Dear Families,

STUDENT FREE DAY MONDAY OCTOBER 31
Monday October 31 is a Student Free Day at Sherbourne PS. Most teachers will spend the day writing Semester 2 Reports. Marcelle Herrick and I will attend a whole day Professional Development Day at Balwyn High School. The school will be closed for the day. The Camp Australia OSH program will not run on this day. Families will need to make alternative arrangements for their child or children on this day.

2017 PLANNING
A reminder to families to please provide all information pertinent to their child/ren in 2017 prior to October 31 to assist with planning. If your child will not be at Sherbourne in 2017 apart from our graduating Year 6s, please put this information in writing to me at the office.
If there is information regarding your child’s 2017 placement, it must also be provided in writing to me by October 31. This does not include requests for teachers or class structures. Any information from parents will be considered in the
context of the knowledge we have of your child in the school environment. Our aim is the best placement for every child.

WHOLE SCHOOL PHOTOS TOMORROW FRIDAY OCTOBER 21
A reminder photographers will be here TOMORROW Friday Oct 21 to take the 2016 Whole school photo, Graduation photos, JSC reps Semester 1 and 2, Sports and Environmental captains.

NEW SHERBOURNE PS WEBSITE UNDER DEVELOPMENT
I would like to acknowledge the work of Brad Webb, parent of Thomas and Ben for his very generous donation of time and expertise to the creation of our new school website. It will be up and running shortly! We really appreciate your help.
The current website has not been updated other than newsletters and canteen during this process. Thanks for your patience.

CHILD SAFE CODE OF CONDUCT
As explained in our last newsletter all staff, volunteers and School Council members are required to read and comply with the newly introduced Child Safe Code of Conduct. All organisations involved with children have been required to comply with the Child Care Standards.
At Sherbourne PS we have a commitment to the safety of our children. We require all of our parent helpers to have completed and returned the Child Safe Code of conduct in addition to a satisfactory Working with Children Check to assist at our school and with school activities. This is part of our compulsory requirement.

Signing off on the Child Safe Code of Conduct as a parent you should delete the 3rd from the bottom dot point “should not have contact with a child or their family outside of our organisation without our child safety officer’s knowledge and/or consent (for example, no babysitting). Accidental contact, such as seeing people in the street, is appropriate” The intention of the code of conduct is that this dot point refers to volunteers in the school who are not members of the Sherbourne PS family community. The amended Code of Conduct document will articulate that accurately.
We will put the Child Safe Code of Conduct on Compass for your access there are also hard copies at the front office if you have not returned your copy.
You will also note the School Visitors sign in book also makes reference to agreeing to this Code of Conduct.
THE DEADLINE FOR THE RETURN OF YOUR CODE OF CONDUCT AGREEMENT IS THE END OF OCTOBER.
Thank you!

NEW SPS PARENT PAYMENT POLICY
Last night School Council approved our updated Parent Payment Policy. Families are directed to look at this document in addition to the DET guidelines at:-
We are currently preparing booklist documents for 2017 for distribution in November.
At Sherbourne families may use the recommended supplier or fill the booklist requirements themselves. The arrangement with our Booklist supplier involves home delivery and a significant discount if ordered by a set date.

KAREN PAUL Tournament Of Minds National Judge
I would like to congratulate Year 6 and second in charge teacher Karen Paul who was selected to travel to Queensland for the Tournament of Minds Australasian finals in Queensland last weekend as one of the Australian judges. This selection acknowledges the enormous contribution, expertise and commitment Karen has demonstrated in the Tournament of Minds competition at a high level for many years. Well done!

BOOK FAIR
Thank you to our Librarian Debbie Tresize for organising our very successful Book Fair last week.
The next whole school Assembly will be Monday October 24 at 3.00pm on the hard courts.

Maree Seymour
Principal
SPS PREP/FOUNDATION ENROLMENTS 2017
Prep (Foundation) 2017 enrolments are now due.
Please phone to arrange a personal tour on 9434 7142 and return enrolment forms as soon as possible.

School Fee are now due, instalments can be paid by the following

METHODS OF PAYMENT
Preferred method: Direct Deposit
Account Name:- Sherbourne Primary School
BSB: 063 185 ACCOUNT NO: 00909627
REFERENCE: STUDENT NAME
Cash/cheque/credit card/EFTPOS also available

VICTORIA POLICE LEGACY CHILD SAFETY HANDBOOK

The Child Safety Handbook has been produced by Victoria Police Legacy. It aims to raise awareness about the risks to children and the steps that can be taken to protect them and keep them safe.

All Sherbourne Primary School students aged 5 – 7 years old have been provided a free copy of the Handbook. The cost of producing the Handbook has been entirely met through sponsorship. Students will bring home these books this week.

