Principal’s Report

Last Day of School Friday 24th June
Early Finish—2.30pm

No Canteen Lunch Orders or Counter Sales on Friday 24th June

END OF TERM ARRANGEMENTS

Please note that Term 2 will conclude on Friday 24th June at 2:30pm. Children will be dismissed early on this date from the Gymnasium, after a short whole school assembly, to begin their two week winter break.

We will still proceed with our regular Monday afternoon assembly on Monday 20th June, whereby the final awards for the Term will be distributed.

Term 3 will resume for all students on Monday 11th July.

JAPANESE DAY

We have been delighted to receive some lovely emails from parents over the last week about Japanese day which was held last Wednesday 8th June. It was terrific to hear that our students had really enjoyed the program of events and had been richly immersed in many aspects of the Japanese culture. Thank you again to the many parents who were able to assist on the day, we were very grateful for the strong level of support.

A gold star to Helen Atkins (Japanese Teacher) for once again organising such a wonderful day of activities for our Willy North students. The photos below capture some of the action from the day:
80’s Social Event
As mentioned last week, the school’s upcoming Social Event has been sold out, with 353 tickets officially sold! What a terrific response from our school community!
Irene Alexandrou has done a sensational job in coordinating the event to date which will undoubtedly be a highlight on the Willy North social calendar! I had failed to mention last week that Irene was assisted by Nicki Tamblyn (parent) with these ticket sales. Our sincere thanks to both Irene and Nicki for the many hours behind the scenes to ensure the ticket sales unfolded smoothly.

Casual Clothes Day
Our Year One students have been enthusiastically focusing on Habitats in Shared Inquiry this Term. These students have become engrossed in making a difference and taking their learning further. In consultation with the Junior School Council, they have decided to hold a casual clothes day on Wednesday the 22nd June to raise funds which will go towards the Orangutan Project. We are asking students to dress in orange and bring along a gold coin to donate on the day.
Thank you in anticipation of your support with this important project.

Next Fete Committee Meeting
I hope any interested parents might be able to come along and join us for our next Fete committee meeting which is scheduled for Wednesday 15th June (that's tonight!) at 7.00pm in the staffroom.

Thank You Kirkland Family
A huge thank you to Sue and Andrew Kirkland (parents) who have kindly donated a much loved family piano to the school this week. This will be a great addition to our Performing Arts program in the future!

Enjoy the rest of your Week!
Jim Cahill—Principal
Williamstown North Primary School
**SWAP SHOP SALE—Term Two**

Swap shop will open on Monday 20th June from 3.15pm - 4.00pm in the old Uniform Shop by the Canteen.

All second hand clothing has been reduced. Limited numbers of brand new, unworn and old stock is available at reduced prices.

**Prices are as follows:** $5.00 items: -
- Rugby tops,
- Baseball jackets,
- Long sleeve polos,
- Girls long pants,
- Track pants,
- Stussy pants,
- Short sleeve polos,
- Stussy shorts &
- Skorts

- Winter tunics: $15.00,
- Summer dresses: $10.00,
- Bike Shorts: $2.00,
- Bottle green socks: $1.00 (Size 5-8 only)

CASH ONLY SALES (NO EFTPOS AVAILABLE)
Please bring small change and BYO bag

If you have any school clothing you no longer need or want, the Swap Shop would greatly appreciate your donation. Clothing should be in reasonably good condition and clean. Please only donate Polo and Rugby tops with the school logo. Any donations of clothing can be dropped off at the office.

Thank you, Leisha Campbell – Swap Shop Coordinator

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**SPECIAL EVENT**
@ ALTONA HOMESTEAD
CHRISTMAS DEVONSHIRE TEA
SUNDAY 3RD JULY 11.00AM—3.00PM

