RIDESCHOOL DAY
Staying healthy at Milgate!

Last day of term is Thursday 28th March
Students will be dismissed early at 2.30pm

EASTER RAFFLE
To be drawn at Assembly on Monday ...
Good luck to all families that have entered the draw!
### DIARY DATES 2013

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### FROM THE PRINCIPAL

We have almost come to the end of another term. This will be the last WHAM for this term. It has once again been a busy term with many achievements for students at Milgate PS. I would like to thank all the staff, parents and students for their assistance and support at Milgate Primary School. Milgate Primary School is an excellent school of high academic excellence providing many opportunities for student learning and extracurricular activities. Thank you to the staff who work as a team to provide the best teaching and learning program for your children in a caring environment which caters for students’ individual needs. Thank you also to the parents with whom we work in partnership for the education of your children. Many parents assist the school in numerous ways and we appreciate your time and valuable help which enhances the school and the students’ learning. I wish you all a very relaxing and enjoyable holiday.

During Term 1 we have had House Swimming Sports, Chinese New Year celebrations, excursions, visiting performers, sporting successes, Parent Sharing Sessions, Literacy night, Camp information night, 1-1 iPad program, engaging and challenging learning for students. The Prep students have completed their first term of school, have begun their learning at school and become familiar with their new friends and learning environment.

This week has been planning week for the teachers. Each day teachers from a year level have been released for the day to plan the Term 2 learning program for students. They have planned a rich, challenging and engaging program tailored to the learning needs of the students. While the teachers have been planning, the Specialist Teachers have been teaching the classes. During every week the teachers also have common planning time to plan the weekly specific learning program.
SUCCESSFUL PARENT LITERACY NIGHT
Last week Lyn Sanders and Trina Williamson conducted a night on ‘Helping your child with Literacy’ in which they covered all aspects of the English / Literacy teaching program. This included Writing, Reading, Spelling, Speaking and Listening. They talked about how we teach these areas, how parents can assist at home and how parents can assist in the classroom. There were 45 enthusiastic parents in attendance which was a great response. The parents received some valuable ideas and information about how to support their child’s literacy learning at home. If you were unable to attend and would like a copy of the information covered please contact the school office.

YEAR LEVEL INFORMATION BOOKS
The 2013 ‘Year Level Information Books’ will be available on the school website by the end of Term 1 in the ‘For Parents’ section and under ‘Parent Information Books’. These have valuable information about the whole year curriculum, school programs, camps, school processes and many other things relating to the students’ education at Milgate PS. Please read the ones relevant to your children. If you are unable to access them on the website, contact the school to obtain a copy.

Debbie Mierisch
Principal

OFFICE INFORMATION

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
Family financial statements are being sent home via the eldest child to every Milgate family today. This is provided for your information and details all school payments for term 1, 2013.

Those families eligible for Education Maintenance Allowance and who have elected to use this towards school charges will note that the first semester payment has been allocated. Second semester payment is due at the end of term 3 to cover the balance.

Please note that the ICAS (competitions) charge is voluntary and parents may elect to enter their child in as many competitions as they wish. The charges will be cleared off for those students not participating in some or all competitions at the end of term.

A reminder that families can use Bpay to make any payments to school. The biller code and your family reference number are shown on the statement. This provides a safe method of payment.

INFORMATION SESSION FOR PARENTS

EDUCATION IN AUSTRALIA
Tuesday 26 March 9 – 10.30am in Staffroom
We are having an information morning for parents who are new to Milgate or those that may be unfamiliar with the Australian Education system. We will discuss some of the programs running at Milgate and ways you can help your children with English and Maths. Interpreters will be available for those who would like their assistance. You are welcome to join us for morning tea when parents and staff will be available to answer any questions you may have.
UPCOMING SPORTING EVENTS 2013
Fri 26 Apr | House Cross Country [Yrs 3 – 6] 9.30am – 12noon

SPORTING HIGHLIGHTS
The following students will now compete at the Eastern Region Swimming Championships on Friday 8th March at Nunawading Pool (Ethan G, Justin B, Emilia D, Abbey C, Bronte C & Amanda L).

