Dear Parents,

Wow…. There is now only 5 weeks left of the school year and we are busy making plans for the 2017 school year. Currently teachers are developing grade lists – this is a task that takes a great deal of time and a significant amount of consideration goes into how new grades are formed. This includes a student’s academic, social and emotional needs. In addition to this we need to consider ensuring that there is a mix of student abilities, students with special needs and students who are part of our English as Another Language Program (EAL). Please speak directly with Ricky Potter or myself if you have any questions about this process.

Year 7 CSEF
Do you have a student attending Year 7 next year? If this is the case and you are currently eligible for the Camps, Sports and Excursion Fund (CSEF) then you are also entitled to subsidise Uniform Pack for 2017 for your Year 7 student. Applications are currently open and I urge you to make contact with your child’s 2017 Secondary College to enquire and apply for the uniform pack.

St Albans East Primary School Patron Award.
Last year the school council introduced a new award called the St Albans East Patron Award.

Candidates should not only have made a significant contribution to the school but no longer hold an official position at the school to avoid any conflict of interest.

The successful SAEPS Patron will be announced at the Year 6 Graduation and each year the winner will be invited to official school events such as anniversaries, presentations, opening ceremonies etc. from thereon. Their name will also be added to the new Honour Board that the school is on the wall in the front office.

Please contact the school office for an official nomination form. Nominations must be received by November 14th

Are you moving on in 2017?...... Please notify the school as soon as possible if you are moving schools in 2017 as we are about to start our planning for 2017.

Important Dates

11 November— Meet the Coaches— 2017 Prep Parents
18 & 25 November— Prep Transition
12-16 December— Swimming Program
13 December— Grade 6 Graduation
19 December— Last day of School for students

Canteen Roster

| Mon:  | Sandra |
| Tue:  | Marion |
| Wed:  | Marion |
| Thurs: | Jane |
| Fri:  | Jackie |
2017 Prep Enrolments
Have you got a child turning 5 before April 30 next year? If so they are due to be enrolled at school. Please contact the office to collect an enrolment pack.
The school will be conducting an orientation program in November so it is important that your child is enrolled to be included as part of this program.

FOR YOUR CALENDAR:

School Concert
Once again we are having an end of year school Christmas concert where each grade will perform a Christmas act. This year's concert will be held in the school hall. Parents are welcome to join us for the concert. A letter with the time and date will be sent home soon.
At the concert we will be making a presentation to St. Vincent DePaul's of non-perishable and bathroom items. We ask that all families send a grocery item along to school preferable a bathroom product i.e. soap, shampoo, toothpaste.

Year Six Graduation
Our Year 6 graduation is being held on Tuesday December 13th.

Year 6 State Orientation Day
All our Year 6 students will be involved in the state wide Year 7 Transition day on Tuesday 6th December. On this day they attend their 2017 secondary school for the whole day.

Anne-Maree Kliman
Principal
U3A Tabletop Gaming
Learn to play a tabletop game and test your skills with Deer Park U3A.

Deer Park: Monday 14 November 2-4pm

International Games Day
Game on! Come and try various types of games at Sunshine Library as part of International Games Day. Board games, tabletop roleplaying, cards and more! All ages welcome.

Sunshine: Saturday 19 November, 1-5pm

Deer Park Library 4 Neale Road, Deer Park  T 9249 4660
Keilor Village Library  Kennedy Street, Keilor  T 9249 4670
St Albans Library 71A Alfreda Street, St Albans  T 9249 4650
Sunshine Library 301 Hampshire Road, Sunshine  T 9249 4640
Sydenham Library 1 Station Street, Taylors Lakes  T 9249 4680

brimbanklibraries.vic.gov.au
24 October 2016

Dear local resident and/or business owner,

**PLANNED WORKS – MAIN ROAD CLOSED 9PM FRIDAY 4 NOVEMBER UNTIL 5AM MONDAY 28 NOVEMBER 2016**

The project is well and truly meeting some major milestones during the current 24 hour construction bliz. When the new St Albans Station opens on Monday 31 October trains will finally run beneath Main Road.

To complete construction works on Main Road, we will be closing a section for three weeks in November.

**WHAT WE WILL BE DOING**

Main Road will be closed between McKechnie Street/West Esplanade and St Albans Road/East Esplanade Project from 9pm Friday 4 November 2016 until 5.00 am Monday 28 November 2016.

While the road is closed we will be completing traffic signal works, road widening and surface works, kerb and pavement construction, car space reconstruction on Main Road West and works in the new bus interchange on St Albans Road.

Pedestrian access will be maintained the entire time during these works. Traffic detours will be in place.

Please refer to the map over page for further details and safe walking zones during the road closure.

