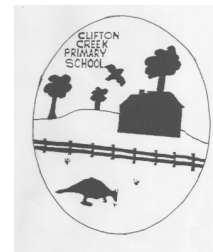


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Calendar

October

Monday 26

Tuesday 27 RE

Boys Business

School Council 5.15pm

Wed 28 Practising Preps

Active After School Communities

Thurs 29 Netball

Friday 30 MarcVan

Friday Fang

November

Tuesday 3 — **CUP DAY, no school**

Wednesday 4 School Camp

Wednesday 11 Junior Rotary Awards



SUNSMART

Shady Hats are required for outdoor play in Term 4, sunscreen available.

Chook Eggs \$3 per doz



Mates

On Friday afternoon students participated in 'own choice' mates sessions. Individual themes were decided by the big mate and were aimed to meet the interests and needs of their little mate. Well done big mates...there was no doubt that all your little mates were very engaged.

I liked mates because it was fun. We played games. We played hide and seek. We made a person and put things on the person. Naomi.

I liked my mates session because we made goo and we did invisible writing that didn't work. Stephanie

I liked making truffles and making a sheet about cooking. Tahli.

I liked mates because we coloured in some animals. We were making a story about animals. We didn't get to do the book because we ran out of time. Aiden

Cup Day Public Holiday

There will be no school on Tuesday 3 November as it is a public holiday across East Gippsland Shire.



Middle Class

It was a pleasure to welcome Gemma into our class this week. We hope she has a happy and rewarding time at Clifton Creek.

Our week was filled with individual maths programs, nouns, adjectives, adverbs, conjunctions, cartoon captions for water saving techniques, story writing, mathematics, contracts, mates session planning, dance rehearsals, soundwaves, Scope (looking at invertebrates), magazine work and reading.

The Boomerang Books for my class will be going home this afternoon, with the first lot of homework for the term.

There are a few boomerang books which didn't make it back. Could you have a look at home, please, if yours is not in your child's bag tonight?

Thanks. Jenny.

Staffing 2010

We are still in the process of finalising staff for 2010. We welcome Brad Cooper from Shepparton who will be teaching the 5-6 class in 2010. Brad has been teaching for 4 years and has lots of experience with senior students. The Prep-One class teaching position for 2010 is yet to be finalised. We will inform parents of the outcome as soon as details are available.

Water Eisteddfod

On Saturday morning the children of Clifton Creek participated in the third round of the East Gippsland Wicked Water Eisteddfod. We received a finalist trophy and some impressive medals. The children gave their best performance yet...lots of smiles and expression. Thankyou to all families for supporting this event. Special thankyou to Ian Hearnes who became the impromptu sound man! Thanks to Jenny for supervising lots of children through-out the day...a great team effort everyone!

Camp

The children are all very excited about camp next week. Please ensure all forms and money are handed in by Friday to enable staff to collate medical forms, assess individual needs etc. Any questions/queries please do not hesitate to give me a yell.

ResourcesSmart

A huge thankyou to Hilary for all the time and effort she spent collating/ coordinating our accreditation for Core Module. This involved policy development - environment policy; green purchasing policy; vision; values; 5 year plan (called SEMP); setting up Enviro group; tracking our energy, water, rubbish service electronically; identifying sustainability education in the curriculum. As a result we have received accreditation for our first of 5 modules. Well done Hilary!



Junior Class

This week we have learnt about how a black cat sitting on our writing lines help us to remember how tall or small a letter is. It has a head, a body and a tail - Just like our letters.

We have learnt about money and have been buying and selling in a shop.

We learnt about people who help us in our family.

TOWELS

We have two towels missing ~ Will is looking for his velour red and blue beach towel and Abbie is looking for her lime green beach towel specially embroidered with her name "Abbie". Please check at your place and see if either of these items have inadvertently made their way into your cupboards!

PLEASE LABEL ALL ITEMS OF CLOTHING BEFORE CAMP!!

FREE

Due to printer failure we have SPARE printer cartridges:

FREE : Epson Cartridges T009 (Colour)

Suit Epson Stylus Photo Models 900/1270/1290

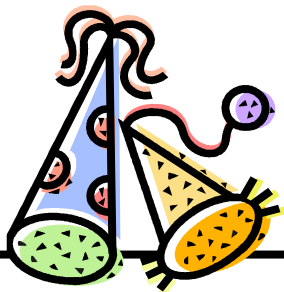
FREE : Epson Cartridges T007 (Black)

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Contact Jenny Hearnes at school or A.H. 51252-5436

Happy
Birthday

To CASEY B who turns 9 tomorrow,
Tuesday
27th
October



Writing Presentation For Kids

with Adam Wallace

Bairnsdale Library

Tuesday 27th October

3.45-4.45

Come along and listen to Adam Wallace a qualified primary school teacher, reads stories from his books. Adam also takes kids step by step through his how to draw books.

FREE!!!

Our school's Sustainability visions and values and the accompanying Environmental Policy and Green Purchasing Policy will be published in the newsletter over the next few weeks. We start this week with our vision

VISION:

To conserve natural resources where possible and to introduce and consolidate sustainability/ environment education as an integrated theme for K-6 curriculum. To provide leadership in sustainability education and practices in the wider community.

Telstra Beach to Bush

On 16th November the children will receive a visit from a lifesaver dressed in uniform. The lifesaver will cover open water awareness, surf safely hints, sun smart messages and key water safety messages. For promotional purposes, photos and video may be taken during the session. The images remain the property of Life Saving Victoria and may be used to promote the Life Saving Victoria programs in published material, media and internet. Please let me know if you do not wish for your child to be videoed or photographed.

Rhythms for Rice

Supporting the St Antonio's School lunchtime food program in East Timor.

Music and Refreshments

Friday November 13th 4.00pm – 8.00pm

Antique Rose Garden' (Andrea and Greg Savage's).

115 Bellbird Road, Granite Rock

Entry: Adults \$10 each

Children: gold coin donation.

Raffle Prizes include: Painting by Tina Sonka,
locally acclaimed artist.

115 Bellbird Road

Granite Rock.

Local musicians and ensembles

Above and Beyond

*To Robyn our domestic goddess whop worked her
magic in the lab.*

Thank you !!