Term 3 2016 Calendar

7 September  GIDSSA Athletics—Selected students only
8 September  Year 6 Excursion-Camberwell Market
9 September  Year 6 Masterchef
9 September  Make Up session for Year 2 Swimming instead of 5th September
13 September  Japanese Lunch Day
13 September  School Council Meeting 7.30pm
15 September  Year 5 Excursion-Victoria Market
15 September  3pm in Year 1 Pod “Where in the World” presentation (Year 1’s)
16 September  Year 5 Masterchef
16 September  End of Term 3 -2.30pm Finish

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Dance Concert ‘Space Trip’
What a fantastic event. This concert has allowed your children to learn how to participate as an effective team member. They have learnt how to follow directions, develop gross motor and fine motor skills, connect the beat they can hear to the rhythm of their body. They have learnt to respect themselves as well as others, take turns, demonstrate persistence when dance moves became challenging and continued with a positive attitude.
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Thirdly, we need to acknowledge the parents and family members who attended. Your presence demonstrated to your children that you are proud of them, that you value their learning experiences and are committed to excellence in education as well. Events such as these do not happen without a lot of behind the scenes work. There are a number of people we would like to thank individually.

*All year 6 students for performing and working back stage.
*Erin Maloney for the program design
*Lisa Nichols who was the sound and lighting operator
*Sarah Adams for Trybooking ticket sales
*Paula Frost for the amazing backdrop design and all the students for helping her.
*All of the classroom teachers and staff for helping to organise the smooth transition of class groups on and off stage and ushers.
*A big thank you to Nicki Mathieson for costume design and creating.
Lastly, a really big thank you to Miss Georgia Lombard, Ms Giannaris and Ms Jespersen. Their ability to use student’s ideas to develop a script and choreograph appropriate movements to tell the story is phenomenal. Their combined ideas and commitment to your child’s learning and understanding dance is commendable. We are very lucky to continue to have Georgia as part of our community and are very much looking forward to what next year brings.

Natalie Nelson
Principal
"On September 1st, 14 year 5/6 students attended the Japanese school of Melbourne. The students planned three activities for us; Sport, Music and Japanese Culture. Sport was hula hooping, skipping and a game called ‘Tamaire’. In music, they played the Japanese National anthem using tambourines and bells. The last activity was Japanese Culture, we played ‘Kendama’, ring toss and ‘Fukuwarai’. We all ate lunch together but before you could eat lunch you had to say ‘Let’s eat’ in Japanese and give a blessing. During lunch we had great fun playing on stilts, unicycles, soccer and they organised relay Races using batons.

After lunch, we sat around in a circle and introduced ourselves practising our English and Japanese. As a farewell, the Japanese students did a song and a dance. We gave the Japanese students some origami. As we were leaving the school, the students held up their arms for us to pass under and say goodbye.”

Ava B, Yasmin B and Maddy B
SMILE Awards

Max F 0MD For an awesome performance on Concert night and during the whole day of practice. Well done Max, very proud of your effort.

Ashy P 0MG For using his learning time more effectively and working really hard to learn his high frequency words.

Max B 0MG For the huge effort he has put into improving his writing and working diligently on completing set tasks.

Amna D 0MC For being a good friend by helping cheer up her friends when they were sad.

Lochlan F 0MC For his hard work during concert practice. Well done Lochlan, you should be proud of your efforts.

Declan O 15N For including detail and interesting words in his imaginative writing. Can’t wait to read more Declan

Teresa B 1TD Excellent Maths work and ideas about subtraction.

Aaron D 2HL Improving his decision making. He is taking the time to more effectively manage his impulses so he makes better learning choices in and outside the classroom.

John P 2AA For your persistent effort in all areas of the curriculum. It is wonderful to always see you trying your best. Keep it up!

Lulu W 2RR For the magnificent effort she is putting in during Writer’s workshop. Well done Lulu!

Isabella P 3DS Your narratives are amazing! You use excellent vocabulary and writing strategies.

Taya T 3KT For overall excellence in Literacy and Numeracy tasks. Taya works proficiently and always puts 100% effort into her activities.

Evalyn B 3KT Continued great effort in reading and number tasks. Evalyn’s comprehension skills are really developing well.

Elina N 3KE For working so hard in the classroom since coming back from Korea. It’s great to have you back.

Cooper F 3KE For your persistence in reading and spelling. Thank you for always trying your best and sharing your great ideas.

Jamie B 4EM For actively listening and contributing to class and group discussions. Well done Jamie!

JP M 4DW For his positive attitude and excellent effort in the classroom.

Cassie B 4DW For your inspirational work in writing. Your enthusiasm for writing is contagious in our class.

Joel C 4KH For being exceptionally organised and taking responsibility for quality learning.

Patrick M 4KH For being a positive member of 5DF. Lara always works enthusiastically on set tasks. Great work Lara!

