Hello Everyone

Our first round of winter sport began last Friday and what a great afternoon it was. Westbury played Deloraine at Westbury and it was pleasing to see students enjoying themselves and giving their best in their respective sports. Many thanks, to the parents who have volunteered to train, coach or umpire students - we appreciate your generosity.

This week is Chaplaincy week and we will be celebrating Chaplaincy at Westbury at our assembly this Thursday. Please come along and join us and see the Kindergarten children host their first assembly.

Don’t forget this Friday May 24 is our annual Walk Safely to School Day. Students and families wishing to walk to school on the day will need to meet teachers at the playground on the Village Green at 8.15am sharp. The walk to school will be followed by the Big Breakfast in the GP Hall. If you are able to help prepare for the breakfast by cutting up fruit or cooking toast, please contact the school office.

I will be in Hobart on Tuesday and Wednesday this week at a Principal Development Program. Mrs Shaw and Ms Jales will be available to assist you in my absence.

Lastly I would like to commend our Grade 3 and Grade 5 students who participated in NAPLAN testing last week. All students enthusiastically undertook the testing and displayed positive attitudes throughout. Well done.

Enjoy your week.

Alison Brooks

COMING EVENTS
May 23 - Assembly 12 noon Kinder
May 24 - Walk Safely to School day
May 24 - Sport v Longford @ Longford
May 31 - Sport v Perth @ Perth
June 6 - Assembly 12.10pm Gr 5-6
June 10 - Public Holiday
June 12 - NM Cross Country at Cressy
June 14 - P & F meeting 2.00pm
June 19 - Jump Rope for Heart

OFFICE CLOSED
Please note that the office will be closed next Wednesday 29 May as Mrs Fernley and Mrs Rootes will be attending Professional Learning in Launceston.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
The staff, students and wider Westbury community wish the following students a very happy birthday for next week:

Charlotte Wall-Holmes, Courtney Winzar, Holly Larcombe

DISCLAIMER
Parents should note that advertisements for educational services, companies, activities or similar events are published as a ‘community service’. Westbury Primary School is in no way liable for the quality, supervision or integrity of the provider and strongly suggests that parents make their own enquiries before engaging with the advertised event.

Alison Brooks, Principal
SCHOOL ASSOCIATION NEWS
The newly elected committee of the Westbury Primary School Association held its first meeting last Thursday evening. The committee consists of:

Chairperson - Konrad Chung
Vice Chairperson - Simone Triffitt
Secretary - Vikki Bullock
Treasurer - Angus Piercey
Community Representative - Annette Barrett
Staff members - Alison Jales, Kim Rootes, Anna Woolley
Principal - Alison Brooks

The Association participates in the formulation and development of the school which includes its beliefs, values and priorities. The Association also assists the Principal in the school’s operation and management. As well as providing advice on school policies, the Association fosters the cooperation of the whole school community. If parents have any questions or concerns they should discuss the issue with a committee member of the Association.

Items discussed at the Association meeting:
• Move Well Eat Well encourages students to drink water whilst at school.
• Tasmanian Community Fund is available for community projects. Please forward any ideas that would benefit the school and the Westbury community.
• Guest Speakers will be invited to the meetings and parents will be invited to attend.
• “Solving the Problems” brochure is available to outline how to deal with student grievances.
• The school chaplain will work with the students to paint a mural.
• We would like to thank Angus Piercey for his maintenance work in Area A.
• We also like to thank Kerryn Gatenby for all her work as past School Association Chairperson.

Regards

Konrad Chung
Chairperson
Westbury Primary School Association
Ph 0438 123 427

HOT LUNCH ROSTER

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Please leave cooking in the Parent Room by 9.00am on the morning of Probus.

Information Validation Forms
Last term Information Validation forms were sent out to enable parents/carers to update contact information and to make any changes to personal information that we may have on our system.

Many forms have been returned but we are still awaiting on a few forms to come back to the office. If you have not returned your updated form, could you please do so as soon as possible.

