From the Principal...........

After School Care Proposal
There has been some interest expressed by a number of parents about the need for after school care in Westbury. I have approached a provider who would be interested in establishing such a service if the demand was sufficient. It would involve care from 3-6pm weekdays and be situated on-site here at the school. If you would be interested in utilizing such a business next year, please fill in the survey form included within this week’s newsletter, and return to the school office. At this stage it is purely an expression of interest. If demand is sufficient, further information will be provided.

Book Week Parade
To help celebrate Book Week we will be conducting a book parade on Thursday at 11.45am in the hall. Students are invited to dress up as their favourite book character and bring along the book from which the character belongs.

Satisfaction Survey
This year, school satisfaction surveys for students, parents and staff in all government schools will be conducted during August/September. These surveys contain questions on a range of matters about our school.

This survey provides an opportunity for students, parents and staff to provide important feedback. This feedback is valued by our school as a means of identifying what the school does well and opportunities for the school to make improvements.

Students (from Year 5 and 6), parents and staff will be invited to participate. Those students who are selected to undertake the survey will do so during school time.

You will receive a letter in coming days if you have been randomly selected to participate in the parent survey.

Your responses will be secure and anonymous.

We encourage you to participate and complete the survey so that the school has a clear direction when planning for future programs and services for students.

Please contact the office if you wish to use a school computer to complete the survey.

Grade 3,4 & 5 Swimming and Water Safety Program
This annual two week program will be conducted during the last two weeks of this term. Further information will be sent home with the students involved over the next week.

Trivia Night and Auction
A Trivia Night and Auction will be held on Friday 11 September in our school hall. The purpose is to raise money for our valuable school chaplaincy program. I hope as many people as possible from our school community can attend. See the article within the newsletter for more details.

Marcus Cramp
DATES TO REMEMBER

August

Wednesday 26 Gr P/1 & 1/2 Hagley Farm School Excursion
Thursday 27 Deloraine High Transition Day - Gr 6
Thursday 27 Book Week Parade - 11.45pm
Friday 28 4,5,6 Sport Campbell Town at Westbury at 12pm

September

Thursday 3 School Assembly 12.10pm 1/2
Friday 4 4,5,6 Sport Deloraine at Westbury Friday
11 4,5,6 Sport Hagley at Hagley
Monday 14 Swimming & Water Safety Program starts
Thursday 17 School Assembly 12.10pm P/1
Friday 25 Swimming & Water Safety Program finishes
Friday 25 Last day Term 3

EXCURSION P/1 - 1/2

A reminder to all students to wear suitable clothing for the Excursion to Hagley Farm Primary School on Wednesday 26 August.

Please bring gumboots in a plastic bag for wearing on the excursion.

Normal school shoes are required to be worn on the bus.

Samaritan’s Purse Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Appeal.

Co-ordinators for Meander Valley, Mark and Dorothy Leonard will be addressing our school assembly on Thursday 3 September to talk about packing a shoebox of gifts to send to underprivileged and often forgotten children in the poorer areas of South East Asia.

HOT LUNCH ROSTER

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The P&F will be catering an event on Sunday 30 August. We would appreciate donations of cakes, biscuits and slices. If you would like to contribute, but are unsure what is required, then please contact Jayne or Amanda. Donations can be left in the Parent Room by 3pm on Friday 28 August. Thank You for your support.

KINDER ENROLMENTS 2016

Do you have a child who turns five next year?

Do you know of any children in our school community who turn five next year?

If so:

They are eligible to attend Kinder in 2016. So please contact the school office for an enrolment form.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

The staff, students and wider Westbury community wish the following student, who celebrates a birthday during the week, a very happy birthday:

Skhye Garth.
**Book week Parade**

Students who wish to participate will be combining for a Book Week Dress-up Parade on **Thursday 27 August at 11.45am**.

Please **NO** super hero type costumes (Batman, Hulk, Spiderman, etc.) as these tend to encourage aggressive behaviour. If you need help with ideas or costumes, don’t hesitate to ask. I do ask that you don’t go to a lot of expense (be creative with recycled materials and ideas with your child) as the focus is just to celebrate the love of books and reading. **Don’t forget to bring your book!**

Our little learners in our Early Learning Groups are welcome to dress-up as their favourite character from a storybook on **Friday 28 August**.

Kim Riley, Book Week Coordinator, Kinder/ Prep & Launching into Learning Teacher.

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**FREE Hot Soup Day**

This week we will be having hot soup on Friday 28 August. Hot soup this week will be: **Vegetable** soup and a small bread roll. This will be **free** to all students as part of the chaplaincy program in the school.

- 2 medium onions, chopped
- 2 medium carrots, chopped
- 2 sticks of celery
- 2 medium zucchini, sliced
- 1 medium potato chopped
- 1/2 a cabbage, shredded
- 1/2 a small pumpkin chopped
- 1 litre of vegetable stock liquid
- 1 tin of corn
- 425gf tin Tomatoes undrained, crushed
- 1 tin of corn

Melt butter and fry onions under tender. Add carrots, celery and potatoes, cook stirring for 5 minutes. Stir in zucchini, cabbage, pumpkin, stock, tomatoes and corn. Simmer covered for about 1 1/2 hours or until soup is thickened. Serve.

If your child/children would like soup on Friday 28 August, could you fill out the following form and return to the office by Thursday 27 August.

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WOOLWORTHS EARN AND LEARN

Woolworths Earn and Learn commenced on Wednesday 15 July and finishes on Tuesday 8 September.

Please support Westbury Primary School by collecting stickers on the sticker sheets provided. When complete, return to our school office (in the box supplied). Collection boxes are also available at Woolworths stores at Deloraine and Prospect.

MEANDER VALLEY NETBALL ASSOCIATION

14’s Under Netball Roster will be held at the Deloraine Community Complex on Thursday nights at 5.15pm from 17 September until 3 December (not in school holidays).

Roster is for Girls and Boys aged 10-14 yrs.

Cost for registration and Court Fee - $90.

Please advise interest by 14 September by text or email to Taneil: 0439 809 996 or ltbloomfield@bigpond.com

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2016 After School Care Survey

1. I, __________________________________________ am interested in utilizing the services of a registered after school care provider if it was operating out of Westbury Primary School in 2016.

2. I would utilize this service on the following days:
   - [ ] Monday
   - [ ] Tuesday
   - [ ] Wednesday
   - [ ] Thursday
   - [ ] Friday

3. I would utilize this service during the following terms:
   - [ ] Term 1
   - [ ] Term 2
   - [ ] Term 3
   - [ ] Term 4
   - [ ] All Year

4. _______ Number of children requiring care.

My contact details for follow up information are:

________________________________________________________________________________________

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