Well done to the 6 swimmers who swam at the Eastern Region Swimming Championships and in particular to Emilia D who won the 12yr Girls Butterfly. Emilia will now swim at the SSV State Championships at MSAC on Wednesday 27th March. We wish you all the best Emilia and look forward to hearing how you go.

12yr Girls Freestyle Relay Team placed 3rd at Eastern Regional Swimming

Emilia D placed 1st in the 12yr Girls Butterfly

INTER-SCHOOL SPORT
Round 4 – Thursday 7 March

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BICYCLE VICTORIA AWARD
On Friday 15th March, Mary Wooldridge and Jeff from Bicycle Victoria presented Milgate with an Active Travel Award, which recognise all our efforts as a school in promoting active travel with our students. This was a great honour for Milgate and we should be extremely proud of everything we have achieved over the years.
If you wish to know more about how you could help out with any aspect of the PE/Outdoor Learning Program, please contact James Will at school or have a look at the Physical Education Handbook on the Milgate PS website under the Notices section.

James Will
PE/Outdoor Learning Coordinator

CASSE [Creating A Safe and Supportive Environment] NEWS

AWARDS
The following awards have been presented to students:

Aryan G 6FB For being an upstander in ICT.
Marcus C 2WH For being an upstander in the playground.
Matthew K 5DM For being an upstander at Interschool Sport.

Congratulations to the Teachers!

Check out my great batting style!

Teachers v Students
Rounders 14th March 2013
In Year 4 we have been investigating how the different body systems work and how to keep them working well. We made the world’s best lunchboxes!

From our ‘wonderings’ we found out....

- Calcium and Vitamin D help keep our bones strong
- Fruit and vegetables contain fibre which helps digestion
- The human body is made up of 206 bones.
- Digestion starts in the mouth
DO YOU HAVE UNWANTED ITEMS?

COLLECTION OF YOUR UNWANTED ITEMS FOR PREP

Do you have any of the following items that your kids may have grown tired of that could be re-used at school rather than taken to the op shop?

- dolls
- dolls accessories such as prams, baths, clothes
- dressing up clothes
- child-sized play furniture
- sand play equipment
- lego
- lego duplo
- other construction sets

We are also looking for interesting natural items like:

- shells
- pine cones
- other seed pods
- interesting pieces of wood
- pebbles

As well as the above, we are also collecting the following items for construction activities:

- cardboard boxes
- plastic milk bottle tops
- plastic bottles
- newspaper
- fabric
- wool, string, raffia
- cardboard pieces
- old notepads
- old magazines
- corks

Thanks very much for your trouble!

Please take any items for donation to the Prep classrooms.

The Prep Team
Milgate’s P&F is made up of a great group of parents who offer a little of their spare time to help create events that strengthen our school community and raise funds to contribute to additional school facilities and programs.

We meet roughly once a month as a group and then work together in smaller teams to co-ordinate events such as the Mothers and Father’s Day stalls, a school disco, and a variety of other programs. Everyone is welcome and we appreciate all help offered, no matter how small or irregular!

Please check our new Noticeboard outside the uniform shop for details of our next meeting or to register to be kept informed of our current projects via email. Below is a photo during our recent catch up.

EASTER RAFFLE
All families should have received an allocation of 5 raffle tickets for the Easter raffle, which will be drawn at assembly on Monday 25th March. If you haven’t already, please support this small fundraiser and return named ticket stubs and $5 in an envelope with your child’s name and grade, by Monday. Extra tickets are still available in the office.

WOOLWORTHS EARN AND LEARN POINTS = LEGO FOR OUR NEW LEGO CLUB!!
It’s on again – Woolworths’ annual Earn and Learn promotion where parents can collect points from their Woolworths shopping, create points sheets and then hand them in to the school so we can redeem the points on education supplies.