EXQUISITE CHRISTMAS DISPLAY THROUGHOUT THE HOMESTEAD
A VISIT FROM SANTA
AUTHOR CLAIRE SAXBY 11:30AM
CHILDREN’S ACTIVITY “MAKING & HANGING DECORATIONS” ON THE “KIDZ” TREE
CHRISTMAS CAROLS: SING AUSTRALIA CHOIR 1.00PM & 2.00PM
CHRISTMAS QUILT DISPLAY
HOMESTEAD CHRISTMAS RAFFLE
“LIONS” CHRISTMAS CAKES AND PUDDINGS
WILLIAMSTOWN NORTH PRIMARY YEAR 2 CHILDREN CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS
DELICIOUSLY DELICIOUS DEVONSHIRE TEA
MOUTH-WATERING CUPCAKES AND TREATS
WINTER HOT CHOCOLATE WITH MARSHMALLOWS
CRACKLING HOT ROASTED CHESTNUTS
STEAMING HOT COMFORTING SOUP
FREE ENTRY NO BOOKINGS REQUIRED CNR PIER & QUEEN ST ALTONA
ONLY REQUIREMENTS ARE A SCARF, GLOVES AND A SMILE
PRODUCE AVAILABLE TO BUY ENQUIRIES: CAROL 0414742686
Dear Parents,

Well done to all the children at After Care for their hard work and dedication over the past week, making chocolate coconut balls, honey joys and teapots to raise money for the Cancer Council’s Biggest Morning Tea.

Thank you to all parents for their donations and making the children’s afternoon a success, the children sold all their cooking over two days, raising a total of $266.00 for the Cancer Council.

Please remember to log onto oshclub.com.au if you require holiday program care. The holiday program does fill quickly so be sure to book your child’s place as soon as possible.

Aftercare will open early at 2.30pm on the last day of Term (Friday 24th June) to accommodate the early finish.

Thank you—OSHCLUB Staff (0422 236 845)
Rosters… Fresh Fruit Friday (FFF)
This is a very social and interactive group who volunteer an hour of their time each Friday morning from 9.00am to 10.00am. Fresh Fruit Friday continues to need parent volunteers. If you are available on a Friday, please email Linda Taylor directly, so she can add you to the roster—taylor.linda.l1@edumail.vic.gov.au.

Parents on the roster for Friday 17th June are: Kim Pannone, Larissa Deeth, Ray Price, Shadi Momeni, Leah Foley, Sandra Ensabella,nova, Julie du Plessis and Lana Hutton.

Canteen
Julianne Weir manages our Canteen and is always very appreciative of the time parents or family members can volunteer to help in the Canteen. Julianne can be contacted via the General Office. New parents or family members are always needed and are most welcome. If you can spare any of your valuable time, it would be greatly appreciated and we would love to hear from you.

NO PIZZA’S ORDERS FOR THURSDAY 16TH AND FRIDAY 17TH JUNE
Thursday 16th June—Dawn Bridgeman \ Friday 17th June—Jenny Newit
Wednesday 22nd June—Renae Cadman & Sandra Esabella
Thursday 23rd June—Lakshmi & Dawn Bridgeman
Friday 24th June—NO LUNCH ORDER OR CANTEEN LAST DAY OF TERM

Uniform Shop News
Primary School Wear (PSW) is our official Uniform supplier. Uniforms can be purchased at the new store located at Unit 1, 128 Bertie Street Port Melbourne. Items can also be purchased online. Email portmelbourne@psw.com.au. Summer Trading hours are Monday to Friday 8.30am to 5.00pm, Saturday 9.00am to 1.00pm and closed on Sunday.

School Banking
School banking day is Wednesday. Don’t forget to send in your child’s bank book.

Student Safety
Please take the time to regularly remind your child/ren about safety, especially when going to and from school. Here are the important points to mention:

- Do not to talk to strangers and never accept a ride from a stranger, or accept lollies or gifts from a stranger.
- Immediately report any issue or problem you may have when going to or from school, to your mum and dad, or to your teacher, the Principal, Assistant Principal or office staff.
- Always get permission from mum or dad before going to play with a friend after school and always let mum and dad know where you will be and what time you will be home.

We advise that, wherever possible, children should travel to or from school with an adult or with their friends, rather than travel alone.

Early Release
All children collected from school before 3.30pm must be signed out at the Office. Parents will be handed an ‘Early Release Pass’ to hand to the supervising teacher. If a child is signed out at Recess or Lunch time, the Office staff will call the child to the Office and then ensure the Early Release Pass is given to the supervising teacher.

