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Not all children are ready to learn the same thing at the same time, in the same way.

NEWSLETTER

May 23rd, 2018

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MAY

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| Thursday 24 th | ➤ Stocky Meal Deals – (No Shop Lunch Orders) |
| | ➤ 4M CLIC - Cooking Program @ TC |
| Friday 25 th | ➤ TC Awareness Day – Year 6 |
| | ➤ Stocky Meal Deal Orders Due Back Today |
| Monday 28 th | ➤ Year 5 Excursion Walhalla |
| Wednesday 30 th | ➤ Years 4 & 5 Health & Human Relations (Girls Only) 9:00am-10:30am |
| Thursday 31 st | ➤ 4M CLIC - Cooking Program @ TC |

JUNE

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| Friday 1 st | ➤ 4H CLIC Permissions Forms Due Back |
| | ➤ Year 1 Fire Station Excursion |
| | ➤ Year 3 Rawson Village Camp \$50.00 Deposit Due |
| Thursday 7 th | ➤ 4H CLIC – Cooking Program @ TC |
| Friday 8 th | ➤ Curriculum Day |
| Thursday 14 th | ➤ 4H CLIC – Cooking Program @ TC |
| Wednesday 20 th | ➤ Year 4 Forrest Edge Camp 2 nd Payment of \$80.00 Due |
| Friday 22 nd | ➤ Trivia Night |

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Father's Day Afternoon - Wednesday 29th August
- Father's Day Stall Thursday - 30th August
- Shopping Tour – November TBC

Dear Parents and Friends,

Yesterday we held our Open Day/Evening which was highly successful with an increase in prospective families viewing our wonderful school. If you are a current parent who has a child starting Prep next year can you please enrol your child as our Prep enrolments are now open.

WE WANT OUR STUDENTS TO TELL US WHAT THEY THINK!

We value student voice as a means to improving student engagement, wellbeing and quality instruction and are conducting a survey to find out what your child thinks of our school. The Attitudes to School Survey is an annual student survey offered by the Department of Education and Training to assist schools in gaining an understanding of students' perceptions and experience of school. Our school will use the survey results to plan programs and activities to improve your child's schooling experience.

Students from Year 4 to 6, at our school will participate in the survey. The survey only takes 20 minutes to complete and occurs during your child's class time. All responses to the survey are kept anonymous.

If you would like more information, please speak to your child's teacher or visit:

<http://www.education.vic.gov.au/school/teachers/management/improvement/Pages/performsurveyat.aspx>

Allyson Armstrong

Assistant Principal

LOST PROPERTY

Has your child lost a pair of glasses? We have numerous pairs of glasses in lost property that no-one has claimed. We also have several watches, student badges, jewellery and other odds and ends that have been handed in. If you think they may belong to your child please come and see us in the office. Any lost clothing, food or drink containers can be found in the lost property bins in the undercover area just outside the office. Please remember to clearly label all your students items so that we can return them back to the classrooms if they are found and handed in.

TRIVIA NIGHT TICKETS

Our Trivia Night is fast approaching so avoid disappointment and come in and purchase your tickets from the Office today. The Trivia Night is always an enjoyable event and we have had a fantastic variety of prizes donated so far that will be up for grab on the night.

BAKER'S DELIGHT PINK FINGER BUN FUNDRAISER

On Friday 18th May, Baker's Delight came to our school selling Pink Finger Buns fundraising for BCNA (Breast Cancer Network Australia) we would like to thank everyone who supported this fantastic cause by purchasing a Pink Finger Bun and we are excited to let you know our school raised \$424.20 which will all go straight to BCNA.

DONATIONS FOR TRIVIA NIGHT

We are looking for friends and families of Stockdale Road that could potentially donate goods, services or vouchers for our Trivia Night, to be used for Raffles and Silent Auction. Any help would be appreciated. There are several items that we are raising funds for, including improved technology and contemporary ICT Hub for our school.

MEETING NIGHTS

Parents are reminded that ALL teaching staff have meetings on Tuesday and Thursday nights beginning at 3:45 sharp. This means that staff will not be available to meet with parents (even for a quick chat) after school on these nights. If you would like to make a time to chat with a teacher they are available from 8:30-8:45am each morning.

GIVE A DAMN. GIVE A CAN. SCHOOLS COLLECTION.

Each year The Rotary Club of Traralgon Central conducts a canned food appeal. Last year the club collected over 7500 tins of food for needy families. This lasts the Vinnies food bank just 5 months. But it does mean ST Vincent de Paul can meet the needs of the Traralgon community for the full 12 months.

