Welcome to the 2015 School Year

Welcome back to everyone and hope your family enjoyed a good break. It hasn’t felt much like summer with lots of cool weather, but February is sure to bring some warmer days. We have many new families this year, with quite a few families moving into the area and of course lots with their first prep child starting….a special welcome to you all.

We welcome 5 new teachers to the team this year, those being Bianca Alvarez-Harris in prep, Siobhan Considine in grade 1, Hana Cleary and Jason Bahr in grade 3 and Rebecca Gaylard in grade 6. We also welcome back Narelle Sullivan after some time on Family Leave. Narelle is sharing the Japanese specialist role with Sue Hayashi. We also welcome Sharon Shrek and Claire Brisbane to our teacher aide team.

We had 98 preps start with us on Monday, 85 of those at Buninyong and 13 at Scotsburn. Our preps have settled in very nicely and it has been lovely to watch the grade 6 buddies enjoying looking after their little friends.

A big thank you to our staff who have done all that is required to be ready to welcome our students and get their school year off to a good start. We have lots to look forward to this year and encourage parents to look for and take advantage of opportunities to get involved with the school and your child’s education. We have our fete coming up on March 20th which will be a fantastic opportunity for parents to get involved.

We did have some parents wonder about the value of the book packs as they seemed light on for some year levels. In some cases this was because stationery items were on back order without us realising. In other cases it was because there are more materials to be ordered for students in the year level. We didn’t communicate that very well, so apologies for that. We have always made sure you get good value in your book pack and this year will be no different.

Parent handbook

Just a reminder to all parents that the Buninyong and Scotsburn Primary Handbooks are available on the schools website. They are a great resource for parents to go to.

www.buninyongps.vic.edu.au/documents/other-parent-
**CANTEEN**
Unfortunately the arrangement with Ballarat Specialist School to provide lunches through our canteen is on hold for the moment. We remain hopeful of getting this arrangement up and running, but for the moment will operate without a canteen. We will keep you posted, but hope to have a service of some sort in place in the near future.

**HATS HOME FOR A WASH**
We didn’t get around to sending hats home for a wash late last year, so will be doing that this weekend. In some cases you will notice your child’s hat is in a state of disrepair and is ready to be replaced….some of them have a hard life.

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**Year 4/5 BYOD Parent Training Session**

This **Thursday the 5th of February** the eLearning Team at Buninyong Primary School will be repeating their iPad training session from last term in the **BER (new building)** from 6pm-8pm.

The aim of the session is to assist in training parents with students in **grades 4 and 5 at Buninyong campus in 2015** and **years 4, 5 and 6 at Scotsburn campus in 2015** around the use of the iPad and its features.

We will holding 4 sets of 20 minute breakout sessions to help educate about using the iPad and parents can choose to attend these on a needs basis. The sessions which will be run are:

1. The iPad Basics – Looking at the features and functionality of the iPad as well as basic troubleshooting.
2. Account Creation - creating an iTunes account and security questions, syncing devices.
3. Apps! – Searching the App Store (Free and Paid Apps), redeeming apps, being careful of in-app purchases and app legalities.
4. Parental Control – Enabling restrictions, password lock, guided access.

**Please bring along your child's iPad to the session. We will also have a limited set of devices available for parents to use as we teach the above.**

We look forward to seeing as many parents (children not required at this session) as possible and are really excited beginning soon!
Netbook Program and BYOD iPad Program – Key Dates:

To help us get moving with using our devices, the following dates will be helpful for each of the listed programs:

BYOD – iPad Program:

6th of February  Make sure that all forms (available on the website) related to the program are returned and all Apps are installed (Redemption codes are being sent home to those who ordered apps by the end of this week) on your child’s device.

Please make sure that expectations at home are clear as well. We strongly advise that devices are not stored in bedrooms and are charged overnight in a communal area.

9th of February  Students with signed documentation are to start bringing/carrying their iPad to school. For added safety carry the devices and don’t transport them in bags.

26th of February  Cybersafety Information Session will be held in the BER from 6-8pm

Grade 6 Netbook Program:

6th of February  Make sure that all forms related to the program are returned to the office.

Please make sure that expectations around the use of the device (usage time, charging, etc) at home are clear as well. We strongly advise that devices are not stored in bedrooms and are charged overnight in a communal area.

10th of February  Students who have paid for and have returned all forms will begin receiving their netbook. Please note that this may take a week to distribute all netbooks to students. As soon as students receive their device, they should bring it to school every day from that point on.