**WHAT TO EXPECT**

We will be working 24 hours a day throughout the road closure to complete the works and you may notice an increase in construction vehicles and workers, noise and traffic.

To minimise the impact of our work on the surrounding community the team will:

- Schedule noisy activities within normal working hours wherever possible.
- Carry out regular checks on equipment to ensure they are running smoothly and efficiently, and ensure machines are not left running.
- Use broadband reversing alarms on mobile machinery and equipment. These alarms are much quieter than the standard reversing beepers used on most construction sites.
- Where possible, arrange loading activities to avoid reversing, reducing the use of reversing beepers.

Please be aware this work may be rescheduled in the event of bad weather or other unavoidable circumstances.

Thank you for your support, patience and understanding so far. We are very aware that some of the works may be disruptive to the community and we try to minimise this as much as possible.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact us

Yours sincerely,

Furlong Main Level Crossing Removal Project
Map 1: Road Closures and Pedestrian Routes

Section of West Esplanade closed from Main Road West to Adelaide Street: 4 - 28 November.

11 angled car spaces closed to reconstruct as parallel car spaces to allow for road widening.

Footpath closed November

Main Road Crossing Closed: 9PM Friday 4 November - 5AM Monday 28 November

Works continue around the forecourt of the new St Albans station

New pedestrian bridge at inner Circles

Works on the new bus interchange, car spaces closed.
TOP GEAR
PARENTING FEISTY KIDS
FROM 3–12 YEARS OLD

They may be loud, stubborn, rough and tumble or just “going through a difficult stage”.

This 90 min seminar is for parents of kids who can be feisty, tricky, and super energetic or just seem to be operating in top gear most of the time. Parents will get an overview of the basics for helping children learn to manage their feelings and behaviour, tips on setting limits and how to encourage positive behaviour even when things get stressful!

Tuesday 22 November
1:00pm – 2:30pm
Playgroup Centre - Corner of Station Rd and Irvine St. Deer Park (Parking on Irvine St)
Limited childcare available if you book

This seminar is FREE but BOOKINGS ARE ESSENTIAL
Hi everyone, 

Well it's term 4 and almost the end of the year.

Places are open this term for new students to come to the Breakfast Club and Aftercare, Afterschool Care is a great way for children to make friends with others. Our group activities help children to increase social interactions and communication.

Breakfast Club is a good way to start the day by eating a good breakfast and meeting new friends.

Last term, the children enjoyed celebrations such as Football day, Sports day and Book Week.

Each week at aftercare we have held a masterchef cooking taste test where the children get to taste new healthy foods put on the menu by the new Camp Australia Cookbook. This is done on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Each child then rates how the food tastes by putting a score down on a piece of paper.

This term we are still doing our cooking experiences but also celebrating end of year events such as school concerts and Christmas. We will also be doing craft, sport and creative drawing experiences.

(special noodles were on the menu and Julian and Arden enjoyed eating them)

To join in the fun, just log onto www.campaustralia.com.au and register. You can also contact Jillian on 042848544

Term 4 Operating times are: Breakfast Club 7am to 8.45am Monday to Friday

Aftercare 3.15pm to 6pm Monday to Friday
TRƯỞNG VIỆT-NGỮ LÊ-VÂN

Ghi danh học Việt-ngữ niên học 2017.
Kính thưa quý vị phụ huynh học sinh cũ ngữ vùng miền Tây Victoria (Footscray, Sunshine, St Albans, Cairnlea and Kingpark).
Trường Việt ngữ Lê-Văn bắt đầu nhận học sinh ghi danh niên học 2017 vào các ngày thứ bảy tại hai trung tâm:
*Trung tâm St Albans Heights Primary School, Stradbroke Street, St Albans (Melway 26,C2) có các lớp:
Lớp sáng: Các lớp học Việt ngữ từ 9 giờ 30 sáng đến 12 giờ 10 trưa.
Lớp chiều: Các lớp học Việt ngữ: Từ 1 giờ 30 trưa đến 4.10 chiều.
*Trung tâm St Albans East Primary School, Lester Ave corner Station Ave St Albans
Lớp sáng: Các lớp học Việt-ngữ từ 9.30 sáng đến 12.10 trưa.
Học phí $80.00 cho năm học.
Trường mở các lớp từ mẫu giáo đến các lớp 11, 12.
*Chứng nhận học “KINDERGARTEN” thích học (3 tuổi đến 5 tuổi).
Quy phụ huynh ghi danh cho con em vào mỗi ngày thứ bảy từ thứ bảy 08-10-2016 đến thứ bảy 10-12-2016 tại trường hoặc xin gọi cho thầy Sơn Nguyễn Mb 0438 366 675.

Nguyên Xuân Sơn
Thạc-Sĩ Sư Phạm

Hiệu Trường