

Term 4 Week 3 25 - 31 OCTOBER

Thurs 29 - Fri 30 October
 Junior Primary Camp

Fri 30 October
 VCE Exams begin (to Nov 20)

Term 4 Week 4 1 - 7 NOVEMBER

Mon 2 - Tues 3 November
 Cup Day Holiday (School Closed)

Wed 4 November
 Primary Concert (Dress Rehearsal)
 Yr 7/8 Cricket

Thurs 5 November
 Primary Concert 1-3pm
 Year 7 2010 Information Evening

Fri 6 November
 SP Connect Morning Tea
 Interschool Sec Athletics (Reps)
 Yr 11 Last Classes
 Primary Concert 1-3pm & 6.30-8.45pm

Term 4 Week 5 8 - 14 NOVEMBER

Mon 9 November
 Yr 8 Aquarium Excursion

Mon 9 - Tues 10 November
 Yr 11 Study Days

Mon 9 - Fri 13 November
 VCAL Camp

Tues 10 November
 Schoolwear Fitting 5-6pm

Wed 11 - Fri 13 November
 Yr 11 Exams

Wed 11
 Primary Interschool Athletics (Yr 3-6)
 Year 7 Gear Check/Practice Hike
 Instrumental Recital

Fri 13 November
 Yr 10 Last Classes
 Yr 7 2010 BBQ

Sat 14 November
 Working Bee

Don't Forget the Working Bee! Sat 14 November

The last Working Bee for the year is on November 14.

Please put the day aside if you haven't yet done a working bee this year.

The fee for not completing a working bee is \$120.00 but we would rather have you than the money!

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

11am Tuesday on published week. Email articles (images attach as jpg) to the newsletter office

MECS COMMUNITY NOTICES

Visiting Teacher Needed

MECS is seeking the services of a Visiting Teacher for the Hearing Impaired in 2010. The position is part-time and funding-related. It is important that the teacher embraces the values and precepts of Christian Education, as expressed at MECS. If you are interested in this position, or know of somebody who may be suitable, please contact Jo, Education Support Coordinator, by telephoning the office

Business Coaching

Are you experiencing frustration with, or want to expand your business? Call John to discuss possible solutions!

The Soda Tree Café

Anna, Anthony, Thom & Gideon welcome you to The Soda Tree Café - 1950's Retro Australia Café & the newly opened Atomic Artefacts - Collectables, Curios & Vintage/Funky Clothing.

966-970 Mt Dandenong Tourist Road, Montrose Phone: 9728 - 8840

- Fabulous Organic, Fair Trade Coffee
- Quality Meals & Grazing Platters
- Gladysdale Pastries
- Full Breakfast on Weekends
- Spiders & Milkshakes
- Family Friendly
- Loads of Parking & a free smile with every purchase!

Please note we use only free range eggs.

Community Safety Expo

On Saturday November 7, the council will be hosting a major community safety expo at Lillydale Lake. The expo will feature displays and demonstrations involving the CFA, SES, Victoria Police and around 14 other emergency and safety based organisations and government departments. The expo will play a key role in helping our community to be better prepared in the lead up to this year's bushfire season. A major focus of the day will be on children's activities and important educational messages for individuals and families.

Survive Past Five

5th Birthday Party

A Campaign of Micah Challenge

Every child should be able to enjoy a 5th birthday but sadly 9.2 million children died before their 5th birthday last year. 43% of these deaths were easily preventable.

We want to see Australia doing its share so Micah Challenge wants to see a Survive Past Five Birthday Party held in every electorate before the 2010 Federal Election.

A steering group with members from Mount Evelyn Christian School, Lilydale Baptist and TEAR Australia, are holding a 5th Birthday Party campaign at Lillydale Lake on Sat 28 Nov 2009. Tony MP is attending.

For more information, please contact steering group member Wes

Safety Survey

The Mount Evelyn Township Improvement Committee (METIC) is interested in feedback around the issues of community safety. This was identified as important at the 2009 Township Planning Day.

In the MECS community room you will find: a feedback form, a map of Mt Evelyn and Sticky dots.

We would like you to note on the feedback form any safety concerns you have; these can include: traffic or parking issues; dangerous public amenities or facilities (i.e. potholes in footpaths) and personal safety issues.

We would also like you to mark the map with the dots supplied.

The survey is completely anonymous and you will not be canvassed for further information - however you are very welcome to contact us.

For further information contact the Community Link

Results of our Safety Survey will be available publicly in 2010 at the Community link and in the newspaper.

Steve
 METIC Health & Wellbeing representative

NOTICES HOME THIS WEEK

- Letter to Parents of Instrumental students
- Yr 9 Orientation to Senior School letter
- Primary Concert Notice
- Yr 7, 2010 Orientation Information