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From The Principal’s Desk

2016 GRADE 6 WINDCHEATERS
A final reminder to grade 5 students that the orders for 2016 grade 6 windcheaters need to be placed by Friday 4th December 2015.
Sample sizes are available at the office to confirm size and a $20 deposit is required to confirm the order.

WALK-A-THON SPONSORSHIP/ STUDENT PRIZES
The sponsorship received for our 2015 Walk-A-Thon has exceeded $7,000 which is a fantastic effort.
Miss Buxton has submitted student prize choices which we will hopefully receive prior to the end of the school year.

2016 PREP TRANSITION
Our 2016 prep students had their final school visit this morning with all boys and girls attending from 9-11am and participating in a range of classroom activities.
Over the (3) visits they have shown that they are well prepared for the first day of the 2016 school year on Thursday 28th January 2015.

INTER-SCHOOL BALL SPORTS
We are hosting Manifold Heights, Newtown and Chilwell tomorrow Friday 27th November for the inter-school Ball Games.
Grades 3/4s 9:30am to 11am
Grades 5/6s 11:30am to 1pm

TABLOID SPORTS
Our Prep to Grade 2 students will be participating in a Tabloid Sports session here on Friday 4th December.

FAMILY BYO PICNIC CAROLS EVENING
This event to celebrate the end of the year will be staged in our grounds on Monday 7th December between 5:30pm and 7pm.
- Families to bring their own picnic tea
- Families to bring along a rug/ chairs etc.
- All students will be singing carols (in their units).

END OF YEAR REPORTS
Students will receive their end of year report on Monday 14th December along with their 2016 class placement.

2016 CLASSROOM SWAPOVERS
On Wednesday 16th December all students prep – grade 5 will spend time (10:30am -11am) in their 2016 classroom with their 2016 teacher and classmates.

END OF YEAR CLASS BREAK UP’S

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PERSONAL LEAVE
Unfortunately due to health issues I will be on leave until at least the end of the school year. Mrs Anderson will be acting Principal in my absence. Hoping everyone has a smooth and productive end to the 2015 school year.

2016 TERM DATES

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<th>Thursday 28th January until Thursday 24th March</th>
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You Can Do It
Danny Kelly
Principal
Congratulations to Kai A, Adriana C and Naomi S who each won a $50 Rebel Gift Card for their winning entries in our Walk to School writing competition.

**2015 Geelong Schools Music and Movement Festival**

The Music festival DVDs are now in the office and can be purchased for $5. The DVD has our Choir and Just Brass performances only. If you put in an expression of interest but have changed your mind, that is fine. However, if you didn't put in an expression of interest form and would like to purchase a copy, please feel free to buy one.

A very big thank you to Astrid Kolsch for all her work on the DVD covers and copying the DVDs.

Thank you,
Karla Gilbert
Performing Arts Specialist

**Poetry from 3/4O**

**QUATRAIN POETRY**

Bright light in the sky
Makes my eyes burn
Maybe it’s the sun up high
Maybe I’ve learned
By Kurtis M.

It was a beautiful night
So I flew my blue, angry-bird kite
Red juice all over my hand
Yummy fruit which is canned
By Abbey H.

Whenever I go into Typo
My eyes light up and I go hypo
When I pitch my eyes on all the colours
In Smiggle
It totes makes me giggle
By Adriana C.

**CINQUAIN**

Me
Small, smart
Runs, eats, plays
Likes to play violin
By Sofia B-S

Rats
Annoying, pestering
Steal, infect, gnaw
Rats steal my cheese
Vermin
By Corey T.

Burger
Delicious, healthy
Fills, tempts, satisfies
Smell very, VERY perfect
Lunch
By Emanuel L.

**Bethany Giving Tree Appeal**

**Student Banking**

**Only 3 more banking weeks left!**

All tokens are carried over into 2016 so keep saving now to get a head start for next year’s exciting new rewards.

If you received a prize selection slip can you please select a prize and return to the office by **Wednesday 2nd December** otherwise you will have to wait until next year to receive your prize.

**2016 iPad Program**

Just a reminder that payment is due for your child’s iPad if they are going into grade 3 next year. You have the option of paying a deposit of $150 to secure an order or you can pay the full amount and receive the iPad before the end of the year.

This payment is due no later than 9:00am tomorrow morning as orders will be placed early tomorrow morning.

**Kinder Fair**

**Herne Hill kinder Twilight Christmas Fair**

Friday November 27th
5-8 pm

- Sausage sizzle
- Cake stall
- Lollies
- Icecreams
- Market stalls
- Little Miss Meringue
- dear mabel
- Peas ’n’ Carrots
- Phoenix Trading
- Kids activities
- Lucky dips
- Craft Space
- Face painting
- Treasure hunt
- Second hand books and toys
- Raffle Prizes

Venue:
Cnr Gwynee & Church St
Hamlyn Heights
Art Activities

1/2s: Paper Weaving

2M: ‘Animals that live in trees and on plants’
- Clay Sculptures

1/2s: Batik Painting
# Star of the Week

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<td>Lucas F &amp; Alby R</td>
<td>For plain and simply being bucket fillers!</td>
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<td>1S</td>
<td>Sam R</td>
<td>For being a helpful computer expert!</td>
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<td>2M</td>
<td>Ethan D</td>
<td>You are Mr Grade 3! So ready for next year!</td>
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<td>3/4C</td>
<td>Grace R</td>
<td>For being a positive and helpful class member.</td>
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<td>5/6C</td>
<td>Maggie J</td>
<td>For continuing to work on her memoirs even while on holidays!</td>
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<td>PERFORMING ARTS</td>
<td>Jayde M</td>
<td>For being a good friend and happily including others into her group.</td>
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<td>Aimee P</td>
<td>For an amazing clay bird sculpture.</td>
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<td>3/4O</td>
<td>For glorious golfing!</td>
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<td>LANGUAGE</td>
<td>Jake M</td>
<td>For his wonderfully fluent reading. Well done!</td>
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<td>Rayan H</td>
<td>For working hard on his spelling words. Great job Rayan!</td>
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<td>1/2H</td>
<td>Aston J</td>
<td>For always giving effort to improve his reading and spelling.</td>
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<td>3/4BC</td>
<td>Sienna H</td>
<td>For winning 3-in-a-row games of 'Spelling OUT'!</td>
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<td>3/4O</td>
<td>Kurtis M</td>
<td>For using good comprehension skills, such as underlining key words and re-reading the text, to get the BEST answer.</td>
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<td>5/6O</td>
<td>Will S</td>
<td>For excellent behaviour and manners.</td>
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<td>5/6D</td>
<td>Sophie R</td>
<td>You have really worked hard on your &quot;Memoirs&quot;. Super Effort!</td>
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<td>Tess L</td>
<td>For an outstanding 3D wire sculpture.</td>
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<td>COMPUTER</td>
<td>1S</td>
<td>For having their best ICT session EVER!</td>
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<td>PRINCIPAL</td>
<td>Daniel P &amp; Jaxon B</td>
<td>Excellent oral reading.</td>
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## 5c & 10c Fundraiser - Lego Tower Race

The race has now finished! The winning class will be announced at assembly on **Monday 30th November**.

Who will be our winning class?

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Team Wonder Woman
Team Unikitty
Team Emmet
Team Benny
Team Mermaid Queen
Team Good Cop/Bad Cop
Team Batman
Team Superman
Team Metal Beard
Team Virtruvius
Team Wyldstyle