This year, Woolworths have brought their promotion forward and it commences during this holiday break – from April 8th through June 9th. We ask you to please support this promotion and hand in your points sheets to the office during the two month period – we will be setting up a collection box at the office and also one at The Pines Woolworths store.

The more points sheets we complete, the more Lego for our Lego club! The Coles promotion will be held in July.

MULTICULTURAL SUB COMMITTEE
The Multicultural Sub Committee of the P&F organises international events and celebrates various cultural celebrations. The committee comprises parents and grandparents from a variety of cultures including Australia and we are driven by the wonderful and diverse multicultural school community, who are a great resource for us to learn from.

We are currently helping the school plan for their Education week activities which will have an international focus and assisting with an ESL Morning Tea on Harmony Day – Tuesday 26th March.

The group is chaired by Louisa Angeloglou and meets monthly at 9am in the staff room - for more details or if you would like to join this committee then please visit the P & F board outside the uniform shop - below is a photo following our recent meeting.
TERM 2 DATES TO REMEMBER
Get your diaries out, below are the important P&F dates for Term 2.

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Further details and calls for volunteers to assist with the upcoming events will be supplied during the term.

Angela Eichler
President - 0409 809 991

This week at After School Care…

The team at After School Care had a great week. At the beginning of the week, the students were asked to write down what activities they liked or would like to do at OSHC. From this, the ‘Fun Things to do at OSHC’ display board was created. This provides a great insight into what goes on at After School Care. Please feel free to come down and take a look!

Now that the temperature is cooling down and more people are remembering their hats, outside time is becoming more frequent. Some inside games that were highlights this week were Golden Child, the Pattern Game and The Simpsons Game. We also held a colouring competition for St Patricks Day. Congratulations to Audrey, Taya and Celeste – your Leprechauns were beautifully coloured in. 😊 What a great way to start Cultural Diversity week as we begin to explore the different cultural backgrounds of the people in After School Care. Next up: making French crepes!

Parents please note: I am currently updating the Camp Australia enrolment forms. If I have given you a form, please fill it out, sign and return it to me as soon as possible. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask me.

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# ACTIVITIES AT MILGATE - TERM 2

## Basketball
- Milgate Community Basketball for students in Years 1 - 6.
- Cost: $30 registration and $30 for basketball top.
- Enrolment forms available at the Office.

## KidzFit Lunchtime Basketball Clinic
- Cost: $66 for 6 weeks (includes FREE basketball)
- Enrolment forms available at the Office or on Milgate’s website (under ‘Notices’).

## Chess Club
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<td>Term 2 starts 15 April for 10 weeks (excludes 10 June) 3.30 to 4.30pm in Library</td>
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- Enrolment forms available at the Office, on Milgate’s website (under ‘Notices’) or visit www.chessideas.com.au

## Formosa Chinese School
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- Please contact Teresa Chen (Principal) on 0412 037 192 or principal@formosa.org.au.

## Kelly Sports (Prep to Yr 4)
- Brilliant Ball Sports
  - Tuesday 3.40 - 4.40pm
  - DONT MISS OUT ON HITTING A SIX! BRILLIANT BALL SPORTS allows your child to play a range of dynamic and active programs run over 10 weeks; these include: Soccer, Football, Netball, Basketball and Crazy Games! This Program will not only provide an essential base for your child’s motor skills but help build awareness, co-ordination and friendship all in an enjoyable environment.

## Gym Fun
- Wednesday 12.50 - 1.50pm
- This fun fast paced, highly active and non-stop program is an introduction for your child to the world of gymnastics. Colourful ribbons, entertaining Hula Hoops, incredible Rhythmic Routines and Group Dynamics. Allow your child to build their gymnastics skills and their thirst for exciting energetic activities.
- Available for students in Years 1 – 6 who have qualified.
- Enrolment forms available at the Office or visit www.kellysports.com.au/zone/templestowe

## Musical Inspiration
- Music lessons available for trumpet, drums, saxophone, clarinet, flute, keyboard/piano, violin, cello, acoustic guitar, electric guitar, bass guitar and singing.
- Lessons rotate during school time.
- Brochures/enrolment forms are available at the Office or on Milgate’s website (under ‘Notices’).

