PRINCIPAL’S CORNER

Enrolments and extra tours
We have organised a couple of extra prep tours for families. If you know of someone in the area that would like to attend a tour they can contact the office. Don’t forget to put your enrolment forms in!

Long weekend
Don’t forget that this weekend is a long weekend for the Queen’s Birthday. Students return to school on Tuesday June 14th. We hope you enjoy the extra day.

Early finish
School will finish for term 2 on Friday June 24th. Students will be dismissed at 2.30pm. Out of Hours Care will start at 2.30pm. Students return to school on Monday July 11th.

Lock down practice
Last Friday we had a lock down procedure drill where students had to return to classrooms from outside. We will regularly practice our emergency procedures during the year to make sure everyone is comfortable with procedures. Students were aware this event would happen and all students managed very well.

Market Day
Market Day will be held between 11am and 1pm on Friday. Market Day involves students in the senior classes organising their own stalls and all the planning and preparation that goes into this. This event supports the economics unit of the national curriculum, AusVels. It will also be lots of fun. See you there!

Cross Country
Good luck to our 17 athletes running in the cross country tomorrow at Yarra Glen. I will be going up at some stage to see as much as I can. It is a great achievement to get to this level. All students should be very proud.

Have a great week,

Sue Dean and Cory Pearce
LOTE NEWS:
ATTENTION GRADE 1 PARENTS:

Japanese Passports:
Could all the Japanese Passports from last year’s (2015) Preps please be returned to Mrs Collins as soon as possible?

Thank you!
Mrs Collins

ENVIRO CENTRE REQUEST:
Any families able to help with looking after the Enviro Centre during the June/July holidays please leave their contact details at the office, with dates of their availability.

Thank you!
Mrs Collins

VIRTUE OF THE WEEK: **Courage**
Congratulations to the following students who received Virtue of the Week: *(Ending Friday 03rd June 2016)*

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### STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Congratulations to the following students who received Student of the Week:  
*(Ending Friday 3rd June 2016)*

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<td>Mr Sutherland</td>
<td>Jye W  For showing persistence and determination during ERT sessions this week when planning his Market Day stall</td>
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<td>5/6M</td>
<td>Ms Meier</td>
<td>Jemima L For showing great persistence in maths sessions this week</td>
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<td>5/6F</td>
<td>Mrs Fellows</td>
<td>Phillip S For persisting with all his Market Day preparation, including staying in to finish at play</td>
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<td>5/6D</td>
<td>Miss Davies</td>
<td>Reece O and Finn H For working brilliantly as a team to prepare their Market Day stall</td>
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<td>3/4S</td>
<td>Mrs Sutherland</td>
<td>Zoe H For actively participating in the class meeting and making strong choices. Well done!</td>
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<td>3/4O</td>
<td>Ms O’Neill</td>
<td>Jon S For doing the right thing and making good choices</td>
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<td>3/4M</td>
<td>Mr Meede</td>
<td>Chloe A For always giving a wonderful effort all of the time</td>
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<td>3/4C</td>
<td>Miss Cichowicz</td>
<td>Douglas S For working well and helping with the running of the classroom</td>
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<td>1/2M</td>
<td>Miss Maxwell</td>
<td>Jake D For a fantastic improvement in his writing and for entertaining us with his funning Minecraft stories! Well done!</td>
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<td>1/2K</td>
<td>Ms Keltie</td>
<td>Ruby L For her fantastic effort when writing rhyming couplets</td>
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<td>1/2H</td>
<td>Mrs Hutchinson</td>
<td>Hugh M For his fantastic use of Investigations time</td>
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<td>1/2B</td>
<td>Miss Brown</td>
<td>Ava S For working so hard on her classroom birds eye map. Well done!</td>
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<td>1/2A</td>
<td>Mrs Alenson</td>
<td>Mia R For impressing us with her rhyming couplets</td>
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<td>PREP W</td>
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<td>Jacinta G For working so hard at remembering to leave spaces between her words when writing</td>
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<td>Talwyn G For working hard in her reading to help her read harder books</td>
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<td>Mrs Flanagan</td>
<td>Matilda D For taking the time to help others make strong choices</td>
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<td>ART</td>
<td>Mrs Krenn</td>
<td>Cameron Van H For listening attentively and following instructions always</td>
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<td>P.E.</td>
<td>Ms Atkinson</td>
<td>Ben F For implementing great strategies in T-Ball</td>
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<td>Mrs Wilson</td>
<td>Jordan M and Lachlan E For being kind and attentive reading assistants to Preps</td>
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CSEF ELIGIBILITY

Below is the criteria used to determine a student’s eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF).

Criteria 1 – Eligibility
To be eligible* for the fund, a parent or legal guardian of a student attending a registered Government or non-government Victorian primary or secondary school must:
• on the first day of Term one, or;
• on the first day of Term two;
  a) Be an eligible beneficiary within the meaning of the State Concessions Act 2004, that is, be a holder of Veterans Affairs Gold Card or be an eligible Centrelink Health Care Card (HCC) or Pensioner Concession Card (PCC) holder, OR
  b) Be a temporary foster parent, and;
  c) Submit an application to the school by the due date.

* A special consideration eligibility category also exists. For more information, see: [www.education.vic.gov.au/csef](http://www.education.vic.gov.au/csef)

Parents who receive a Carer Allowance on behalf of a child, or any other benefit or allowance not income tested by Centrelink, are not eligible for the CSEF unless they also comply with one of (a) or (b) above.

