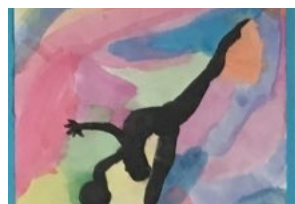




READY TO GO...



CUBBIES



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Bush Kids

Most of the Welton kiddies have been busying themselves at break times, constructing and playing in cubbies. The boys have taken over the back left corner for their 'fort'; whilst the girls have more of a house arrangement (complete with kitchen) over the other side of the school. I'm sure cubby building brings back fond memories for everyone.



Maths is fun....

At Welton our students participate in Mathematics learning and activities everyday. Some days we use ICT to assist us with research or watch demonstrations as well as accessing the Mathletics program. Other days we complete written work or participate in hands-on activities. We know that all children learn differently and are at different stages of understanding (regardless of their enrolled year level). Above are James and Kayden completing units of work using the Mathletics program.; whilst Jayden and Matilda are busy constructing 3D shapes.

DOXA Camp

A reminder to the families of our three Year Five students that the completed forms for camp are now due back at school. The camp will run from Monday March 20th until Wednesday March 22nd with Lisa attending the camp. Sharon will be holding the fort back at school. Leaving times will be confirmed next week. If you have any questions please contact Lisa.

MACC News Term 1

How exciting to be back at school and welcome to all the new students for 2017. I am enjoying getting to know you all. Students will need a smock for Art to protect their clothing from paints, glues and other messy materials. During the first term we will be working on drawing skills. We will be looking at and talking about The Body in Art. During the next 4 weeks students will draw the body showing movement, study hands, draw a cartoon person and further their skills in portrait drawing. These topics are based on student goals set during the first two weeks of school. Students have already created a group work showing the colour spectrum using primary and secondary colours to complete mini self-portraits. The last week of Term 1 will be spent doing an Easter activity.

Ms Sally Bentley
Murray Plains MACC
Art Teacher



Ready to Go....Mow.

The ride-on mower has now been fixed and is ready to be picked up in Echuca. If anyone with a ute or trailer is able to do this, please let me know. The lawns are ready for a trim (just as soon as we have the mower back). The rostered family is Kalinowski.

Don't Forget

Next Tuesday night is the Annual General Meeting of School Council - at this meeting the 2016 Annual Report will be shared and the 2016 President will give her report (whoops, Tanya have I told you about this?). We will hold an election for executive positions (President, Vice-President, Secretary), with current members who hold those positions still able to re-nominate.

The AGM will be followed by a brief March meeting.

A reminder that meetings are held at the school and commence at 7pm. Councillors will receive a package with this newsletter, please bring it along to the meeting.

Special Lunch@ Gunbower

Families should have received a letter and special lunch order form (sent home in reader bags on Monday). If you have not returned your order and/or an indication as to whether you are able to assist at any stage during the year, please do so by tomorrow (bring to Gunbower).

Long Weekend

A reminder that this Monday (March 13th) is a public holiday. Students (and teachers- yay) are not required at school on this day. We hope that you all have a safe and enjoyable long weekend.



COMING SOON

Labour Day Public Holiday.....	Monday Mar 13th
School Council -Annual General Meeting.....	Tuesday March 14th
Special Lunch at Gunbower.....	Thursday March 16th
Year 5 Camp.....	Monday March 20- Wednesday March 22nd
End of Term 1 (2.15pm dismissal)	Friday March 31st
First Day of Term 2.....	TUESDAY April 18th