NOTES HOME THIS WEEK

- Receipts
- Bank Books
- 2015 Classroom Requirements - due 28/11
- Christmas Fair flyers - please distribute
- Christmas Tart fundraiser flyer
- Cake Stall promotion

2015 CLASSROOM REQUIREMENTS

Classroom requirement information for 2015 have been distributed today to all families. Booklist items for all Grade levels Prep-6 will be bulk ordered, distributed to all classrooms and issued to students in the first few days of 2015.

All families are asked to complete the classroom requirement sheet and return to the school office by Friday 28th November please. We are offering payment options and request that all classroom requirements are paid by 30th January 2015.

GROUNDFORCE SPECIAL EFFORT

A general 'tidy up' of the school grounds prior to the Christmas Fair. If you can help, please come along to lend a hand next Tuesday morning at 9.00 a.m.

HAT REMINDER

As it is becoming warmer and the UV rating higher, it is strongly reminded to all families that hats are to be worn whilst outside at school. The students at Fyans Park are highly respectful of this and the teachers appreciate it.

MILO T20 BLAST CRICKET

Well done to the Year 5/6 boys and girls teams who represented Fyans Park at Simonds Stadium during the week. The T20 Blast model is a terrific one for children as it is fast paced, exciting and fun for all. Thanks to the teachers and especially the parents who helped make the day possible for these students.

CHRISTMAS FAIR FLYERS

Today we have distributed 4 flyers highlighting our Christmas Fair next Friday. Please pass on to family and friends so that they can enjoy this great event with us.
Prep Transition #2 - Writing ..... 

Thank you to the many 2015 Prep parents who attended the Writing Session this past Wednesday. It was wonderful to see some familiar and new faces amongst the crowd. Writing should be a fun exercise and something that children love to do. As parents, remember to be patient with your children’s progress and praise everything they do. If you have any questions regarding Writing, please don’t hesitate to contact me at school.

Gavin Nelson
Assistant Principal

2014 SCHOOL YEARBOOK
ORDERS ARE CLOSING

If you would like a 2014 Year Book, please complete the order form and return by Friday 28th November.

Please note, we will only print as many copies as are ordered and paid for.

LATE ORDERS CANNOT BE ACCEPTED
ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY MATTERS

GO VEGETARIAN ONCE A WEEK

One less meat-based meal a week helps the planet and your diet. For example: It requires between 5,000 and 20,000 litres of water to produce 1 kilo of meat. 1 kilo of wheat requires between 500 and 4,000 litres to produce. You can also save some trees. For each hamburger that originated from animals raised on forestland, approximately 55 square feet of forest have been destroyed.

PIANO NEEDS A NEW HOME!

We are looking for a new home for an antique piano. All you need to do is arrange to pick it up.

If interested please call
Deb Friedman 0488 008 380.

Register as FYANS PARK in your Run Geelong sign-up!!

Visit the website www.runaustralia.com.au

SCHOLARSHIPS

2016

Academic, Music and Boarding Scholarships for entry into Years 6 to 11 in 2016.

Applications close: Friday 6 February 2015
Scholarship test and tours: Saturday 14 February 2015

Character is higher than intellect. A great soul will be strong to live as well as think.
Ralph Waldo Emerson

Find out more at www.geelongcollege.vic.edu.au

2014 RUN GEELONG
Please support our Sponsors ...

- Bellbrae Estate
- Wilsons
- Giant Office Furniture
- Farm Foods
- Geelong Hand Therapy
- Villawood Properties
- Goop
- Specavers
- MuzzBuzz

SAKURATEI JAPANESE
Santa’s Winter Wonderland

Santa will be making a very noisy entrance to the Fair at 4.10pm so make sure you are at the Camden Road entrance to welcome him!

Photos with Santa will be taken from 4.20pm to 5.40pm in Santa’s Winter Wonderland.

**Bookings can be made online at www.schoolinterviews.com.au and entering the event code: 3Z7QR.**

We also have a special Elf helping out again this year ..... he will look quite familiar so come and see who it might be!

**PRESERVES** - help required for labelling and topping preserve jars - next Tuesday 25th November from 9.00 am - 11.00 am in the Early Learning Centre

**CAKE STALL REMINDER**

The cake stall makes a 100% profit for Fyans Park, thanks to all families who bake in the days leading up to the Fair. We would love to **PLEASE receive a contribution from each Fyans Park family.**

Popular products are: whole cakes, cupcakes, biscuits, shortbread, slices and pavlova shells. Sausage rolls and savoury goods are particularly fast sellers, as well as gingerbread men and other decorated items kids love. Christmas goodies that can be eaten on the day or used as gifts are always a hit. (No cream or custard though, please, as the heat ruins these items).

