We Will Remember Them

ANZAC Commemoration

Welton students will present the ANZAC Day Dawn service at the Torrumbarry Hall on Saturday 25 April at 6.00 am. This will be a sombre occasion where our young students will reflect on their knowledge and feelings about ANZAC. Participating students should wear winter school uniform and be in attendance by 5.50 am. Any families, who have not already done so, are reminded to return the ANZAC Day participation slip attached to last week’s newsletter before Friday.
**Lion King**

We are still waiting to hear from Vline re travel costs. A reminder that spare tickets at $65 are available for interested parents. Parents will also be required to pay for their own train travel to/from Melbourne. If you are interested in joining us for this adventure you should let Lisa know as soon as possible because first in is first served. Parents are most welcome to pay costs for this excursion in instalments between now and the performance date.

**School Council**

The next meeting of the Welton Primary School Council will be held on Monday 27 April at 7pm. Meeting information packages for councilors will be sent home on Friday with students.

**Promoting Our School**

A brochure advertising our school is attached for your information. This brochure will be distributed to district families over the coming week. Should anyone require copies for placement at an appropriate business outlet, please let Lisa know so that additional copies can be provided.

**Cross Country**

Welton kiddies are training to be at their peak of fitness for the The Annual Murrabit Cross Country Run that will be held on Tuesday 5 May at the Murrabit Recreation Reserve. Families are responsible for making their own transport arrangements. Please contact the school should this present difficulties for you or if you are able to assist others with transport. Lunch is available at this event. Students are required to pre-order on the form attached. This must be returned, along with consent form and payment, by Friday as catering numbers are required. Lunch is available for purchase at the venue for spectators.

**Pie Warmer**

Food warming facilities are now in operation. Students are reminded that they may bring items to be heated, wrapped in foil and named. A reminder that the pie warmer does not cook food, it just heats it. Suitable items are pies, pasties, sausage rolls, toasted sandwiches, mini pizzas and even last night’s leftovers. Foil containers with lids are perfect for pasta and roasts.

**School Fees**

Attached are accounts for outstanding payments. It is important that these payments be made promptly so that funds do not need to be taken from other programs to cover costs. This means kids miss out. Please give this your urgent attention.

**Mothers Day Stall**

The annual Mothers’ Day Stall will be held at the school on Friday 8 May. Each family is asked to donate 2-3 small gifts per child. The Year Six students will be in charge of setting up and operating the stall. All funds raised will go towards subsidising our whole school camp.
Secondary School Information Nights

Both Echuca College and St Joseph's College are holding information nights in the coming weeks. These nights are not restricted to families with students in Year Six, so even if you have a child/ren in lower year levels feel free to attend either or both school's information evenings. Flyers for both evenings were attached last week's newsletter.

Dates To Remember

Saturday 25 April…………………………….ANZAC Day Dawn Service at Torrumbarry Hall 6.00 am
Tuesday 5 May ........................................................................................................... Murrabit Cross Country
Thursday 8 May .................................................. Community Morning Tea at Torrumbarry Hall
Friday 9 May ....................................................................................................... Mothers’ Day Stall
Tuesday 12 - Thursday 14 May .............................................................................NAPLAN Testing
Wednesday 3 June ..............................................................................................Lion King in Melbourne
Monday 8 June .................................................................................................. Queen's Birthday Holiday
Friday 26 June ................................................................................................... End Term 2