Dear Community

Gala Day
Students in Grades 4-6 will be participating in the second Gala Day this Thursday, 7th August. Students will need suitable clothing and children playing hockey or football will need a mouthguard. There will be a canteen operating on the day, which will be run by the Bridport School Association. They would appreciate the donation of cakes, slices and biscuits. Help on the day is still needed.

School Association
The next School Association meeting will be held on Thursday 14th August at 3:15 p.m. in the library. If you have any items for discussion, please contact one of the School Association representatives.

Assembly
Grade 2/3 Gerke will be sharing their class work at the assembly next Thursday, 14th August. Parent and community members are most welcome to attend.

Community Concert
Prep children will be performing at the community concert at the RSL club next Thursday, 14th August at 12:30 p.m. We thank Mrs Lewis for the time and effort that she has put in to prepare the students for the concert.

ICAS Computer Results
Congratulations to Alex Phillips who received a merit certificate and Kirsten Mundey who received a credit certificate in the ICAS computer test.

Launching into Learning/Kinder Parent Workshop – “The Value of Play”
Parents of young children (up to Kindergarten age) are invited to attend an interactive workshop with Mrs Landles and Miss Harding on the importance of play and how play contributes to their development. This will take place in the Discovery Centre, from 1:45 p.m. for a 2:00 p.m. start. See attached letter for more information.

Regards,
Carol Stingel

DATES TO REMEMBER

**August**
- Thursday 7th: Gala Day 2
- Friday 8th: Movie Night
- Thursday 14th: Prep Concert
- Friday 15th: 2/3 Gerke Assembly
- Monday 18th – Thursday 21st: School Association Mtg
- Tuesday 19th: Wolfstock Performance
- Thursday 21st: SHS Gr 4-6
- Thursday 28th: Singfest Rehearsal at SPS
- Friday 29th: Dance Event Prep-Gr 6

**September**
- Wednesday 3rd: School Photos
- Thursday 4th: 5/6 Reid Assembly
- Friday 5th: TSO Excursion Gr 4-6
- Thursday 11th: Singfest
- Monday 18th & Tuesday 19th: Country Gold Carnival
- Sunday 21st: Vision Portraits
- Wednesday 24th – Friday 26th: 5/6 Camp

Grade 2/3 Gerke – Mr Landles Visit
Students in Mrs Gerke’s class were visited by Mr Landles who is originally from Scotland. In class students are studying about the recent Commonwealth Games which was held in Glasgow, and Scotland. They were thrilled to meet a person who is from there.

*Pictured left is Jaiden who is wearing a Scottish hat which is called a Glengarry.*

These are some of the written sentences from the students from yesterday’s visit:

“The funny hat is called a Glengarry. They wear kilts with tartan on them. If you slam the door in winter you have to run because the snow will fall on your head”. Written by Phoebe Arnold.

“In Scotland there are some castles that have bells in them that people rang so they knew which room they were in”. Written by Lily Easther.
Merit Awards
Prep Grace: Belle Spencer for improvement in handwriting, neatness and presentation of work. Fergus Stewart for improvement in reading. Great effort!
1/2 Hailey: Nate Coates for making a greater effort with independent tasks to complete them on time, especially in writing. Isaac Watts for always listening attentively and working quietly to complete tasks on time.
2/3 Gerke: Oscar Creese for enthusiastic participation and care with written presentation. Rowan Johnson for huge improvement with sentence writing and presentation.
4/5 Hall/Lewis: Isla Richards for independent work, keeping on task and always striving to do her best. Great progress in research ability! Zoe Blackwell for great concentration in class and working hard at all times. Zachary Marshall for being an independent worker who always puts 100% into his work and is a great role model. Bradley Milne for being an independent worker who always strives to do his best and takes pride in his work.

Reading Awards
50 Nights Home Reading – Zali Dolley.
75 Nights Home Reading – Tahlia Child, Angus Creese and Ella Fromager.
100 Nights Home Reading – Belle Spencer, Samuel Borg and Hamish Gunn.
125 Nights Home Reading – Brayden Hall and Asha Milne.
150 Nights Home Reading – Caitlyn Burns and Connor Burns.

Breakfast Program
When: Every Thursday at 8:30 a.m.
Where: Discovery Centre

School Uniform Shop
Open this Wednesday between 8:45 – 9:15 a.m.
Where: Launching into Learning Room
Please note open in the morning only!

Sculpt Fitness
New sessions opening up soon!!
Netballers – Thursday night @ 6:00 p.m.
Mums after school drop off – Fridays @ 9:00 a.m.
Booking is essential and is limited
Current sessions are Monday, 6:00 p.m. – Group training
Wednesday, 6:15 a.m. – Circuit
Bridport Primary School, phone Dee on 0400180659

Links to Singfest
https://www.facebook.com/singfesttasmania
http://soundcloud.com/singfest

Bridport Football Club News
The Parents versus Kids game was very entertaining and close enough to go into overtime. The U12s won and showed their great sportsmanship by shaking the hands of the parents after the game. This Saturday 9th August the U12s will be playing Winnaleah at Winnaleah. Please arrive at 9:00 a.m. for a 9:30 a.m. start. The game will be finished by 10:30 a.m. This is the last game for the home and away season. This Thursday will be the U12s last training for the season starting at 4:00 p.m. and finishing at 5:00 p.m. There is no supervision at the Bridport Football Ground until 4:00 p.m. The U12s will be playing on Grand Final day at Scottsdale in the half time break in the afternoon on Saturday 6th September. We will have a Pie Night after a special training session on Thursday 4th September in preparation for the Grand Final playoff. Contact Lynden Russell for more information on 0418178729.

Mathletics
www.mathletics.com.au

Newsletter
https://education.tas.edu.au/bridportprimary

Reading Eggs
www.readingeggs.com.au

Community Ads
(All community ads advertised for 1 week only)
For Sale: Size 6 navy winter school skirt x2, size 8 black stockings, $10 for all. Phone Ann-Marree on 63561665.

Portrait Fundraising Event
Sunday, 21st September
Please support us!!
Open to the whole community
Only $15 for your 10”x13” portrait with frame.
Book and pay with credit card online:
www.trybooking.com/FINC
Hurry, bookings close Friday, 12th September.
Ask your friends, neighbours and family to join in!
All enquiries – call
Vision Portraits on 1800067714 or 0395969400

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