SCHOOL JACKETS

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This week’s value is:

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

MAY:
8   P & C Mothers’ Day Stall
12 – 14  NAPLAN Years 3 & 5

JUNE:
3 – 17    P & C Pie Drive

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL’S DESK
This week, fifty of our students attended the Goulburn/Crookwell District athletics carnival. There are some great performances and we expect that a number of our students will attend the regional carnival in September. All students should be commended on their effort and it was extremely pleasing to hear from a number of people outside our school that our students’ behaviour was exemplary. Congratulations also to Mrs Ralph who had responsibility for coordinating and running the carnival as the convenor.

Next week, our Years 3 and 5 students will take part in the NAPLAN testing. Unless your child is sick, they should attend all three days. Although three days are scheduled, the students are only participating in testing for up to two hours, spread over the day. For those students who are absent, Friday is scheduled as a make-up day. Although results have not been available until September in the past, we have been assured by the Board of Studies, Teaching and Educational Standards (BOSTES), that results will be returned much quicker this year.

At last night’s P&C meeting, I explained what funds came to our school and how they were spent. One of our largest purchases, approximately $27,000, is sets of IPADS, cases and large charging units. These will be utilised daily by K-2 classes, hopefully within the next week or two. As per our school plan, we will be looking at providing netbooks for the primary classes before the end of the year.

Our Crunch and Sip program has started off very successfully. Please ensure that your child has a piece of fruit or similar and some water of juice to drink during a mid-morning break. It helps to recharge the little grey cells and make our students more productive.

Winter is now upon us and we need to ensure that we don’t end up with a whole lot of jumpers without names on them. Please ensure your child has their name on their jumpers.

We have lots of jumpers which are obviously hand me downs, from students who attended the school in the recent past!

Finally, please see the section on birthday cakes. We are more than happy to celebrate a birthday, but lobbing an un-cut cake and a candle on a teacher makes life a bit difficult. Please ensure you follow our guidelines for cakes as we would hate for any child to miss out. We are subject to hygiene and WH&S regulations, just like anyone else. Cupcakes are ideal because they are easy to manage!

Mr Patatoukos

BIRTHDAY CAKES

- Please provide cupcakes if possible
- If a large cake is provided, it should be pre-cut and serviettes included
- Please do not include candles as we do not use lighters or matches around students

BOOKCLUB ORDERS

DUE BACK TOMORROW, 7 MAY.

Orders will not be accepted after 7 May.
Thursday winter warmer’s recess special:
««« 3 nuggets + sauce - $1.20 «««

Uniform Shop:
Goulburn Workwear no longer stock our black jackets therefore I will shortly be placing an order of the same jackets embroidered with the school logo which will sell through the uniform shop for $45.00 (a reduced price to what they were previously being supplied for). The jackets are great quality and wear exceptionally well. Sizes are quite generous and range from 4 to 16Y.

In order to get an idea of quantity and sizes required for this order, could you please return the order form which accompanies this newsletter with size/s required and a $5.00 deposit per jacket. Orders should be returned by Friday 15th May and can be placed in the red lunch order box.

Mrs Chapman

STEWART HOUSE DONATION ENVELOPES
Donation envelopes for Stewart House are due back at school by Friday 15 May.

OPPORTUNITY CLASS PLACEMENT 2016
Applications for the 2016 Opportunity Class must be made online at www.schools.nsw.edu.au/ocplacement
Online applications close Friday 15 May 2015.

UNIVERSITY OF WOLLONGONG
LEARNING LABS HOLIDAY PROGRAM
Little Learning Labs and Early Learning Labs, a gifted and talented holiday program for high achieving students from Year 1 to Year 6 will be held at the University of Wollongongs’s main campus on the following dates:
Little Learning Labs 29 June & 1 July
Early learning Labs 7 & 8 July
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Goulburn Rail Heritage Centre
Goulburn Rail Heritage Centre operates a replica Roundhouse housing heritage locomotives and coaches, rolling stock and railway ephemera. The centre aims to stimulate the interest in local history and preservation.
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