Bikes & Scooters
Many children ride bikes and scooters to school each day. All bikes and scooters must be locked up in either the Bike or Scooter Enclosure to prevent theft. Please ensure your child has a chain and a lock. All children who ride a bike or scooter must wear a helmet which is a requirement by the Government. The school regularly reminds all children about wearing helmets for their safety. All bikes, scooters, skateboards, ribstic and helmets must be labelled with your child’s name and class. Children are reminded they must walk their bike, scooter, skateboard or ribstic to and from the school gates. No bikes are to be brought through the school buildings and we request, where possible, that scooters are also not walked through the building.

Working With Children Cards
Cardholders who are required to renew their WWCC will no longer need to go to Australia Post to lodge a paper form and present their current card. Cardholders will go to the WWCC website to complete their renewal application online and, if applying for an Employee Check, pay the fee using a credit card when using the online renewal process, cardholders will be notified by SMS, letter or email 28 days before their WWCC is due to expire. It is important for cardholders to keep their contact details up to date so that they receive this important reminder.

After receiving a notification, individuals continuing to do child-related work should go to MyCheck on the WWCC website and apply to renew their check. Cardholders will be asked to register with MyCheck if they have not already done so. Once logged in to MyCheck, cardholders will be prompted to confirm or update their personal contact and work details, complete the online form and, if applying for an Employee Check, pay the non-refundable $102.70 fee.

More information: an FAQ guide to online renewals will be available in ‘Publications’ under ‘Resources’ on the WWCC website, or contact the Customer Support Line on 1300 652 879 8.30am – 5.00pm weekdays except public holidays.
Willi Tigers Netball Club is offering NetSetGO in Term 3, 2016 – Netball’s introductory program aimed at children aged from 5 to 10 years.

Option 1: Prepare to play Summer 2016/2017 netball with Willi Tigers Netball Club at Altona Netball Stadium

(Set 8-10 Skills/Competition option in online registration)

For children 7 years and above, who wish to play Netball with a Willi Tigers Netball Club Team, commencing the Summer season (Term 4) at the Altona Netball Stadium. We will be running 9 sessions specially designed to prepare children to play.

Note: Completing at least one full term of NetSetGO before your child plays Netball games with the club is a very good idea – they are more confident about court positions, rules and the skills of netball & the transition to game play is a lot easier for your child.

COST: $103.00 (First NetSetGO program for 2016 - This includes $49 Netball Victoria registration fee).

$54.00 (Completed NetSetGO program already for 2016)

START Saturday 16th July for 9 weeks, 9.30am – 10.45am
CAPACITY 20 children

Option 2: A 9 week NetSetGO program to introduce new children to Netball

(Net 5-7 Activity/Skills or Set 8-10 Activity/Skills in online registration)

This is a 9 week program for children 5 to 10 years, to introduce them to the game of netball and start to develop fundamental motor skills required for netball and many other sports.

COST $103 (First NetSetGO program for 2016 - This includes $49 Netball Victoria registration fee).

$54.00 (Completed NetSetGO program already for 2016)

START Saturday 16th July for 9 weeks, 9.30am – 10.45am
CAPACITY 20 children
WHERE Outdoor Courts, Bayside Secondary College, Bayview St, Williamstown

Both options are fun and energetic programs run by Volunteer adult coaches, with the assistance of parents.

REGISTER Registrations are now open – please click here or enter: https://46122.sportzvault.com/common/pages/noauth/olregstart.aspx?type=6&ssredirect=1&entityid=46122&fl=1&id=20093 to register and pay for your child.

MORE INFO Please visit the NetSetGO Website - http://netsetgo.asn.au or email Naomi at willi.tigers@gmail.com
Available Now—Entertainment Book Fundraiser From Willy High Parents and Friends

The NEW 2016 | 2017 Entertainment™ Book and Digital Memberships are available now and are packed with thousands of up to 50% OFF and 2-for-1 offers.

From every Membership we sell, 20% of the proceeds go towards fundraising. The more memberships we sell, the more we can do for our school. Buy a membership for the fantastic offers on food, hotels & resorts, travel, sports, leisure, movies and other great deals and support Willy High too! Funds spent at Willy High do benefit your primary kids - transition to secondary school is just around the corner.


