 per person
KID’S STRENGTH & RESISTANCE TRAINING

THE BENEFITS GO BEYOND THEIR PHYSICAL HEALTH
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- Improve body awareness
- Tone
- Improve self esteem

STARTING IN TERM 2
WEDNESDAY 4:30 to 5:15pm
FIRST CLASS ONLY $6
AGES 10 to 16 years old

CORE STRENGTH PILATES

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