## WiseOnes
- Heroes, Villains and Star Wars
  - Monday (commences Monday 29 April for 8 weeks)
  - What leads us to change from good to evil or reverse? Remember in Star Wars Darth Vader, Dark Lord of the Sith, was the scourge of the Jedi but he began life as Anakin Skywalker, a young slave from Tatooine, skilled in piloting and strong in the Force. The path of a Jedi is often difficult, filled with conflict and pain, yet Luke Skywalker, a simple farm boy, became the greatest hero the galaxy has ever known. Meet other heroes - Hercules, Penelope, Arthur, Boadicea, Weary Dunlop, John Monash and more amazing 20th century people who showed heroic characteristics. Are you a hero too? Learn more about drama and acting. Learn play-writing and how to develop dialogue. Tell great stories old and new.
- Enrolment forms available at the Office or on Milgate’s website (under ‘Notices’).
COMMUNITY NEWS

Please see our Community Noticeboard (located opposite the Art room) for any interesting community events. The Department of Education and Early Childhood Development (DEECD) does not endorse the products or services of any private advertiser. No responsibility is accepted by the Department of Education and Early Childhood Development (DEECD) or Milgate Primary School for accuracy of information contained in advertisements or claims made by them.

ACTIVITIES FOR CHILDREN

DRAMA CLASSES
The Pines Learning Centre
When: TERM 2 - Wednesday nights
   Ages 5 – 8  4.30 – 6.00pm
   Ages 9 – 12  6.00 – 7.30pm
   Ages 12 – 15  7.30 – 9.00pm
Venue: The Pines Learning Centre [1/520 Blackburn Rd, Doncaster East]
Details: Explore, create and take risks while building friendships, self esteem and confidence. Giving children the opportunity to be expressive in a vibrant, challenging and supportive environment.
Contact: Sharon Foley 0401 902 886 | Carla Gilzean 0413 405 936 | dramaco@optusnet.com.au

FOOTBALL

Auskick - Beverley Hills
When: Sunday mornings
Where: Zerbes Reserve, East Doncaster
Details: Register online at www.aflauskick.com.au
Contact: Anthony Pezzimenti 0425 781 112

Auskick – Doncaster Heights
When: REGISTRATION Saturday 13 April [9 – 10.30am]
   Clinic starts Saturday 20 April [9 – 10.30am]
   New kids always welcome!
Where: Reischiecks Reserve, East Doncaster [Cnr George & Victoria Streets]
Details: Register online at www.aflauskick.com.au
Contact: Glenn Powell 0421 012 845

Auskick – Donvale
When: Saturday mornings – starts Saturday 20 April [9 – 10.30am]
Where: Donvale Reserve, Noonan Way, Donvale [Cnr Springvale & Mitcham Rds]
Details: Register online at www.aflauskick.com.au/register
Contact: Andrew Gilmour 0402 894 782 | happygilmour23@optusnet.com.au
Website: www.donvalefc.com.au

Auskick - Manningham
When: Saturday mornings
Where: Zerbes Reserve, East Doncaster
Details: Register online at www.aflauskick.com.au
Contact: Pat Cooper 0412 908 098

Eastern Primary School Football League
When: Saturday mornings
Where: Donvale | Emmaus | Glendal | Bayswater | Ringwood | Mitcham
Details: Register online at www.epsfl.org.au
Contact: Pat Cooper 0412 908 098

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SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMS

Kelly Sports
When: 2 – 12 April [8am – 4.30pm]
Cost: $50 – 1 Day | $90 – 2 Days | $35 per day – 3 days or more [family discount for 2 or more]
Special Events include the following with plenty of prizes to be won...
Easter Egg Hunt, The Amazing Race and Penalty Shootout-Once each week
Venue: St Charles Borromeo Primary School

