



FRIDAY NOTICE

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What's happening in May/June:

May	21 st	Wednesday	Littlies Environment Day
	26 th	Monday	Middlies 3/4 Overnight visit to Saltworks
	27 th	Tuesday	Kinder Environment Day
	28 th	Wednesday	Biggies Environment Day
	31 st	Saturday	Working Bee 9am – 2pm
June	2 nd	Monday	First Day Camp Spring Beach Grades 2/3/4/5/6
	5 th	Thursday	Last Day Spring Beach Camp
	6 th	Friday	No School Grades 2/3/4/5/6
	11 th	Wednesday	Kinder Environment Day
	18 th	Wednesday	Littlies Environment Day
	24 th	Tuesday	Middlies 3/4 Environment Day
	25 th	Wednesday	Middlies 1/2 & Biggies Environment Day

Destination Saltworks: Grade 3/4 have done some preliminary work on the Saltworks unit and are off to Swanport for a historians/scientists site visit to make observations and collect data in the field on Monday and Tuesday 26/27th of May. George Underwood will be accompanying us on the trip and we will be meeting and staying at the property of Paul Martin, who will be assisting us in his capacity as a teacher aide. We will be leaving school at 9.00 am on Monday and be back at 3.00pm on Tuesday for a normal pickup. Children will need the following items:

ITEMS TO BRING

- ☐ sleeping bag
- ☐ sleep mat/ lilo
- ☐ pillow
- ☐ torch
- ☐ toilet bag, hair brush, toothpaste& toothbrush
- ☐ tent (2 or 3 person if your child is the designated person)
- ☐ A spare set of clothes and a spare pairs of shoes, running shoes/boots
- ☐ rain coat
- ☐ day pack
- ☐ named lunch box (with lunch for Monday)
- ☐ named drink container (with drink)

For queries contact Tom

City to Casino Fun Run: We have 19 students & 10 parents running in the City to Casino Fun Run this Sunday. The run is from Salamanca Place to the Casino - 2.7 km.

If you would still like to enter today is the last day to enter on line: Log on to: www.citytocasino.com.au
Click - Register Now – I'm a participant – (Are you part of a school) Yes – type in 'Cottage School'- search – Join – fill in your details.

Could all runners please meet at the *Retro Café*, Salamanca at 8.45am. We will run through a warm up before the start. Please wear your running gear (t-shirt, shorts, running shoes). Have a good breakfast and plenty to drink before and after the event. Good luck and have fun everyone.

Don't forget to wear your number.

Any question contact Georgie

Golden Handshake: Our golden handshake recipients this week are :-

- Daisy Browne: Daisy now enjoys spending break outside with friends. Well done Daisy ☺
- Acknowledgement to the Grades 3/4/5/6 students for being thoughtful, friendly and well mannered. ☺

Letter from old scholar: There has been a box near the green space for feedback for committee. Last week the following letter was placed in the box:

"Thank you for being such a great school. Please continue with your moral methods and sense of social justice. You raised me well".
Yasmin Donnelly, Now year 11.

Working Bee - Saturday 31 May - 9am - 2pm: Please make this in your diaries now (if it isn't already!). Stay tuned for more information, jobs list etc in the coming weeks.

What's On:

HIPPY (Colony 47) Home Interaction Program for Parents and Youngsters

Is your child four or turning four this year?

Want to give them a great head start at school?

HIPPY is a home based early literacy program where YOU are the teacher! It's FREE and it's fun!

If you live in Mornington, Warrane, Rokeby or Clarendon Vale (including Oakdowns) and have 10 minutes a day to spend with your child, we'll deliver all program materials right to your door! We also deliver packs and enjoy activities with other families at our fortnightly group meetings.
See the notice board outside the White Cottage for more information.

We are taking enrolments for 2014 now!

Please contact:

**Karen Groves: 6214 6043 or 0429 148 119 or
email kareng@colony47.com.au**

BE A POLAR SCIENTIST: Those of you with kids aged 6+ who want to learn something about Antarctic research may be interested in the following:

Polar Science Event: Double Helix Tas

Check out this upcoming Double Helix science event for kids!

Our programs are full of fun, hands-on experiments for ages 6+.

Be a Polar Scientist - Dress the part as you undertake some freezing cold experiments sea-ice growth and movement, ocean salinity, ice-core sampling and more. Learn about sea-ice and iceberg formation, and the role that sea ice plays in Earth's climate. Speak to our special guest Dr Petra Heil, a senior research scientist at the Australian Antarctic Division and find out what polar science fascinates her.

Two after school sessions:

Date Tuesday 20 May

Time 3:30 - 5:00pm

Ages 6-8

Cost \$9 members \$12 non-members

Date Wednesday 21 May

Time 3:30 - 5:00pm

Ages 9+

Cost \$9 members \$12 non-members

Book online at www.csiro.au/helixTAS

Events are held at the Sustainability Learning Centre, Olinda Grove, Mt Nelson.

OKINES COMMUNITY GARDEN: GARDEN GATHERING THIS SUNDAY 18th MAY

WE NEED FOLK TO HELP WITH THE FOLLOWING JOBS THIS SUNDAY 10 – 1pm

WE WILL FEED YOU PIZZA IN RETURN!!

REMOVE A GARDEN BED AND REPLACE WITH A SEAT

LEVEL SOME LAND FOR FUTURE GARDEN BEDS

PAINT THE NEW MARINE PLY COMMUNITY SIGN FOR THE PIZZA OVEN

CLEAR OUT THE COMPOST BAYS

COB RENDER THE EARTH LOUNGE

BRING A GRINDER AND CUT OUT SOME WOOD FLAPS IN THE PIZZA OVEN SHELTER

MONTAGU BAY PRIMARY SCHOOL: is holding a Car Boot Sale on Sunday, 18th of May - 9am to 12noon.
Come along and grab a bargain.

Attachments: