

*Our Vision
To create
confident,
passionate and
curious learners
who are highly
literate and
numerate, have
high expectations
and are engaged
in their
community.*

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Friendship
building strong, positive and
supportive relationships
Empathy
understanding and identifying
with members of our diverse
community and treating them
with compassion and respect
Resilience
developing adaptability,
optimism and strength of
character to cope with life's
challenges
Creativity
encouraging inventive,
imaginative and original
thinking and expression
Wonder
inspiring a sense of awe,
fascination and curiosity in the
ways we can explore our world

SEPTEMBER	
SEPTEMBER 1st	COMMUNITY BUILDING 7.00PM
SEPTEMBER 8th	OSHC MEETING 5:45
SEPTEMBER 9th	BUILDINGS/GROUNDS/ENVIRONMENT& SAFETY 7.00PM
SEPTEMBER 10th	EDUCATION COMMITTEE 6.00PM
SEPTEMBER 11th	ENVIRONMENT & SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEE 4:00PM

PLEASE NOTE: Children are supervised at school between **8.45** and **3.45** each school day. They should not be on school grounds outside those times. If you require your child to be supervised outside those times they need to be at OSHC.



TERM DATES 2014



Term 3: Monday 14th JULY-19th SEPTEMBER

Term 4: Monday 6th OCTOBER-19th DECEMBER

NEXT FRIDAY MARKET:

Friday 5th September (Il Nido)

Friday 12th September (Jill 123)

From Janet

Hi Everyone,

Well, what another fantastic week! We have one 456 group of students out on camp; the Trivia night was a huge success; we have about \$18K for the Agora project thanks to Bronwyn Labagnara; the students and teachers are all learning and trying something new; and if you look around at the flowers and listen to the birds, you know that spring is definitely here.

Let's start with the Trivia night! It was great to see so many parents there having a good time and willing to contribute money to improve BEPS. There was a mixture of those who just came along and enjoyed the night, all the way through to those who really took to the theme and dressed up. I was amazed at the variety of outfits from Witches to Spiderman. I was also amazed that in some cases we had whole tables dressed in themes such as; the table of Dr Who, the Von Trapp Family (from sound of Music) and the whole Kiss group was present (I think that this iteration of the band was much better than the previous group (very personal opinion and I certainly don't want to offend those Kiss fans out there). The dressing up made it even harder to figure out who was who. There were even a few members of staff that I didn't recognise for a little while. However, I did comment to one parent early this week that he had missed a good night because I knew his partner was there but I hadn't seen him. It turns out that he was there but the makeup was so convincing that I didn't recognise him at all. Anyway thank you to all the parents and friends who came along on the night, had some fun and helped to make Saturday night a great success. Thank you also to the staff and their partners or friends who came along. It was great to be on a table with some of you. The **BIGGEST THANK YOU** has to go to the band of people who made the night happen. Thank you to those who came early and set up, greeted people at the door, counted up the scores, served drinks, collected and washed cups and then cleaned up after the event. To our DJs and announcer/question writer, thank you, you all did a great job.

Thank you to those who have continued the work associated with the trees for BEPS. Our first lot of trees arrived yesterday and we will have a mixture of parents and students plant these trees over the next couple of weeks. Yesterday I managed to have a look at the plants that the students have grown from either seed or cutting. I'm interested to see how the companion planting (sunflowers and beans) works and the native plants are looking fantastic. It's exciting to know that some of the plants are grown from seed or cutting from locally growing native plants and will be used in the school garden.



It is also exciting to know that the students are providing the Plant People with native plants that will be used for revegetation projects in places like Cold Stream. Well done to our budding horticulturalists, Elissa and Margaret.

For those of you who have not heard, Bronwyn Labagnara put forward an application to Nelson Alexander to be the recipient of the Foundation Day Fund. Nelson Alexander auction one house a year and donate their professional fees to a community group. The auction was last Saturday and it looks as though BEPS will receive about \$18k to put towards work on the Agora (the Pit). Work will start on the roof during this school holidays to repair damaged roofing material, spouting, and put in skylights. This work will mean that the roof will no longer leak and so then some of the ideas that children in Bicicletta had last year can be realised. Sorry but we might not have enough money for the water slide and pool in the middle. Thank you to Bronwyn for all the work she has put in to this grant and Nelson Alexander for their support.