Stall organisers will be **repackaging all goodies** so you don’t need to worry about presentation. Just bring your goodies along in disposable packaging or in your own labelled container and we will do the rest. The stall must comply with Health Department regulations so we will also be sending home labels so that you can list the ingredients and include with your product. Gluten free items are very popular so please note if your goods are gluten free.

**ON FAIR DAY please deliver goodies to the Multi-Purpose Room kitchen - 8.30am to 1.30pm.**

For further queries please call Jules Broad on 5222 6721 or 0402 353 953 or email broadcats@optusnet.com.au. Your time and generosity is greatly appreciated.

**RAFFLE TICKETS**

Tickets are $2 each or 3 for $5. Our hampers are still growing and contributions will still be gratefully accepted – please drop your donations into the Office by Thursday/
CHRISTMAS FAIR HELPERS NEEDED

WE NEED AS MANY HELPERS AS POSSIBLE

Please go to www.schoolinterviews.com.au and enter the event code ZP97Y.

If you do not have access to the internet please contact the school office.

Please be aware we need helpers on the day of the Fair as well to assist with set up of equipment, stalls and marquees, as well as some food preparation. Some of this work will require heavy lifting.

Any queries to Freya Poulter 0402 100 151 or the Christmas Fair Committee.
Thank you for your support!

BOOKS - DVDS - CDS

The Book Stall is back at the Christmas Fair! This is always a popular stall and this year we would like to expand with CDs and DVDs in addition to books. Clean out those cupboards and send them our way!

Fyans Park Primary School's Christmas Fair

SHOWBAGS & Novelties Stall

Awesome Showbags Only $7 each

Limited quantities so get in quick!

Lucky Dip $2

Find us on the Oval
Next to the Lolly Stall

Boys Toys Showbag
Boys Toys Showbag
Boys Toys Showbag

Fun for Little Ones Showbag
Fun for Girls Showbag
Fun for Girls Showbag

Cool Craft Showbag
Cool Craft Showbag
Cool Craft Showbag

Glow Sticks
Glow Sticks
Glow Sticks

Fun Toys
Fun Toys
Fun Toys

Water Squirters
Water Squirters
Water Squirters

Christmas gifts
Christmas gifts
Christmas gifts

Joke Toys
Joke Toys
Joke Toys

Bubble Wands
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In 2015 our Fyans Park newsletter will include a page of family and local business’ paid advertisements, similar to this sample.

- Ads will run for a term’s duration and will be business card sized only
- Cost will be $150 per term, per ad
- No inappropriate businesses will be considered, i.e. promotion of gambling, alcohol, etc

If you are interested in advertising in our school newsletter, please contact the Office on 5221 3772 or fyans.park.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au
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Please remember to send a hat with your child to O.S.H.C!

Hi Families,

Over the past 2 weeks I have been asking the parents, children and educators to give me their ideas on a Philosophy statement that we can use here in O.S.H.C. I have been given some ideas from a few children and parents and would like to complete it by the end of the week. I appreciate everyone’s input, so if anyone has any ideas, please let me know and all input will be given consideration.

As previously mentioned we have been working on making a globe out of paper mache and we are now at the stage of drawing the countries on it. I thank Jordan who put his hand up to draw the countries and I am looking forward to seeing the final result.

PLEASE remember that it’s NO HAT NO PLAY in Term 4! Please ensure your child has a hat for when they come to O.S.H.C. If they want to play outside, we have sunscreen that will be made available to all children attending O.S.H.C. If your child needs a specific sunscreen please ensure that you send it along with them each day or if you wish you can drop it in to me so it is here for your child to use.

There are available spots every day before and after school so don’t hesitate to book your children in to come and have some fun with us. Call me on 0452 247 130 if you have any enquiries, I am more than happy to answer any questions you may have or come on in and see me either before or after school to see what we get up to in OSHC.

Cheers & Keep Smiling,

Jodie, Lynne & Avnika

Once registered
You can make bookings and cancellations, view your statements and manage your details anytime of the day.

Save on Care
Save 50% or more on Before and After School Care with the Child Care Rebate. Almost all families are eligible. To find out more call our Customer Service Team on 1300 105 343

Holiday Clubs
Don’t forget about the Camp Australia Holiday Clubs these school holidays. Use the Holiday Club Finder on the website to find the nearest program: www.campaustralia.com.au/holidayclubs

Healthy Snacks
Afternoon tea is served daily. Menus are tailored to children’s tastes, developmental and nutritional needs. Afternoon tea includes a selection of yummy sandwiches and fruit. Children may also engage in fun cooking activities.