It is very important that we have up to date contact names and numbers in case of emergency situations.

If your circumstances change throughout the year, there is a form available at the office for you to complete to update your details.

SUNRISE FUNDRAISER
The Parents and Friends Committee is holding a Pie Drive through Sunrise Bakery. Please support us in this fundraising event. The forms (and correct money in an envelope) will be due back at school on Friday 14 June with the pies to be delivered on Friday 28 June.

WOOLWORTHS EARN AND LEARN
Remember to collect your Earn and Learn stickers from Woolworths. The box is outside the office. Sticker sheets are also available from the office.
Big Breakfast

This Friday after the Walk Safely to School, Westbury Primary School will be hosting a Big Breakfast.

The Big Breakfast will take place in the GP Hall at approximately 8.45am. If you can help with preparing fruit or toast, please contact the school office.
Meander Valley Primary School Holiday Program
Tuesday 9th July
Tuesday 16th July

Activities are yet to be confirmed. Please book early to avoid disappointment.
If any people wanting to volunteer as helpers please contact Kylie Johns 0400 780 189.
Bookings only through Kylie on 0400 780 189.
Cost $10 per child, $8 second child, $6 for third or subsequent children
Age: 6-12 yrs.

Streetwise Skate Workshops for Autumn
Westbury – Sat 25 May, 8 June, 1-3pm
Hadspen – Sat 1 June, 22 June 1-3pm

Streetwise is a national learn to skateboard program/workshop with equipment provided. It is free fun and for everyone. Registrations are taken on the day. Participants under 18 need parent/guardian to sign the registration form.

Visit sba.org.au/hubs to download a registration form and to find out more or contact SbA by emailing info@sba.org.au.

Be a Recreation Leader
The Community Recreation Leaders’ Award (CRLA) is a training program to develop the leadership skills of community volunteers aged 15 years and above. It offers a practical introduction to leadership in active recreation and is relevant to every ability, activity or setting. It is designed particularly for those who have limited or no formal training. Participation involves 35 hours.

The cost per person is $50 – this is heavily subsidised. A CRLA program will commence in Meander Valley in August 2013. Numbers are limited to 20 places. Expressions of interest are now invited. For information contact vicki.jordan@mvc.tas.gov.au or 0400 155 690

Stepping Stones Leadership Camp for 18-25 year olds
If you are interested in learning skills, facing new challenges, building friendships, becoming more involved in community, developing self-awareness, experiencing leadership and having lots of fun, then a Stepping Stones Camp is for you.

The next camp for young people aged 18-25 years who live in Meander Valley will run 6-8 September 2013. This will be heavily subsidised to just $25 per person. Numbers are limited so secure your place now. For information contact vicki.jordan@mvc.tas.gov.au or 0400 155 690

Youth Mental Health First Aid
Monday 3rd and Tuesday 4th June, 2013 Time: 9am-4pm
Location: Colonial Launceston
Cnr George & Elizabeth Sts, Launceston

Cost: $295 per person www.thishealthylife.com.au
Tel: 0413 658 004

DELORAINE JUNIOR BASKETBALL CLUB INC
AUSSIE HOOPS PROGRAMME 2013

Start Date: Monday 17th June 2013 (and continues weekly)
Finish Date: Saturday 17th August 2013 (DJBC Grand Final Day)
Time: 3.20 - 4.15 pm
Venue: Deloraine Community Complex
Who: All children from Prep to Grade 3 (must be 6 before 1st Jan 2013)
Cost: $50/ player ( included in fees if already playing in the roster). Also includes Aussie Hoops Pack.

Enquiries: Jan Berne 0438 879 652
Anna Robertson 0459 240 371

CHoT
Child Health Association Tasmania

Invites you to

Westbury Play Gym
For 0 – 5 year olds
Thursdays from 10:00am
(During school terms)
Westbury Sports Centre
Franklin Street

Contact Olivia - 0409 660 736
or Tanya - 0409 452 642
www.chot.as.org.au

CHAT is a not-for-profit community association run by parents for parents.