FRUIT FRIDAY ROSTER

OCTOBER 21, 2016
FRUIT PICK-UP: TRACY WILLIAMS
CUTTING FRUIT: ALEADA BRANCH, EMILY RUSHFORD & MICHAELA

OCTOBER 28, 2016
FRUIT PICK-UP: AMANDA HIRST-WHYTE
CUTTING FRUIT: TRACEY HUDSON, NATASHA STEVENS & MICHELLE WILLIAMS

LIBRARY NEWS

Thank you to the whole school community for your support of the Book Fair. Just over $1200 was raised to purchase books for the library. Please note if you filled in a credit card sales slip, it may take Scholastic up to 10 working days to process these transactions.

A special thank you to Antoinette Mascitti for her invaluable assistance at the Book Fair which was much appreciated. Also a special thank you to the following families who bought books at the fair and donated them to the library:- Dowling, Peel, Mountain, Young, Kibell, Hamilton, Neave and Swoboda families. The books donated will have a special book plate attached on the inside cover to acknowledge your generosity.

Congratulations to the following students who each received a book prize supplied by Scholastic:-

FM Evelyn Branch
Grade Ambrose Chirnside
Grade 2 Lorelei Kristof
Grade 3 Jess Charles
Grade 4 Jayda Shaw
Grade 5 Lachlan Spirovski
Grade 6 Ella Vespoli

I hope you enjoy your books!
Debbie Trezise
DIVISION ATHLETICS CARNIVAL October 6
CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 14 STUDENTS WHO PARTICIPATED SO WELL AT THIS HIGH LEVEL
Austin Neave, Lilly Barello, Zach Barello, Jasper Koerner–Brown, Emile Grech, Jack Chubb, Siena Guest, Daniel Coley, Tiara Hamann, Maddi Pratt, Keely Doherty, Amber Hale, Tyler Murphy and Roisin O'Reilly.

Students who placed 1st or 2nd proceeded to Region:
Austin Neave in discus and high jump
Zach Barello in triple jump
Emile Grech in 100m and long jump
Keely Doherty in shot put

REGIONAL ATHLETICS CARNIVAL October 12
Our four students performed to their very best and fortunately their events were completed before the rain came down. Congratulations to Austin, Zach, Keely and Emile for competing with great skill, effort and excellent sportmanship. Keely is very proud to have placed second in shot put and she will proceed to compete at STATE level on October 25 at Albert Park. We all wish you good luck Keely! Thanks to Don Haslam who has continued to train our shot put and discus competitors.

HOCKEY CLINICS IN PE
Students in the Upper and Middle Schools enjoyed hockey clinics last week and we thank Greensborough Hockey Club for providing these. Students revised their skills in silent dribble, Indian dribble and push passing and their knowledge of hockey safety. Greensborough Hockey Club is running a ‘Hook Into Hockey’ program on Monday nights currently.

SPORTING SCHOOLS CRICKET BEGAN LAST NIGHT
We have 30 participants in our FREE Sporting Schools Cricket Program that began after school yesterday. This program is made possible with a Sporting Schools grant we obtained for Term 4 and we were also able to purchase some cricket equipment. We are hoping that Sporting Schools grants will continue in 2017.
SWIMMING LESSONS GRADE 3 TO 6 TERM 4
Students in Grades 3 to 6 are currently taking part in 5 swimming lessons over 5 weeks at Yarra Swim School. Thank you very much to our parent helpers who are travelling on the bus and supporting students and teachers at the venue. Students are improving their swimming fitness, developing swimming strokes and learning survival skills which are an essential part of every child's education for a lifetime of safe activity in, on or near water.

THANKS TO BENDIGO BANK & THE COTERIE COMMUNITY GROUP
A big thanks to Bendigo Bank, our Sherbourne parent Michelle Williams and the Coterie Community Group for the donation of our goal posts, along with the set of pad covers which arrived this week. They will be handy for protection around other poles during special events. A certificate of appreciation has been sent to Bendigo Bank and the Coterie Community Group.

THANKS TO MACCAS FOR FREE MOLTON BASKETBALLS
Sherbourne was most fortunate to receive 20 Molton basketballs last week. We were selected by Hooptime and MacDonald's 'Maccas on your team' program for this generous donation. It did not take us long to get them pumped up and in use on Friday for Sport. Students and teachers were very excited!!!

WALK OCTOBER WELL DONE
Congratulations to everyone for such a BIG effort walking and riding (when it’s not raining) in October. We are nearly there!!!
Our usual Sherbourne Walk or Ride to School data collection dates for the remaining of 2016 are:-
Wednesday October 26
Wednesday November 16
Wednesday December 7
TWILIGHT WORKING BEE – SAVE THE DATE
The final 2016 working bee is on Friday November 18, 3.30pm to 5pm. See flyer coming home today.

LAWN MOWER SAUSAGE SIZZLE TUESDAY October 25
The Buildings and Grounds Committee are holding a lunch order of sausages cooked on the BBQ next Tuesday. We are raising funds to purchase a lawn mower for use at Working Bees and to enable the CORE Sunday group to mow grass for us. Order forms went home on Monday and are due back tomorrow. Thanks to Monica Wallace, Jane Young, Heather Zipsin and Mel Dimmack who are helping with this fundraiser.