26th of February  Cybersafety Information Session will be held in the BER from 6-8pm.
USE OF EMAIL TO COMMUNICATE

From the beginning of last year we have sought to use email more effectively as a communication tool with parents. Each year level will be sending out a class newsletter very soon which will include email addresses for the teachers in your child’s year level and the specialist teachers. Teachers will also receive email addresses for parents, which will make it easy for parents and teachers to keep in touch. An Email Protocols Statement appears as the final 3 pages of this newsletter. Please have a read and in particular note:

- We’re not seeking to reduce face to face or over the phone communications...they remain important to us, but we realise that’s not always possible.
- Email is terrific for some communication (eg, brief information sharing, organising things), but a poor option for others (eg, seeking to solve complex or emotive issues)...choosing the best form of communication will be important.

As always, if you have any concerns or suggestions about anything related to school, don’t hesitate to contact your child’s teacher, Sue or Bernie.

FUTSAL SUCCESS

Congratulations to Jayva Goriss-Dazeley who was selected to be goalkeeper in the 10/11s Boys Australian Futsal Team touring overseas in November and December 2015. He was selected as a result of his performance in the 10s and 11s Victorian Teams at the Australian Futsal Association National Championships in Sydney, January 2015. Jayva was goalkeeper and captain of the 10s and was promoted at the Nationals to goalkeeper of the 11s.

CATHERINE KING AWARD

Congratulations to the Buninyong Mens Shed who were awarded with the Catherine King Award at the final assembly of 2014. This award recognises community service that benefits the school. The gentlemen from the Mens Shed have been amazing for the school. In recent times they have built us a cubby, a deck and boats at both campuses. All of these projects have been very successful and continue to be popular play spaces. We thank these men for their work and look forward to our close relationship continuing for many years. Pictured with Catherine King below are John Podolinsky, Russell Williams and Neville Wilson who ac-

Billy Miller

Last year Billy very kindly stayed with an injured prep until they felt better, displaying great compassion. He also volunteered to collect any bags or balls that were left on the netball court every morning, making sure they were returned to their owners.
It’s great to be back
The staff at Scotsburn would like to welcome back all of our families and hope that you all had a wonderful Christmas break. We would also like to thank the many families who cared for our chooks and vegie garden over the Christmas break. It is greatly appreciated.

Parent Morning Tea
This Thursday 5th February, there will be a morning tea from 9am in the old building. It will be a great chance to catch up and also welcome our new parents. Please bring along a small plate of food to share.

Welcome Preps of 2015
You will have noticed quite a number of preps running around the school yard. We are extremely excited to have 13 new preps joining us in 2015. They are all settling in well under the brilliant guidance of Mrs Murphy and can look forward to many fun times ahead.

Welcome Mrs Murphy
We would like to welcome Mrs Murphy into the Scotsburn community. Beth has loved her first few days up at Scotsburn and is settling in very well. She is an extremely approachable and friendly person, so please drop in and introduce yourself.

2015 Positions of Responsibility
As you may be aware, our Grade 6 students will be taking on extra responsibilities this year. We are excited to announce that Toby Bilston (Voice of the Students – VOTS), Rhys Smith (Media), Nathan Levens and Paige Iskra (Environment) and Mia Lepair and Rory Ludeman (Sport) will carry out these roles. We know that these students will lead the campus in a very positive and respectful way and look forward to the many exciting opportunities that they will provide the students at Scotsburn.

Monday Rotations
Rotations start next week and Group 1 will be cooking first. Please remember to send along extra lunch if you think your child will need it. Any special dietary requirements also need to be relayed to your child’s teacher. A friendly reminder to also pay the $30 for the first semesters program to the office at Buninyong.

Scotsburn Assemblies
This year, our Gr 6 students will be leading us in a weekly Monday morning assembly from 9am. Families are welcome to come along. The first assembly will be on Monday 9th February. Spelling Mastery will follow the assembly.

Welcome Sharon and Claire
We are very fortunate this year to have Sharon and Claire joining Kim as our integration staff at Scotsburn. We feel very lucky to have such caring and hardworking support staff to assist our students at Scotsburn.

Staff First Aid Training
Last week, all of the staff at Buninyong and Scotsburn took part in the Level 2 First Aid Training Course. It was a great opportunity for us all and will certainly help to ensure that our students are well looked after.

Spelling Mastery
Spelling mastery will kick off on Monday 9th February. Could any parents that are available to help from 9am each morning please contact Shaun ASAP.