Janet

Weekly Aftercare & Beforecare Program Plan

Framework for School Age Care: Focus Outcomes;

1. 'Children have a strong sense of identity'
2. 'Children are connected with and contribute to their world'
3. 'Children have a Strong Sense of Wellbeing'
4. 'Children are confident and involved learners'
5. 'Children are effective communicators'

AFTERCARE

Day	Date	Activity
Mon	8 th September	Hayfa: 'Playdo' Justine: 'Pattern Drawings' Glenda: 'Skipping/Adventure Playground/Master Chef' Rusty: 'Soccer' Indiana: 'AFL'
Tues	9 th September	Harri; 'Finger Puppets' Justine: 'Make your own Crossword' Glenda: 'Adventure/ Glenda's Hairdressing Salon' Rusty: 'Handball' Indiana: 'Soccer' Phyllis: 'Science Lab'
Wed	10 th September	Phyllis: ' Wheels Day ' (Bring in your own wheels of choice; bikes, skateboards, rollerblades, scooters: protective gear must be worn' Glenda: 'Cooking Club; Chocolate biscuits' Harri: 'Spring Flower Garlands' Justine: 'Paper Bird Mobile' Rusty: 'AFL' Indiana: 'Handball'
Thurs	11 th September	Harri; 'Hearts in Jars' Indiana: 'Hockey' Rusty: 'Spiderball' Glenda: 'Adventure Playground/Masterchef/story telling' Justine: 'Make your own Monsters Inc Magic Clay Models'' Phyllis: ' Wheels Day ' (Bring in your own wheels of choice; bikes, skateboards, rollerblades, scooters; protective gear must be worn'
Fri	12 th September	Rusty: ' Wheels Day ' (Bring in your own wheels of choice; bikes, skateboards, rollerblades, scooters: protective gear must be worn' Glenda: 'Adventure/Masterchef/Outside Games' Indiana: 'Handball' Phyllis: 'Skipping/Knitting'

BEFORECARE

Day	Date	Activity
Mon	8 th September	Phyllis: 'Knitting Penguin Jumpers' Hayfa: 'Playdo'
Tues	9 th September	Phyllis: 'board games' ' Hayfa: 'Origami Star'
Wed	10 th September	Hayfa: 'Origami box' Phyllis: 'Finger Knitting'
Thur	11 th September	Harri: 'Jewellery making' Phyllis: 'Knitting Penguin Jumpers'
Fri	12 th September	Phyllis; 'hall games' Hayfa: 'Card Games'

Hello Parents and Carers,

On **Friday September 5**, the students of 123 il Nido will be holding a Friday market to raise money for Medecins Sans Frontiers Australia (<http://www.msf.org.au/>)

As part of our inquiry into communities this year students investigated the importance of altruistic endeavours in creating productive and diverse communities such as ours, and decided that they would like to raise money to support their learning and help a worthy cause. The market will sell food and drinks, as well as a range of arts and crafts created by the children. The children have also made some arcade games to play and some children will be busking on the day.

We are really excited to support the work of Medecins Sans Frontiers and make the market a huge success, and we are looking for some enthusiastic community members to help us.

What can you do to help?

Donate –

- Cakes, lollies and treats, clearly labelled with ingredients, can be dropped off at the art room or il Nido kitchens for sale on the day.

Man the Stall –

- We need volunteers to help run the stall on the afternoon.

Pizza Oven –

- Instead of sausage sandwiches, team il Nido would like to use the wood-fired pizza ovens and sell pizzas on the day.
- We need someone to light the pizza oven in the morning and volunteers to monitor it throughout the day. There will be a timetable in the west wing of il Nido for people to sign up for a time slot that suits them to do this.
- We are also on the lookout for people to help cook the pizzas, and to help the kids prepare the dough and Napoli sauce on the day.

Set up/Pack up –

- This involves picking up the float from the front office and set up and pack up of the tables and items for sale on the day.

If you would like to help out with any of the following, please email Mel on fulton.melissa.j@edumail.vic.gov.au. There is also a sign up sheet in the west wing of the il Nido learning community.

Thanks for supporting our cause.

Cheers,
Team il Nido



SEEKING HAMPER DONATIONS PLEASE

Hello BEPS families,

Our **noisy auction** on the night of the Twilight Market (21st Nov) is lots of fun and very profitable. This year, among other things, we'd like to auction 5 large hampers of goodies.

We need your help to make these **hampers fantastic**. Please pop a donated item into the hamper box in your child's learning community or feel free to donate to a different learning community's hamper, if that theme suits you better. Here's the themes and some ideas of what you might like to donate:

Prep Trecicolo – **THE MCGYVER (outdoor enthusiast!)**

- maps, lights, paniers, reflective gear, socks, gloves, bike lock, pocketknife, headtorch, gaffa tape, beanie, sunscreen, myki card, thermos

123 Bicletta – **HIGH TEA**

- chocolate, nuts, wine, bubbly, jams, crackers, café vouchers, olives, spices, baking equipment, serving crockery, napery, aprons, oven gloves, tea towels

123 Alveare – **GREEN THUMB**

- seeds, Ceres voucher, nursery voucher, tools, pots, books, sunhat, gardeners hand cream, nailbrush, garden gnome, fairy lights

123 Il Nido – **THE GOURMAND**

- food vouchers, wine, glasses, crockery, pantry staples from around the world (curries, pasta, herbs/spices, exotic tins/jars, oils etc), cookbooks, bottle openers, cravattes

456 Su Nei Cieli – **PAMPER HAMPER**

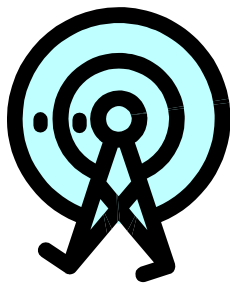
- mani/pedi vouchers, massage voucher, lotions and potions, soaps, bubbles (alcoholic and bath), chocolates, nail polishes, toiletries
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The hamper boxes will sit in your community **from tomorrow until the end of term**. Be as creative or as simple as you like!

