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NEWSLETTER April 15th, 2015

Dates for your Diary

APR	Sun	19	AMBROSE GOLF DAY CANCELLED
	Thu	23	Melbourne Shrine Excursion Grade 2-6
	Fri	24	Anzac day service 10.40am Bookclub orders due
	Thu	30	Prep/1/2 Sleepover at school
MAY	Fri	1	Prep/1/2 Bike hike
	Mon	4	Grade 3-6 bikes to school
	Wed	6-8	Grade 3-6 Bike hike
	Tue	19	Athletic sports
SEPT	Fri	11	Trivia Night
OCT	Wed	14	The Lion King Melbourne

TRADING TABLE THURSDAY'S

	VACUUM ROSTER	TOILET ROSTER
APR	17 Paccagnan	R Bailey
	24 R Bailey	Ross D&S
MAY	1 Randell	Ross T
	8 Reid	Shanks
	15 D&S Ross	Shepherd

PLEASE REMEMBER OUR SECURITY SYSTEM

NEW PARENTS PLEASE COME TO SCHOOL TO SEE HOW OUR SECURITY SYSTEM IS DEACTIVATED FOR VACUUMING DUTIES

NOTE If you can't clean on your rostered time, swap with another family. A list of family numbers is in your handbook. Thank you.

MOWING ROSTER

Shannon Murphy
 Peter Paccagnan
 Rob Carlesso
 Tim Northey
 Shepherd's
 Flanigan's
 David Boonzaayer

Return the key to school when mowing is done. Thankyou

AMBROSE GOLF DAY CANCELLED

Unfortunately due to the lack of team registrations we have had to cancel this event. A very big thankyou must go to Elsie who has done an outstanding job of organising the event. Thankyou also to all the parents and teachers who have been cooking and freezing food in preparation for the day. Thankyou to the families who did manage to field a team. Please inform the participants about this cancellation.

NAPLAN

All students in Australia in years 3 5 7 and 9 will sit their Naplan tests from May 12th – 14th.

If you or your children have any concerns or questions about the tests and the process please contact either Howard or Kris.

BOOKCLUB

Attached to the Newsletter is the latest bookclub issue. Please return orders with payment by the end of next week, Friday 24th. If paying by cheque, please make cheque payable to '**GRETA VALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL**'

WOOD FOR SALE

GRETA VALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL FUNDRAISER

NOW THAT THE WEATHER IS STARTING TO TURN, IT'S TIME TO STOCK UP
WE HAVE MIXED SPECIES SELLING AT \$140 A UTE LOAD DELIVERED
LOCALLY OR \$150 A UTE LOAD DELIVERED TO BENALLA/WANGARATTA.
LIMITED STOCKS

PHONE ROZ ON 5727 6302 OR THE SCHOOL ON 5766 6344

MELBOURNE SHRINE EXCURSION GRADE 2-6

The Grade 2-6 children have been studying World War One and the origins of ANZAC Day. They have produced some brilliant projects and should be very proud of their work. If you join us for our school ANZAC Day service on Friday 24th you will have the opportunity to see their work. As an integral part of this theme we have decided to take Mr G's class to the school students ceremony at the Shrine.

On Thursday 23rd April, grade 2-6 students will be travelling to the Melbourne Shrine of Remembrance for the students Anzac Day Service.

Students must be at school by **6.00am** to meet Kris, Howard, Leonie, Janis and Ros who will drive students to Seymour Railway Station to then catch the train to Melbourne.

Students will need to bring along snacks, lunch and drinks for the day.

Students must wear our school uniform. This excursion will cost \$10 per child.

We hope to be back at school by **6.15pm** and will ring you on the day if this changes.

ANZAC DAY SERVICE

We will be having our own Anzac service here at the school on Friday 24th. Can you please send along flowers for students to lay at the base of our flagpole? The service will begin at 10.40am and we invite you all to join us.

BIKE EDUCATION

We have started our Bike Education with Glenn Clarke who visited us on Tuesday. Bikes are being stored in the locked bag room each night. Children in Prep-2 must leave their bikes at school until their bike hike and sleepover. Miss Buckley will continue the bike ed program leading to their big day.

We would love parent help for this bike hike and require helpers to ride with the children, cook tea at the sleepover and drive back up vehicles. The backup vehicles need to be a ute or a car and trailer. Please let Lisa know if you can help with any one of these chores.

Grade 3-6 children can take their bike home on Friday and start building up their endurance by doing lots of riding before their bike hike which begins on May 6th. These children will need to bring their bikes back to school on Monday 4th May. If you would like to join us and help out on this bike hike please let Kris know.

CLC STUDENTS

This term we welcome Year 9 Wangaratta High School students every Wednesday. The students undertake projects under the CLC (Community Learning Centre) program. The group visiting Greta Valley Primary will help with classroom work, cooking and sport.

ATHLETIC SPORTS

Term 2 is a term with lots of physical activity. Our cluster athletic sports are on May 19th and we will be doing aths practise and plenty of running, leading up to this. We ask that each child brings their runners every day. They can wear them for the day or keep them in their bags and wear them when we do our sports practise....so long as they have them available each day.



MISS BUCKLEY'S WEEKLY AWARD

You're a star Matilda for your exceptional holiday journal.

AUSKICK

Commences at Greta on 18th April

Register at https://reg.sportingpulse.com/auskick_live/auskick_rego.cgi and search Greta

Cost \$86.00

Your contact is Andrew Wheelens 0417 303 623



Myrree Primary School
7 pm -Wednesday April 22
*Gathering together to enjoy dancing.
Warm up, shake loose & move freely
to an hour long DJ set in this
free community event.*
enquiries: 0401307082 / 0423500584