Important Dates & Extra-Curricular Events
- 5th Feb - Parent Morning Tea 9am
- 11th Feb - Gr 1-6 Seed collecting (weather permitting)
- 5th Feb - BYOD Parent Training Session (6pm-8pm)
- 9th Feb - Cooking/Gardening/ICT rotation commences
- 9th Feb - Scotsburn Assemblies begin – 9am
Konnichiwa everyone.

It is particularly exciting to start Japanese again this year as we have relocated to a new room, giving us a lot of extra space. We are now in the room next to the gymnasium. Sullivan sensei and Hayashi sensei will be team teaching and we have lots of great ideas for 2015.

We have the Fete coming up in Term one and may require some students who are skilled at origami to fold some prize boxes for us. This year we plan to continue our weekly questions and include some drawing competitions. Last year’s Pikachu drawings were fantastic and it would be great to see a continued high level of participation. There will also be an opportunity for students to take home a special Japanese cultural bag that has games, videos and craft activities in it. This will give students a chance to involve their families in their studies. We look forward to a productive year and your continued support.

Our first weekly question is

What is this doll called?

Keep your eyes peeled in the Japanese room to find the answer, if you’re not sure. Then, write your answer and your name and class and put the piece of paper in the answer box in the Japanese classroom. If you are lucky to have your name drawn out, you will be given a prize at assembly each week. The new question will also be announced at assembly. The winner for the first question will be drawn on Friday 13th. Make sure that you enter as often as possible to be eligible for special prizes at the end of the year.

Arigatou

Hayashi sensei and Sullivan sensei
Are you considering becoming a PLP for our school?

Please contact your class teacher if you are interested. It is a great way to be involved with the school and participate in many aspects of your child’s education. If you have already been a PLP and would like to be one again that is fine. If you want to share the role with someone else that is also ok. Please talk to other parents that may be interested but unsure of what the role involves, sometimes there is very little required of you but to have your input once or twice a term on current issues is invaluable. Last year discussions varied from uniform, to homework to the playground to parent involvement. We had some great discussions and really valued the input you all had.

PARENT LIAISON PERSON (PLP)

Aim & Purpose
- To strengthen the partnership between the school and the Parent body
- To further build communication between Parents, teachers and the principal
- To continue to provide opportunities for parents to contribute to the school and the education of our children

More about the program
The Parent Liaison Program will include –
- A Parent representative from every grade within our school
- A meeting each term with the principal, including all Parent Liaison Grade representatives
- Information about the Parent Liaison program for all members of the school
- A photo of the Parent Liaison Person displayed on the classroom entrance

Role Description
- To welcome new Parents/families into our school and their child’s grade
- To assist with organising Parent involvement in whole school events, eg Walkathon, Working Bee
- To work closely with the classroom teacher to build positive relationships
- To attend two meetings each Term with the Parent Liaison Person of each Grade and the Principal
- To organise the classroom Parent helper rosters where required
- To organise assistance to families in need
- Code of Confidentiality is to be respected
- To assist when your grade is attending an excursion or camp
- To assist with any special activity in the classroom
- The co-ordinator may not always be available but as part of his/her role organise assistance from others
- Any correspondence sent home must be verified by the class teacher
- To respect and uphold our Code of Conduct
- To keep parents informed as requested by teachers
- Organise a get together for parents and teacher once a year, eg afternoon tea (casual)
- Are you considering becoming a PLP for our School?

2015 Parent Liaison Person.
I am interested in being a Parent Liaison Person for 2015 for Grade ______
Name: __________________________________________
Anaphylaxis

Anaphylaxis is a severe rapidly progressive allergic reaction that is potentially life threatening and requires a rapid response and is regarded as a medical emergency. The most common allergens in school aged children are peanuts, eggs, tree nuts (e.g. cashews), cow’s milk, fish and shellfish, wheat, soy, sesame, latex, certain insect stings and medication.

The key to prevention of anaphylaxis in schools is knowledge of those students who have been diagnosed at risk, awareness of triggers (allergens), and prevention of exposure to these triggers.

At Buninyong we have a number of students who suffer from food allergies. We also have 2 students who are allergic to jumping ants. Our staff have been trained in anaphylaxis management and we have a process in place for all staff to follow if such an emergency should occur. Revision of our process is held in staff meetings at the beginning of every term.

Please note that where food is to be shared eg. Class parties, birthdays, all parents will be asked to notify the class teacher in advance that they plan to bring food to share, which will allow parents of children with severe allergies to be notified in advance and provide the opportunity to send alternative food. Parents of children with severe allergies may also choose to leave a small supply of allergy safe food for their child with the class teacher for their child to have at times where advance notice is not given to the class teacher.

NEW CRICKET BAT FOR ANGUS

Last year we were very fortunate to have a cricket bat donated by the Melbourne Renegades. During Physical Education classes children’s names were placed on a ticket in a raffle. The raffle was drawn at the end of 4 and was winner was Angus Gunn. Angus is pictured below with Mr O’Kelly.

PRESENTATION TO CADEL EVANS

Congratulations to Emily Micallef who was lucky enough to have her name drawn out and win the honour of presenting a special card to Cadel Evans at the Road Cycling Championships in Buninyong in January. The combined efforts of Mrs Noyce, the grade 6 Art Team and each of the classes led to a terrific card being compiled. Following are Emily’s reflections from the day.

On my holiday I got to give a card to Cadel Evans. I was nervous, happy and excited. He is a really good bike rider.

Emily

First aid training

On January 28th, all of our staff completed a level 2 first Aid Course. This will no doubt better equip us to manage any first aid issues that arise at school.
FINAL ASSEMBLY FOR 2014
The final assembly in any given year is a big event and presents a nice way of celebrating the year and thanking everyone for helping to make Buninyong PS such a great school. This always includes a focus on our grade 6 students who are heading off to secondary school. The grade 6s had a formal graduation earlier in the week, but assembly closes with the opportunity for everyone to thank them for their efforts, to say farewell and to give them a chance to say goodbye. This assembly was also a great opportunity to say thank you and wish all the best to staff who are moving on. On this occasion that included Peter Mould, Jenny Bomitali and Tara Gullock who had given wonderful service over many years. Below are some photos which give a sense of the occasion.
Midlands District Amateur Swimming Association Events

Dear Parents,

The Midlands District Amateur Swimming Association will be hosting two swimming events for Ballarat and district schools this term.

The Nine and Under 25 meter events will be held at the Ballarat Aquatic Centre on Wednesday 25th February starting at 7:00pm. This event includes 7/U, 8 years and 9 years, 25 meter freestyle and 25 meter backstroke only.

The Primary Schools 50 meter events and relays will be held at the Eureka Swimming Pool Complex on Sunday 22nd February commencing at 10:15am (warm up 9:45am). This event includes freestyle, backstroke, breaststroke, butterfly, freestyle relay and medley relay.

The cost is $4.00 per swimmer per event, Relays: $2.00.

The following information is for both the Wednesday night and Sunday competitions.

Primary School 50m Events & Relays (Age as at 31st December 2015)
(Sunday 22nd February, Eureka Swimming Pool)

Spectator entry: $2.00

Cost: $4.00 per swimmer per event, Relays $2.00

PLEASE NOTE: A swimmer can only enter two (2) events and one (1) Relay

A swimmer can still participate in the McCains Relay

Boys | Girls | Age Group | Stroke
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1 | 2 | 13/U | Medley Relay, 4 x50m
3 | 4 | 10/u | Freestyle
5 | 6 | 11 Years | Freestyle
7 | 8 | 12/13 Years | Freestyle
9 | 10 | 10/U | Backstroke
11 | 12 | 11 Years | Backstroke
13 | 14 | 12/13 Years | Backstroke
15 | 16 | 10/U | Freestyle Relay, 4x50m
17 | 18 | 11/U | Freestyle Relay, 4x50m
19 | 20 | 13/U | Freestyle Relay, 4 x50m

RELAY SWIMMERS MAY ONLY COMPETE IN ONE AGE GROUP OF THE FREESTYLE RELAYS, PLUS THE MEDLEY RELAY AND MCCAIN MIXED FREESTYLE RELAY

21 | 22 | 10/U | Breaststroke
23 | 24 | 11 Years | Breaststroke
25 | 26 | 12/13 Years | Breaststroke
27 | 28 | 10/U | Butterfly
29 | 30 | 11 Years | Butterfly
31 | 32 | 12/13 Years | Butterfly
33 | | | McCain Primary School Mixed Freestyle Relay, 4x50m (Teams to be made up of both male and female swimmers)

Please Note: If there are more than 4 children who have entered in a relay team, we will enter the 4 fastest swimmers on the day.
Primary 9/U 25m Events
(Wednesday 25th February, Aquatic Centre)

AGE OF SWIMMER AS AT 31ST DECEMBER 2015 FOR 25M EVENTS

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Please note: Swimmers who compete in the 25m events cannot compete in the same stroke for the 10/U 50m events on Sunday 22nd February 2014.