For any queries, to arrange a book pickup or collection, contact our Entertainment Books coordinator Karen Needs on Phone: 0408547539 or Email: karenneeds@hotmail.com

Willy High Parents & Friends are grateful to WNPS for support in this fundraiser.
1-2-3 MAGIC® & EMOTION COACHING

PARENT COURSE

Learn to manage difficult behaviour in children 2-12 years old

A three-session program for parents and carers
at Department of Education and Early Childhood Development:
Hobsons Bay Network
Sadie McCarthy Learning Centre- PD Centre (Altona College)
227 Civic Parade, Altona
on Tuesday 16th, 23rd and 30th of August at 9:15am-11:45am

Learn:
✓ How to discipline without arguing, yelling or smacking
✓ How to sort behaviour
✓ How to handle challenging and testing behaviours
✓ Choosing your strategy, the three choices
✓ Using emotion coaching to encourage good behaviour
✓ 7 tactics for encouraging good behaviour

Parents will receive:
• A 1-2-3 Magic & Emotion Coaching Parent Workbook

Registration Fee?
The course costs $20

There are only 10 places available (couple = 2 places). We encourage both parents to attend if possible.
Register for this course by contacting Melissa or Finella at Hobsons Bay Student Support Services on 9398-4676

What people are saying...
What a relief to come across a program that preserves the dignity of the child, maintains the self control of both the parent and the child and is actually easy to remember when memory is the first thing to go!

I realized quickly that the 1-2-3 Magic can be a magnificent preventative measure that any parent can use to avoid raising a child, who later down the line, needs excessive discipline or grows out of control

Who is running it?
The presenters for this course are psychologists Melissa Damin and Finella Binnion who completed Parentshop’s 1-2-3 Magic® & Emotion Coaching practitioner training in 2013. Melissa and Finella are both Psychologists with backgrounds in Educational Psychology who work in schools for the Department of Education.

Registration closes Friday 29th of July

For more information contact Melissa or Finella on 9398 4676

• An end to the arguing and yelling! • It saved our lives • Simple, sane, effective

This course is being run by a Parentshop® licensed practitioner.  www.parentshop.com.au
LFK Holiday Program June 2016

Bookings with deposit essential. Call 9397 7766 or Email: lifestyleforkids193@icloud.com

FINDING NEMO AND DORY DAY

Tuesday 28th June  Ages: 5 - 12years  10.00am – 3.30pm  Cost: $55.00
Register 9.50am –Please BYO snack -lunch and drink bottle.

Finding Dory!!! Make Jellyfish paper lanterns, coral out of pool noodles and you own bubble container and bubble bath decorated with sequins and starfish. HOT CHIPS FOR LUNCH PROVIDED, make Nemo and Dory and a school of fish and whales to decorate and play pin Nemo in the fish bowl. Play the Dory fishing game, Dory Bingo game, what sea animal and I and mermaid mermaid shark. Make party bags Nemo and Dory style to take all your goodies home in and go on a underwater treasure hunt to bring Dory home. Have your face painted in a under the sea theme and play lots of games and Gymnastics all day!! Can you help Dory? ………See you at LFK for an underwater adventure.

GYM BUS DAY

Wednesday 29th June  Ages: 5 - 12years  10.00am – 3.30pm  Cost: $60.00
Register 9.50am –Please BYO snack -lunch and drink bottle

THE GYM BUS COMES TO LFK …..SO MUCH FUN ON 1 GYM BUS

Play on our gymnastics equipment and air mats. Make up Acro routines and learn cool Acro lifts and pyramids. Use our trampolines, double mini trampolines and participate in a lesson on each of our 6 gymnastics apparatus. BEAM, BARS, FLOOR, VAULT, RINGS and TRAMPOLINE! Go on the GYM BUS at Lifestyle for kids! Race down the fireman’s poles and up the bus’ ladders, crawl through and explore the secret tunnels and swing into the foam pits. Go crazy on the GYM BUS! Compete in handstand competitions, make human pyramids and learn how to do partner balances. Play lots of gymnastics games, gymnastics displays, team games, awards and prizes to be given away on the day. See you at the GYM

SEQUIN AND SPARKLE DAY

Thursday 30th June  Ages: 5 - 12years  10.00am-3.30pm  Cost: $55.00
Register - 9.50am Please BYO morning tea, lunch and a drink bottle. Wear your sparkliest clothes

DISCO party with cool music, DISCO ball, smoke machine, balloons and glow sticks……… SPARKLE!!!

Make a sequined topped treasure box and fill it with hand made silver glitter gloss, sequined bracelets & a sparkly sequined necklace.

