From the Principal

P&C Parent Social Event
Everyone is invited to the Great Gatsby themed party on September 3rd at the East Fremantle Football Club. Tickets will be on sale from next Wednesday. See inside for more information.

Questions
Please email me any quick queries or questions and I will respond as soon as I can. Recent questions below.

Q: Where can I read about school uniform?
A: In the parent information booklet 2016 (from the office)

Q: What colour socks/tights are ok? Can girls wear leggings?
A: White or navy. Yes but they must be under a skirt or shorts. Leggings alone are not acceptable ‘bottoms’.

Q: Do we have to buy the school fleece or can students wear other coats and hoodies? Why can’t students wear other sweatshirts?
A: Please wear the school fleece. It’s $30 from Willetton uniforms. Other tops invariably have patterns, lettering or stripes, are not the right colour, don’t look like uniform and look uncoordinated. The fleece is endorsed by Council.

Q: When will we hear about our kindy 2017 application?
A: If you submitted an in-area, complete, initial application you have had a letter. If you didn’t provide all information or are out of area, your application is currently on our waiting list.

Q: Isn’t lunch too late now?
A: Most children are eating more at recess. Classes are getting a lot more done in the mornings now. Afternoons are shorter and time seems to fly after lunch!

Q: How can I access Frances, the school chaplain?
A: Please contact her directly - Frances Hoyle. Mon & Wed.
EMAIL: francesh@youthcare.org.au  9339 5055

Lisa Dentith

Schedule of School Events

- 12 Aug  assembly rm0,8
- 16 Aug  P&C Exec meeting
- 22 Aug  book week
- 26 Aug  assembly rm 5.1
- 31 Aug  yr3-6 jumps at school oval
- 2 Sep   P-6 athletics carnival at Gil Fraser North Fremantle all day
- 3 Sept  Great Gatsby party for parents at East Fremantle Football Club from 6.30pm
- 9 Sept  Music assembly
- 23 Sept  assembly rm 4,3
- 10 Oct  student free day
- 11 Oct  start term 4
- 18 Oct  P&C 9.30am
- 21 Oct  P&C Big Brekkkie
- 25 Oct  intersch aths field
- 27 Oct  intersch aths
- 28 Oct  Halloween disco
- 8 Dec   yr 6 graduation
- 14 Dec  final assembly
- 15 Dec  break up

STUDENT ABSENCES
Please SMS absences to the school stating: Child’s full name, room, absence date, reason
SMS: 0417 973 697
Please do not try to call this number and only use it to notify of absences. THANKS
P & C Association

A Little Party Never Killed Anyone!
Our Great Gatsby Night is on the 3rd September and the P&C are gearing up to put on a wonderful night for everyone. Individual Tickets will be available in the office from next Wednesday 10th August until 2nd September. Ticket price is $50 and includes food and entertainment. If you are stuck or just can’t be bothered finding an outfit for you or hubby to wear, Tina at Vintage Illusions has kindly offered 20% of all costume hire. Her number is 0433334207. We are also looking for businesses within our school to be very generous and donate some prizes!! Anything and everything will be greatly appreciated!! Rest assured we have put in a lot of effort to make this a great night for all! I will be happy to answer queries.
Brigid Marciano, 0405801070

Canteen News
The canteen only runs with volunteers. Kids love to see a parent or grandparent behind the counter. I have a roster just waiting to be filled! It’s fun to do canteen with a friend and it’s a great way to meet new people. Please text 0411442035, email pmvanheemst@bigpond.com or pop in to the canteen to organise a date. Volunteers start at 8.30am and finish around 1.30pm. Only 2 volunteers are needed on Wednesday and Friday!!

A Term 3 menu is attached. Notable changes are price increases to Moosies (amber) $1.50 and Frozen Yogurt (amber) $2.00. Beef lasagne (green) is now available for $4.50. Vegetarian sushi will no longer be offered. The colour coded green and amber menu helps to make healthy selections.

Students placing late orders is unfortunately becoming more frequent. Those students bringing down orders after 8.45am will not be able to have their orders fulfilled. Students who place orders after this time will be offered a vegemite or cheese sandwich for lunch and a selection of the items available for sale at recess. Please ensure you drop your order off by 8.45am to avoid disappointment.

Peta Van Heemst, Canteen Manager
0411 442 035

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$$$ SCHOOL BANKING UPDATE $$$$
A big thank you to all the children who came and celebrated with us at our 2nd Birthday party. We had 77 deposits made on the day - we hope everyone enjoyed their ice cream.

Did you know? The Commonwealth Bank donates 5% of the total deposits made each qtr back to the school? Since our introduction in 2014 almost $2000 has been paid to the P&C. So even while your child is learning about the benefits of saving you are helping the school. See you all at banking!
The School Banking Team
Liann, Rosa and Katrina

Congratulations!
Let us know if you have some news!

Congratulations to Joe Fonti (bronze) and Sophia Lee (gold) who won medals at the A division inter-school cross country competition this week. Well done!

Room 3 Cake stall $302.50 Thank you!

Library News
Book week is week 6. The theme is AUSTRALIA – STORY COUNTRY. There will be our book parade and small fun competitions for students to enter.

Please can children have library bags. It can be a recycle bag or a designated library bag. Bags help keep books in better condition and help children keep track of their books.

All siblings are welcome into the library before and after school and are able to borrow books if they wish to.
Susan Catalano, Library Officer
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COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARD
Not-for-profit ads are provided as a community service and are free. The School Council has decided to accept paid advertising from businesses at $30 per ad. This revenue will be spent on school resources. Businesses wishing to advertise should email a business card sized advert to the school. Services and programs on this page are not necessarily endorsed by the school.

THE SHOW GOES ON IN Term 3 at OSHClub!!!
By popular demand we are pleased to bring back the ‘Circus Spectacular’ at Richmond OSHClub After Care program!
This exciting incursion will be run by your talented Coordinator Josh every Thursday After School Care for the next 4 weeks and will be provided by OSHClub at no additional cost!
The service is registered with the Family Assistance Office which means that all working or studying families will be able to claim the 50% Child Care Rebate (NOT means tested) and any Child Care Benefit amount that they may be entitled to (means tested) which will reduce the costs of the program substantially. Call 13 61 50 to register.

Come and check out the fun! Visit the OSHC room to meet our staff and see what happens at After School Care.

Please enrol and book your sessions at www.oshclub.com.au to secure your place. Make all your bookings online except for last minute bookings which can be made by calling our office on 9261 3200

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