PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE if you have changed your phone number, address or emergency contacts so that our records are up to date

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Hello Staff, Parents, Carers and friends,

Congratulations to the parents and carers who attended the iPad ‘hands on’ training and familiarization workshops which Cathy Bester recently organized. The workshops were also an opportunity for parents and carers to meet others who have a son or daughter enrolled at the school. At this stage, the iPads are being loaded with specific apps in readiness for students to begin accessing them at school initially.

Burnie Shines Cocktail Party – Saturday, 27th October

WOW! A total of 380 tickets were sold! The Cocktail Party was once again a great success due to the dedication and team support given especially by the organizers – Wendy Cumming, Glenda Scaddon & Di Ewington. I would like to thank members of staff, past and present along with members of the School Association including, Sandra French and Multicap helpers who worked in the kitchen at SOSE Burnie on Saturday morning preparing the food. The support of volunteers to undertake a variety of jobs such as, serving and clearing up on the night ensures the success of such a fantastic fundraiser.

Well Done everyone!

A Special Treat - 1st November

Staff members and students will gather in the gym at 12.30 p.m. AEST to celebrate Music: Count us In. This is Australia’s biggest school music initiative. With support from the Australian Government, the program has run since 2007 and is all about celebrating the value of music education to students’ development, whoever they are, wherever they are. It involves more than half a million students and teachers from schools all over Australia signing up to learn, rehearse then perform the same song, on the same day, at the same time. Jacqui Astley has once again revved up our school to perform!!!
Music Camp – November 12th & 13th at Camp Clayton, Ulverstone.
The theme for the year’s camp is “Friends”.
Notices have already gone home to explain the requirements for students who will be staying overnight on Monday, 12th November.
I want to share with you the Day 2 (TUESDAY) plan to ensure that as many parents, carers, friends and School Association members will make the effort to travel to Camp Clayton on Tuesday, 13th November.

Please note the following specific times:

10.00am  Day students will arrive at Camp Clayton to commence practicing for the concert.
10.30 – 11.30am  Morning tea will be provided and students will have a chance to play on camp play equipment.
11.30 – 12.30pm  Concert (parents, carers, grandparents and friends) are invited to attend.
12.30 – 1.30pm  BBQ Lunch will be provided.
1.45pm - Staff and students will return to school on buses.

January 2013 Summer Holiday Program
Once again, Ability Employment will be funding a week of different activities commencing on the second week in January for one week only. Information has already been sent home. If you are interested in your son/daughter attending for the whole week or for only one day please contact Keenie or Sandra at the Burnie campus to confirm a booking.

HATS
As we are experiencing warmer weather now please send along a suitable sun hat for your child to wear when playing outside.

Best wishes and I hope to see you all on Tuesday 13th November at Camp Clayton.

Grace
Silver enjoys his new bike
Working with the new “smart board”
Kaylan tests his balancing skills

Jacob working hard at LINKS

We all like to cook & eat the yummy food