EACH SWIMMER MUST BE ABLE TO SWIM 25 METRES

Please complete the form below if your child is interested in competing in these swimming sports and return it to Mr O’Kelly (PE teacher) by Monday 9th February. Entries cannot be accepted after this date.

Name of child______________________________________________________________

Grade_________________________________________________ (Year level and Teacher’s initial)

D.O.B_________________________________________________

Event numbers__________________________________________

Money enclosed$__________________________________________

Please acknowledge that you understand parents are responsible for getting their child to and from the pool and for supervision at the pool as these sports are not being held during school times.

Signed____________________________________________________

Name_____________________________________________________
RATIONAL
At Buninyong Primary School we are committed to open, honest and timely communication. We are also committed to communication being respectful, measured, sensitive and constructive. In adhering to these principles we aim to strengthen the goodwill and the positive partnership between parents and the school, to enhance the wellbeing and learning opportunities for our students.

We acknowledge the potential benefits of staff and parents communicating via email, but also understand its shortcomings. This policy is designed to establish clear expectations for both staff and parents in the use of email as a communication tool.

GENERAL PRINCIPLES
Email is an environmentally friendly way of communicating that can save time when used effectively. We acknowledge that email is very convenient for parents who are working and find it difficult to catch up with school staff during regular work hours. Having said that, our school community values face to face and phone conversations and understands that these forms of communication are preferred in many situations.

Expectations of Both Staff and Parents
When communicating via email, staff and parents are expected to adhere to email etiquette, including:

- Emails are at their best when they are brief and informative. Issues that require a level of detailed discussion should be dealt with in person or over the phone.
- Emails should always be respectful and constructive. If the email relates to a concern or problem, it ought to be focussed on understanding the problem and finding a solution.
- Avoid sending negative or confrontational emails. Email is not to be used to vent. We never say in an email what we wouldn’t say to the recipient’s face.
- Never write about or seek personal information regarding third parties (staff, students or parents). Likewise, emails containing personal or sensitive information should not be passed on to a third party without permission of the sender.
- The tone or intent of emails can easily be misunderstood, especially where humour or sarcasm is involved. Be conscious of this and pick up the phone rather than send an email in this instance.
- Staff and parents are not expected to respond to emails that are contentious. A face to face meeting should be arranged in this circumstance.
- Group emails have the potential to waste the time of many, so avoid sending emails to anyone for whom it is not relevant. It is also courteous to avoid time wasting emails, including jokes, chain letters and commercial solicitations.
- Make sure the purpose of your email is clear…do you require specific action or is the email for information only.
- Staff and parents must be careful not to disclose the email addresses of others without permission to do so.
Expectations of Staff

- Email should not be used to discuss a sensitive issue which was not initiated by the parent or had not been previously discussed with the parent.
- When an email is received from a parent that requires some time to gather information and reply properly, the staff member should respond acknowledging that the email has been received and indicate when an informed response will be sent.
- Staff will aim to reply to parent emails within 2 working days.
- When on leave, staff will activate an auto-reply message detailing relevant leave dates.
- Staff are not to respond to abusive emails and should forward them to the school principal.

Expectations of Parents

- Remember to respect staff personal time. Parents shouldn’t send emails outside of work hours and expect an immediate response.
- Please only send non-vital messages by this medium. For example, do not use email to inform a teacher that your child is not to go home on the bus that afternoon, as the teacher may not see the message in time. Remember that given work demands teachers may not get to read emails until late in the day.
- Please don’t seek to discuss in detail your child’s academic progress, learning expectations, or behavioural issues via email. These are best addressed over the phone or in person.
- Emails that are intended for the office staff should be sent directly to the school’s email address, that being: buninyong.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au

IMPLEMENTATION

Informing parents of Teacher Email Addresses - The first class newsletter of each year will include the department email addresses of the classroom teacher and specialist teachers.

Informing Teachers of Parent Email Addresses - Office staff will compile lists of parent email addresses to be provided to teachers at the beginning of the year.

RESPONSIBILITIES

All staff and parents are responsible for using email in accordance with this policy.

It is the responsibility of school leadership to ensure the policy is brought to the attention of:

- Parents on enrolment of their child.
- The whole school community annually.

Policy Review – This policy is to be reviewed annually
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