Thanks in advance for your support,

Community Events

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From the Radio Room



Hello Parents and Carers,

The Junior Radio team did a magnificent job as the hosts of our 2014 school concert. To relive their glory and enjoy their interviews once more, please visit our Soundcloud page on:

<https://soundcloud.com/bepsradio/the-2014-beps-concert-by-junior-radio>

In other news, the radio room recently recorded an original song penned by members of 123 il Nido and local songwriter and founding member of Oh Mercy Alex Gow. To hear "The Things We Like to Do" (aka the feel good hit of the summer), please visit the following link:

<https://soundcloud.com/bepsradio/the-things-we-like-to-do-a-song-by-123-il-nido>

Also, our radio room-recorded Fathers' Day ring tones are available for purchase at the stall today. Don't miss out!

Cheers,

Mel, Chiara and Jacinta

COMMUNITY ADS



East Brunswick Kindergarten
and Childcare Centre

We have limited 3 year old Early Learning sessions and child care spaces left for our 2015 programs.

- Join our friendly welcoming community.
- Managed by a parent management committee.
- We have beautiful gardens and extensive outdoor play areas.
- Above regulation staff child ratios.
- Emphasis on Natural and recycled materials.
- Play based programs.
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- **All 3 year old and long day care sessions attract CCB and CCR.**

3 year old early learning sessions offered are,

Monday and Thursday: from 8.30 till 4pm.

Long day care: 8am - 5.30pm available on Monday/Thursday and Tuesdays.

Please contact Jane or Mary on 94893037 to arrange a tour or ask any questions.
2 Noel Street, East Brunswick.

Holy Trinity Cricket Club – The Family Friendly Club

2014-15 Junior Cricket Registration Day
Hayes Park, Flinders Street, THORNBURY

Saturday 6th September
10.00am – 12.00pm

Come and join the BEPS kids already playing in all age groups.

All girls, boys and families welcome. Experienced coaches running all teams.
Season starts during Term 4

Milo Cricket: Sat 10-11.30am. "In2Cricket" is a fun way for girls and boys from 5-7 years old to get involved with cricket.

Milo T20 Blast Sun 9.30-11.00am. A 20/20 carnival style introduction to the game for girls and boys 8-9 years old.

Under 11: Games Mon 5-7pm; Training Sat 9-10.30am

Under 13: Games Fri 5-8pm; Training Tue 4-5.30pm

More information call Dan Bradford 0405 256 012 or Darren Goodwin 0430 538 825

Coburg Carnivale: Bringing music and art to the streets!

Join us from Tuesday 30 September - Saturday 4 October to participate in the fun.

Coburg's annual arts festival features a range of free performances, music, public art and workshops that has something for everyone.

Bring your friends and family to this FREE community festival, which is sure to excite and delight.

Come and join in the fun!

Venue Victoria Mall
Cnr Victoria Street and Sydney Road, Coburg

Dates Tue 30 Sep to Fri 3 Oct, 11.30am – 1pm
Sat 4 Oct, 11am – 3pm

Transport Tram 19, Stop 33

For further information, please visit moreland.vic.gov.au

FREE HEARING CHECKS

Dear Parents / Guardians,

The Rotary Club of Pascoe Vale is organising free Hearing Testing Checks for all children from ages 3 ½ to 6 ½ years.

In the many years of running these clinics it has been found that, on average, one-third of children tested required further consultation or treatment.

When: Saturday September 13th 2014

Where: Pascoe Vale South Primary School
411-429 Reynard Street
Pascoe Vale South, Victoria 3044
Melways Ref: Map 29, A1 Off-street parking available

Time: Please ring Mrs. Vera D'Aprano ASAP for an appointment on 0402 438 006

The Hearing Tests are conducted by The University of Melbourne Audiology Clinic. Each child will receive an instant report, and each separate examination will take about 10 minutes. Please ring and provide these details:

- Name of child, or children
- Mobile phone number.

We look forward to your support with this program, as hearing impairment is a growing problem that can be detected at an early stage.

Kindest regards,

Bruce Browning
Chairman of Youth Service
The Rotary Club of Pascoe Vale



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sep 29 - oct 3

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