Decorate a coat hanger in sequins as well as a pink or gold sequined bandana. DANCE THE AFTERNOON AWAY AT THE DISCO with a DISCO Piñata; smoke machines, disco lights and a bubble machine. Dancing games, dancing competitions, treasure hunts and PRIZES to give away.

Glitter face paint and nails and your own sequined bubble container to take home. Make chocolate freckles with edible glitter, fairy bread and play on all of our GYMNASICS equipment and jumping castle.

DISNEY PRINCESS DAY

Monday 4th July  Ages: 5 - 12 years  10.00- 3.30pm  Cost: $55.00
Register - 9.50am Please BYO morning tea, lunch and a drink bottle. Wear your favourite princess dress.

Once upon a time……there were some princesses who will make Princess Lace tiaras with blue jewels, a gold star wand like fairies, a long sash shaped stars decorated with sprinkles. Treasure hunts, storytelling, Drama games, glitter face paint and colouring sheets to take home.

Design your own Princess water bottle and a decorated pink glitter helium balloon to show your family. Play on the Jumping castle, rings, swings, bars and trampolines and have a royal kind of day.

THE VOICE DAY

Tuesday 5th July  Ages: 5 - 12 years  10.00- 3.30pm  Cost: $55.00
Register - 9.50am  Please BYO morning tea, lunch and a drink bottle and your favourite performance out fit

Lights Camera Action …The Blind Auditions…The Battle…. The Showdown.

Prizes to be won for the entertainer of the day. Enjoy a Singing lesson and a Hip Hop class and learn a cool routine to be performed at the end of the day with smoke machines disco lights and our bubble machine. Individual coaches to help you perform and sing part of the chosen songs. Photo shoot will be done after your superstar makeover with hair, glitter, nails and tattoos. Make your own microphone and autograph book and a Poster with Ronan, Delta, Jessie J and the Madden brothers to take home along with your own photos. Lots of LFK Dance and Gym games as well as learning a routine to the latest Justin Beiber song. Jump on the trampolines and jumping castle and bring your special talent or trick along to participate in the TALENT QUEST and everyone wins a ribbon and a prize. THIS IS THE VOICE!!

HOLLYWOOD STAR DAY

Wednesday 6th July  Ages: 5 – 12years  10.00am – 3.30pm  Cost: $55.00
Register 9.50am –Please BYO snack, lunch and drink bottle. Bring a ‘Hollywood Glam costume to change into.

Are you worthy of an Oscar?....Learn the secrets of the Hollywood trade. Get into character and learn a script with friends, to perform at a ‘Hollywood audition’. Make a calling card for your audition like professional actor. Learn from the best in the business with dance classes in Hip-hop, Jazz, and learn a Musical Theatre number to perform at the end of the day! Play on the gym equipment, make your own Hollywood Walk of Fame star, make a Hollywood themed dressing room sign for your room. Heaps of drama sport games to improve your improvisation skills, play celebrity heads and make delicious Walk of Fame star cookies! From make up to microphones, from stage to screen.

CHEERLEADING  ACRO  GYMNASICS

Thursday 7th July  Ages: 5 - 12years  10.00am – 3.30pm  Cost: $55.00
Register - 9.50am  BYO Morning tea, lunch and a drink bottle.**“Wear your cheer gear Pom Poms provided. Circus-Watch a display and try your new skills on the red aerial silk. Acro Practice Dive rolls, Front saults, Group pyramids, Partner balances, Partner Aerial cartwheels, Handsprings & lots of tricks, skills and lifts to help you fly through the sky + Gym Teachers displays, Cheerleading, Melbourne Storm Cheerleaders in to teach you a cheer routine with professional pom poms, lifts, tricks, cool formations chants. Learn a group strength routine to Uptown Funk and the Nutbush Trampolining - Use our Olympic size Trampoline and Double Mini tramps and 6 metre tumbling track Tramp. Learn Swivel, seat drops and lots of new aerial tricks. Gymnastics-Have a Gymnastics lesson on the Bars --Beam --Rings --Vault --Floor --P Bars—Trapeze and learn the Level 2/3-floor routine+ an award. Best handstand, cartwheel or special trick and Hula-hop comps. Play Obstacle races, Limbo, Jungle, Yoga skills and Parachute 3.25 3.30-Parents come and watch our amazing Cheerleading routine