Criteria 2 - Be of school age and attend school in Victoria
School is compulsory for all Victorian children aged between six and 17 years of age inclusive.

For the purposes of CSEF, students may be eligible for assistance if they attend a Victorian registered primary or secondary school. Typically, these students are aged between five and 18 years inclusive.

CSEF is not payable to students attending pre-school, kindergarten, home schooled, or TAFE.

Eligibility Date
For concession card holders CSEF eligibility will be subject to the parent/legal guardian’s concession card being successfully validated with Centrelink on the first day of either term one (27 January 2018) or term two (11 April 2018).

PAYMENT AMOUNTS

CSEF payment amount
The CSEF is an annual payment to the school to be used towards camps, sports and/or excursion expenses for the benefit of the eligible student.
• Primary school student rate: $125 per year.
• Secondary school student rate: $225 per year.

The CSEF is paid directly to your child’s school and will be allocated by the school towards camps, sports and/or excursion costs for your child.

For ungraded students, the rate payable is determined by the student’s date of birth. For more information, see: [www.education.vic.gov.au/csef](http://www.education.vic.gov.au/csef)

Year 7 government school students who are CSEF recipients are also eligible for a uniform voucher. Secondary schools are required to make applications on behalf of parents so please register your interest at the school.

HOW TO COMPLETE THE APPLICATION FORM

NOTE: ALL SECTIONS MUST BE COMPLETED BY PARENT/Legal Guardian

1. Complete the PARENT/Legal GUARDIAN DETAILS section.
   Make sure that the Surname, First Name, and Customer Reference Number (CRN) details match those on your concession card. You will also need to provide your concession card to the school.
   If you are claiming as a Foster Parent or a Veteran Affairs Pensioner, you will need to provide a copy of documentation confirming your status as a temporary Foster Parent or provide your Veterans Affairs Pensioner Gold card to the school.

2. Complete the STUDENT/S DETAILS section for students at this school.
3. Sign and date the form and return it to the school office.

CSEF payments cannot be claimed retrospectively for prior years.

Queries relating to CSEF eligibility and payments should be directed to the school.
Ferntree Gully North Primary School

Gully View

CAMPS, SPORTS AND EXCURSIONS FUND (CSEF) APPLICATION FORM

Ferntree Gully North P.S

4718

School Name

School REF ID

Parent/legal guardian details

Surname

First name

Address

Town/suburb

State

Postcode

Contact number

Centrelink pensioner concession OR Health care card number (CRN)

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☐ Foster parent* OR ☐ Veterans affairs pensioner

*Foster Parents must provide a copy of the temporary care order letter from the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS).

Student details

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I authorise the Department of Education and Training (DET) to use Centrelink Confirmation eServices to perform an enquiry of my Centrelink customer details and concession card status in order to enable the business to determine if I qualify for a concession, rebate or service. I also authorise the Australian Government Department of Human Services (DHS) to provide the results of that enquiry to DET.

I understand that:

• DHS will use information I have provided to DET to confirm my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund and will disclose to DET personal information including my name, address, payment and concession card type and status.

• This consent, once signed, remains valid while my child is enrolled at a registered Victorian school unless I withdraw it by contacting the school.

• I can obtain proof of my circumstances/details from DHS and provide it to DET so that my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund can be determined.

• If I withdraw my consent or do not alternatively provide proof of my circumstances/details, I may not be eligible for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund provided by DET.

• Information regarding my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund may be disclosed to the Victorian Department of Health and Human Services and/or State Schools’ Relief for the purpose of evaluating concession card services or confirming eligibility for assistance.

You are able to request access to the personal information that we hold about you, and to request that any errors be corrected, by contacting your child’s school.

Signature of applicant ___________________________ Date __/__/
EXHIBITING MAKERS
HANDS ON WORKSHOPS
DEMONSTRATIONS
DIY RESOURCES
MAKE, BUILD, DESIGN, HACK,
CREATE, PLAY, LEARN
SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY
ART / CRAFT
ENGINEERING

FRIDAY
JUNE 17th
9.30am -
11.30am

we are all
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Volunteer Drivers Needed!

Do you have a morning or an afternoon free and enjoy driving?

We are looking for volunteer drivers to transport elderly frail aged people, and people with a disability, who reside in the Knox or South West Yarra Ranges.

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or email lynn@bridgescc.com.au
Visit our website: www.bridgescc.com.au

Homework Club

Boronia Community Church of Christ is excited to announce the launch of:

Homework Club, Thursdays each week during school terms.

This program is supported by: Knox Council Community Development Fund

The Homework Club provides a safe and supportive out-of-school learning environment where primary and secondary students can participate in activities that develop their academic skills in addition to getting assistance with homework.

They will have access to local volunteer tutors who have appropriate skills and knowledge to support the Club activities.

Who? Students in Year 3 - 12

When? 4 - 5:30pm each Thursday during term

Where? The Hub,
Boronia Community Church of Christ,
59 Boronia Rd., Boronia

Cost? $2 per session (includes afternoon snack at 4:00pm)

Contact? Church Office (ph. 9762 1277) or David Deith (m. 0412 433 237).
ATTENTION PARENTS:

Copies of School Captains, House Captains, Junior School Council and Year 6 Graduation photos are in the office for your perusal. They are available to order at a cost of $17 per photo.

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