The most significant part of this collection is that conducted by the Traralgon Primary Schools, Government, Catholic and Independent support the project. Last year the Traralgon primary schools between them collected over 6000 tins of food.

We cannot thank you enough, generous parents, for your involvement.

On Thursday May 24 or Friday May 25 we ask that each family donate one tin of food per family. Of course you can donate more, but if we get one tin per family, we can get a collection of which we can be proud. Please send your child to school with one tin of food per family to support this appeal. Collection days. Week May 21-25.

There will be some publicity during the collection. Look out for the TV ads on WIN network and the kerbside collection bins during the week of May 21 -26. We thank you once again for your involvement in this community project.

Ian Whitehead. Rotary Club of Traralgon Central



DONATIONS WANTED!!!

We are in need of any secondhand, outgrown or no longer needed school uniform donations for our sick bay and secondhand stall. If you have any laying around that you no longer require we would love to take them off your hands and put them to good use.

YEAR 7 TRANSITION

ST PAUL'S 2019 YEAR 7 TRANSITION DATES

The school encourage enrolments to take place during Term 1 and not long after the Information evening as they conduct interviews during Term 2.

The school will conduct a Year 7 2019 Friendship Morning on Friday 24 August 2018 from 9.00 am to 12.30 pm. Orientation Days will be held on Monday 3, Tuesday 4 and Wednesday 5 December 2018.

LAVALLA 2019 YEAR 7 ENROLMENT DATES

Enrolment packs have arrived and can be collected from the office. Enrolments close on the 31st May for students entering Year 7 in 2019, with interviews being held at the end of July with letters of offer going out in August.

CURRICULUM DAYS

School Council have confirmed our school closure days for 2018.

They are as follows:

- Friday June 8th
- Monday November 5th

Council has selected these dates to coincide with public holidays, so that families can plan time together.

Teachers will be in attendance on the above days.

SCHOOL APP

The School App is now available to upload on your phone. This is a great way to receive all of the latest newsletters, payment reminders for camp & excursions and to send in your child's absence information.

How to get the Skool Bag App on your phone.

iPhone and Android

- Go to App Store (iPhone) or Playstore (Android)
- Search Stockdale Road Primary School Skoolbag
- Install - Once installed go to the 'more' tab, select set up and select the categories you would like to receive notifications from (i.e. Year 1 and Year 4)
- Ensure your settings in the notification centre (in settings) allow notifications to be pushed.

ART ROOM HELP

The art room is after any donations of Styrofoam trays (e.g. from meat and vegetables). The year 6's will be using them over the coming weeks. Any donations can be left at the office or brought to the art room.

ATHLETES FOOT TRARALGON

THE ATHLETE'S FOOT TRARALGON CASH BACK OFFER TO OUR SCHOOL

The Athlete's Foot Traralgon offers \$5.00 cash back to Stockdale Road Primary School for every pair of school shoes, sport shoes, work shoes and casual shoes purchased by our families. Just mention the name of our school.



The Athlete's Foot Traralgon offer a wide range of school shoes for children and have trained staff who can help select the correct shoe for your child. The correct shoes can help ensure proper bone and muscle development and can even help prevent foot and leg problems that could affect them for the rest of their lives.

The Athlete's Foot is now stocking CLARKES.



It is not too late to join the Challenge. The Premiers' Reading Challenge runs through until September and Stocky students have already read over 1000 books!! Students can get their username and password from their teacher, or Mrs Byrne in the library, and begin recording their reading online. This can be done at school and/or home. For more information visit www.education.vic.gov.au/prc

STORY BOX LIBRARY FEEDBACK

If your family checked out Story Box Library during our free trial we would love to hear from you. Please send an email to the school traralgon.ps.stockdale@edumail.vic.gov.au with Story Box Library in the subject and let us know what you thought.



BOOK CLUB

Issue 4 is coming!

Please return orders on or before **Thursday 7th June.**

You can hand your order and payment in at the office or order online at www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP



**GAMES
RAFFLES
AUCTIONS**


Friday
June 22nd

**STOCKDALE RD
PRIMARY SCHOOL**

MULTI PURPOSE ROOM

STARTS AT 6:30PM

TRIVIA NIGHT



BYO FOOD ALLOWED, STRICTLY NO BYO DRINKS

\$10 ENTRY

\$80 FOR TABLE OF 10

IF PURCHASED BEFORE FRIDAY 8th JUNE

**TICKET PURCHASE & TABLE
BOOKINGS AT THE OFFICE**