Will G 6SW For showing enthusiasm and terrific investigative skills in Maths. When he puts his mind to it, Will can ‘think outside the square’ and come up with some fantastic problem solving strategies.

Niro M 6MB Excellent effort during the school play.

Jack M 6MB For his effort and attitude during the school play.
Lunchtime Mind and Body

Lunchtime Mind and Body is a new lunchtime activity that will be running in Term 4 for students in Years 2 – 4. Students will be involved in meditation, animal yoga, mindful colouring and other calming activities. The program would be suitable for students who would like to feel relaxed at lunchtime and wish to learn some calming techniques to support the mind and body. The program will run on Wednesdays in the hall and comprises of 8 sessions. The cost is $50. Registration forms can be obtained from the school office.

Learn music here at school

Creative Music for Schools conducts a music program here at school each week.

Small group classes or one-to-one lessons of up to 30 minutes give children an excellent grounding in music where they will learn to read music and play their chosen instrument.

Tuition costs from $16.20 per lesson and enrolments are now being accepted for limited places in term 4, 2016.

Interested parents should call Sharon during office hours on 9181 2333 or email sharon@creativemusic.com.au

Creative Music
www.creativemusic.com.au

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(1300 46 76 25)
Creative Dance and Drama September Holiday Program 2016

What: Creative Dance and Drama workshops facilitated by Georgia Lombard
- Participants will be involved in a variety of dance/drama activities in the workshops.
- Each workshop is different so children can attend multiple days.
- Every workshop concludes with a performance.

Where: Ashburton Primary School Hall, Faganham Rd, Ashburton

When: Children in Prep - Year 6
- Cost: $50 per day per child
- Registration forms can be collected from the office or visit the Creative Dance and Drama website and request a form via the contact page.
- If you have any questions or require more information about the workshops please visit creativedanceanddrama.com and go to the contact page.

Looking for a way to keep your children entertained over the school holidays? Ashburton Pool and Recreation Centre’s spring school holiday program has a wide range of fun and exciting activities including Star Wars Day, Super Sports, Haunted House, Ashy Show Day, Crazy Crafts and much more! For more information, or to register your child, call our centre on 9885 0333 or visit our website at www.ashburton.boroondara.leisure.com.au.

St Dominic’s Tennis Club
School Holiday Tennis Clinic
Monday 19th – Thursday 22nd September
10.00am – 2.00pm
- Morning tea & Lunch provided
- Trophies and Prizes
- Daily Enrolments accepted
- All standards welcome

For all bookings and enquiries contact: Peter Caruana
9836 0097
petercaruana@bigpond.com

ANZ TENNIS HOT SHOTS
Toptenn Tennis Academy

Tennis Whizz (3-4yrs)
- Tennis Whizz develops fundamental motor skills such as balance, running, healthy habits and social development through a unique story telling approach.

Hot Shots Red Ball (4-6yrs)
- Smaller courts, larger balls and risk-free introduction to stroke play and learning.

Hot Shots Orange Ball (7-8yrs)
- Adapted rules with the big net, knobbies spin and intermediate serving, rules and technique.

Hot Shots Green Ball (9-10yrs)
- Introduction to the full court, advanced techniques and advanced strategy.

Squads & Competition (5yrs+)
- Beginner or advanced group packages designed to maximise their potential. Learn focus on basic stroke play, rallying and tennis culture.

Camcare
Supporting Community

Emotionally Intelligent Parenting
A 6 session program for parents of children 4 to 10 yrs

Emotionally Intelligent Parenting:
- Do your children understand their feelings?
- Do you know how to express your children’s feelings?
- Do your children have healthy relationships?
- Do you feel confident as a parent?

Tuning in to Kids shows you how to help your child develop emotional intelligence.

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Active Holidays...

Come join us for an exciting day of games and challenges with loads of new clothing and equipment giveaways.

Spring Holiday Program 2016

Monday 26th September: Shooting Stars - Basketball, European Handball & Netball
Tuesday 27th September: Going for Gold - Athletics, Bike riding & P.E. favoutites
Wednesday 28th September: Footy Fever - Soccer, AFL and more.

Registration from 9am and pick up at 4pm

WHO: Suitable for all age groups and abilities
WHERE: Ashburton Primary School - Gymnasium
COST: 1 day = $60, 2 days = $110 & 3 days = $160

A great way to enjoy your Spring Holidays!

Active Holidays is now accredited for the Childcare Benefit (up to 85% rebates available). Please contact us for further details.

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thinkingmoves@gmail.com
0419 302 106

Grand Fair Friday Icy Pole Convenor

Required Term 4 2016 and Term 1 2017

Friday – Start at 12.30 – stay until 1.30pm
Arrive to set up area for selling
Count money and tidy up

Monday – Ring through replenishment order.
Please contact Cheryl Hunter 0415 702 186
Or Janine Mowat 0410 444 228 for further information.
Father’s Day Morning & Roald Dahl Dress Up Day