BULLETIN AND NEWSLETTER

A Newsletter will be emailed home on a Thursday, each fortnight, which will provide you with information and dates about Galilee. Alternating will be a Bulletin, which will be a reminder of upcoming events. Each Thursday you will be emailed either a Newsletter or a Bulletin. A new website will be in operation over the next four weeks which will allow for the Newsletters/Memos to be attached.

SWIMMING WEEK

Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 will begin their swimming lessons at MSAC next week. Children can wear full school uniform with runners. They should have their bathers under their uniform and don’t forget underwear for after the lesson!

Year 2 PE day will move to Wednesday for swimming week, 15th-19th February, but will then be back to Mondays from 22nd February.

GALILEE UNIFORM

Children should be attending school in correct uniform daily, unless a note is supplied to the classroom teacher from the child’s parent/guardian.

Correct uniform is sports uniform on sport days, black school shoes with summer and winter uniform, white socks for girls (not leggings), blue socks for boys and school jumper or jackets for cooler days.

Except for religious pieces, children should not wear jewellery to school.

ATTENTION GRADE 4 PARENTS: BASKETBALL RECRUITMENT DRIVE

We currently have three basketball teams at Grade 4 level: Galilee Kings (boys), Galilee United (boys) and Galilee United (girls). These teams participate in the competition run by Playball Basketball on Friday afternoon at MSAC from 4.00pm, the last match commencing at 6.15pm. Occasionally we play at Albert Park College or MacRobertson Girls High School.

As team manager of Galilee Kings, I have received a few expressions of interest from Grade 4 parents that their child is interested to join a basketball team. Unfortunately, there are currently no vacancies on the boys’ teams (each has 8 players which is the ideal number), but there are vacancies on the girl’s team.

Ideally we are seeking 7 or 8 boys to field a third boys team and 2 girls to fill the current vacancies on that team. Players must have a uniform (this costs about $65 which I will arrange). The registration fee per term ranges from $65-$75 per player (the amount depends on the number of games scheduled and number of players per team).

Optional training is held before school on Monday mornings from 7.45am. Each team requires a coach and team manager so if there is sufficient interest to form a third boys team, these parental roles also need to be filled.

Please contact me as soon as possible if your child is interested to play and/or you would be willing to coach or manage a team.

Regards
Barbara (Oscar’s mum)
0422 598 245

SCHOOL FEES

School fees were emailed to families last week. The first instalment is due by Friday 11th March. If you received a paper copy of your fees via your child, please see the office to update your email address.

CAREMONKEY

There is an increasing amount of CareMonkey profiles without a valid email address. It is vital to keep contact details up to date on CareMonkey, as we are using it to send different request forms. Please log on to change or update any information to be sure you receive documents from the school.

PARENT HELPERS

This is a reminder that return slips regarding Classroom Helping needs to be completed and returned to the office by today (February 11th). Both parents/carers who were previously trained or those wishing to be trained this year will need to fill in the form (sent out last week).
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When: Tuesday 1st March 2016
Time: Arrive at 6.30pm, session 7 - 8.30pm
Where: Elwood College VCE Centre, 101 Glenhuntly Rd, Elwood
Bookings: Call Elwood College on 9531 9566 or email elwood.co@edumail.vic.gov.au

PORT MELBOURNE SOCCER CLUB
JUNIORS WANTED…
Registration/Info Day: Sunday 14th Feb 10am
Training Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6pm (commencing 16th Feb)
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