Manningham Art Studios
When: Tuesday 9 – Friday 12 April
Courses:
- Creative Writing Tuesday 9 April 1.30 – 3pm
- Drama Tuesday 9 April 3.15 – 4.45pm
- Clay Imaginary Friends Wednesday 10 April 1.30 – 3pm
- Clay Robots Wednesday 10 April 3.15 – 4.45pm
- Textile Craft Thursday 11 April 1.30 – 3pm
- Woodcraft (6-9 year olds) Thursday 11 April 3.15 – 4.45pm
- Family Activity Friday 12 April 1.00 – 3pm
- Cartoon Drawing Friday 12 April 3.15 – 4.45pm

Tennis
When: Wed 3 April, Thurs 4 April and Fri 5 April [8 - 10am or 10.30am – 12.30pm]
Wed 10 April, Thurs 11 April and Fri 12 April [8 - 10am or 10.30am – 12.30pm]
Cost: $30 per day or $75.00 for a 3 day clinic
Details: All equipment provided.
Venue: Doncaster & St. Gregory's Tennis Clubs
Bookings: Or enquiries to Vicky Lee (Head Coach) M: 0403 129 648 E: vicky@slamin.com.au
Website: www.slamin.com.au

TENNIS

Kelly Sports
BEFORE SCHOOL LESSONS
Venue: McCubbin Terrace [Milgate Park courts]
Days: Monday | Wednesday | Friday
Time: 7.45am
Details: Afterwards children walk together with the coaches to school (only 5-10mins walk). All children receive a FREE Tennis Australia T-Shirt. Children 6 years and under receive a FREE Wilson racquet and hat! STRICTLY A MAXIMUM OF (4) STUDENTS PER COACH.

AFTER SCHOOL LESSONS
Venue: Doncaster and St Gregory’s Tennis Clubs
Days: Monday to Friday and all day Saturday
Details: All children receive a FREE Tennis Australia T-Shirt. Children 6 years and under receive a FREE Wilson racquet and hat! STRICTLY A MAXIMUM OF (4) STUDENTS PER COACH.
Contact: Vicky Lee [Head Coach] 0403 129 648 or vicky@slamin.com.au
Website: www.slamin.com.au

When: 2 – 12 April [8am – 4.30pm]
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FOR PARENTS / CARERS

COURSES

**ESL - English through Cooking**

When: Friday 10 May (for 8 weeks) 9.30 – 12noon
Cost: $40
Details: This exciting new class will focus on students preparing with their teacher one dish per week and sharing their recipes and enthusiasm for cooking whilst building language skills in a friendly and fun environment.
Contact: Pines Learning BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL 9842 6726

**ESL - Return to Work**

When: Wednesday 8 May (for 8 weeks) 12.30 – 3pm
Cost: $66 (funded) or $206 (unfunded)
Details: This course will help you be ready for an ever-changing workplace environment and better understand Australian workplace dynamics. Topics covered include Resume Writing, Employability Skills, Interview Skills, How and Where to Look for a Job, and more.
Contact: Pines Learning BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL 9842 6726

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**BOX HILL HIGH SCHOOL**

**Select Entry Accelerated Learning (SEAL) Program Year 7 2014**

The Year 7 SEAL Application link is currently open on our website. [www.boxhillhs.vic.edu.au](http://www.boxhillhs.vic.edu.au)

To commence the selection process, parents of 2013 Year 6 applicants are asked to apply now. Places in the SEAL Program are for gifted students, currently residing in Victoria, who qualify for a government funded education, regardless of the location of their residential address.

For further information about the SEAL Program and Box Hill High School, we extend an invitation to our **2013 Open Afternoon 2.30 – 4.30 pm Tuesday 23 April**.

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**EAST DONCASTER SECONDARY COLLEGE**

**ALPHA Test Year 7 2014**

Applications are now open for ALPHA Year 7 2014. The testing date is Saturday 20 April. To register your child please apply online at [http://www.edsc.vic.edu.au/learning/alpha-program](http://www.edsc.vic.edu.au/learning/alpha-program). For further details regarding ALPHA visit the EDSC website.
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