Janet Hayes

FROM THE ART ROOM
Well done to our students who entered the Montmorency Secondary College Primary Art competition. A great range of portraits were submitted and the following 11 students were selected among 20 finalists:

CONGRATULATIONS TO
Lilly Barello          Siena Guest
Jesse Pickering      Alex Harris
Clare Parfitt        Romany Breese
Jae Sharma           Amber Hale
Lauren Mountain      Roisin O’Reilly
Maddison Pratt

These students and their parents are invited to Arts Alive 2016 on Tuesday 25th October 2016 at 6.30pm in the College Gymnasium. On that night the winners of the Primary School Art Competition will be announced and prizes awarded.

Good luck everyone!

In addition, the above finalists will be invited to attend an art workshop, which will be run at Montmorency Secondary College in November 2016.

Jenny Gildea
Visual Arts
Sausage Sizzle
Special Lunch Order Fundraiser

Please help us raise money to purchase a school lawn mower. This will save us paying for this service in 2017.

Tuesday October 25\textsuperscript{th}

Fresh sausage in bread (optional tomato sauce) and a juice box.

Please return the below slip by \textbf{Friday 21\textsuperscript{st} October}.

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Child’s name: ________________________________

Class: ________________________________

Please choose from the following options:

1 sausage in bread and a juice box = $3.00

2 sausages in bread and a juice box = $5.00
*Tomato sauce will be available in all classrooms.

Gluten free bread required

Please enclose cash in a marked envelope.

Thank you 😊

eBuildings and Grounds Committee.
This month, Mrs Herrick, Mrs Hayes and myself have signed up to take part in the ‘OneDay to Conquer Cancer’ benefiting the Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre. We are doing this in memory of Julie Flanagan who was a huge part of the Sherbourne community, but sadly passed away from cancer earlier this year.

351 Australians will be diagnosed with cancer today!!!!
But you and I can make a difference for them. Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre is Australia’s only public hospital solely dedicated to cancer and home to Australia’s largest cancer research group. When you donate to our OneDay fundraising goal, those funds are immediately used for research and clinical care. Sir Peter MacCallum once said, “Nothing but the best is good enough in the treatment of cancer.” Peter Mac combines care and compassion with the latest research to provide the best treatments and care for people impacted by cancer, but its researchers rely on donations like yours to continue their important work.

Your support of OneDay to Conquer Cancer could help make the next life-saving discovery possible, so please donate today! Just click on the link and type in team name (Sherbourne) or one of our names to donate online. Alternatively, we will have a collection box up at the office if you wish to donate some cash.

Thank you!

Laura Maguire, Marcelle Herrick and Janet Hayes

The uniform shop will be open on the first four Fridays of term 4, 9 – 9.30am, Friday October 7, 14, 21 & 28. Also, two special dates to assist with transition, November 11 and December 2, 9 – 10.30am.

**UNIFORM SHOP**

**FINAL RUN OUT SALE NOW ON > WHILE STOCKS LAST**

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**ALL SIZE 4 ITEMS NOW $10.00**

**PARENTS & FRIENDS**

**MANGO FUNDRAISER**

Please send orders and payment to the office by Friday October 28. Delivery expected toward the end of November. See order form attached for further details.

**PARENTS & FRIENDS SURVEY**

A survey will be sent out today asking Sherbourne families about their thoughts on this year’s fundraising activities. Please fill in the survey and return to school by Friday October 28. We would really appreciate your feedback which will assist with our planning for 2017.

**SPS STUDENT DISCO: SAVE THE DATE**

This year the annual school disco will be held on Friday 4 November 4 with a whacky hair theme! Please save the date with more details to follow.

Parents & Friends
CUSTOMER ORDER FORM
Corrick Plains Pty Ltd • ABN 21 685 452 996 • PO Box 28, Giru QLD 4809

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*Please note that while every effort will be made to deliver your orders to your School on the preferred delivery date, however the occasional delivery may be delayed due to logistical difficulties beyond our control. Your coordinator will notify you of any changes.
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**Thursday 21st October**
6pm-9pm

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Eltham Junior Football Club will be running FREE ‘Come & Try’ sessions open to all girls aged 7 - 18 who are interested in trying AFL football. To register your interest, just ask your parents to email your name and age to ejfcgirls@gmail.com. The club will then keep you updated with the times and dates of the upcoming sessions.

Eltham Junior Football Club, promoting girls football for FUN, FITNESS & NEW FRIENDSHIPS

Eltham Junior Football Club - Panther Place ELTHAM, Vic, 3095. www.elthamjfc.com.au

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**23 SUNDAY OCTOBER OPEN 10am to 4pm**

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**Yarra’s Community FESTIVAL**

Celebrating 50 years

**Saturday 15 October from 3.00pm**

Festival highlights:
- Fireworks
- Carnival rides
- History book launch
- Time capsule burial
- Helicopter rides
- Community photography competition
- Food, drinks, music and entertainment
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