**Dates to Remember**

**September**
- Fri 18- Transition to kindergarten
- Fri 18- Last day of term 3

**October**
- Mon 5- Labour day public holiday
- Tues 6- Students return to school

**November**
- Thurs 5- Life education- Ebor
- Mon 9- Creative Arts day- Thalgarrah
- Tues 10- Creative arts camp- yrs 3 – 6
- Tues 24- Science night

**December**
- Tues 15- Presentation day
- Wed 16- Christmas party
- Wed 16- Last day of term

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**Regular Events**
- Monday and Wednesday – AASC sport
- Monday- Japanese
- Monday- Scripture
- Monday- Stephanie Alexander kitchen garden
- Tuesday (alternate) – Play Group
- Tuesday (alternate) - Assembly
- Wednesday - Student Banking
- Wednesday- Piano Lessons
- Wednesday- Library

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**Principals Report**

Welcome to week 10!
Thank you to everyone who supported the P&C’s trivia night on Saturday. It was a fantastic night, and a very successful fundraiser. Funds raised by the P&C help pay for things like our students swimming lessons and excursions, so all support is greatly received.

Mel Wood
Principal

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**Student of the week**

Student of the week is an award given to one of our students who has covered all areas of being an excellent school citizen, this includes trying very hard in all areas of learning, impeccable manners and respect for others.

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**TEN**

TEN is a maths program called Targeting Early Numeracy. All schools in the Snow Gums Learning Alliance will be trained in using this innovative maths program, offering all of our students the opportunity to learning using strategies proven by research to be highly effective. With all 5 schools committing to this program, we will be able to use common assessment tasks and learning experiences to map the progress of all students across the alliance. Working collaboratively, we will be able to ensure that teacher judgement when assessing student work is consistent across all schools. This program will require 6 days of training scattered across next term.
Trivia & Curry Night

Thank you to everyone who supported our trivia night. It was an enormous success, with approx. $2,500 raised to support our students.

Thank you to Suzy Ross, Ali Betts, Sarah Grant and Dorianne Coventry for organising a wonderful night. Thank you to the organising committee and to Lisa Mooney for approaching local business to gain their support for the night.

Thank you to the organising committee, and to Jenny Fulloon and Den Tanner, for providing such yummy curries- everyone was very well fed! Thank you to Anna Smith, Tammy Czapracki and Sandra Moen and the organising committee for dessert.

Thank you to Giles Clarke and Michael Tassell- our outstanding MC’s for the night.

Prizes during the night were donated by the following people and businesses:

- Terry Coventry- hand made chair
- Charlie and Dorianne Coventry- Woollen scarf, 40 bags sheep manure
- Grazag- storage container
- Lusticus- products
- Whitebull hotel- wine
- St Kilda hotel- wine
- Royal hotel- wine
- Goldfish bowl- voucher
- KMart- voucher
- Dan Murphies- voucher
- Harvey Norman- sheets and towels, Dinner set
- Herzog engineering- $100 voucher
- Rose Valley Steel- voucher
- BCF- BBQ, fishing tackle box, pliers, waffle iron, and picnic dinner set from BCF.
- Betts transport- voucher

Thank you for donations from Grant and Michelle Blackwell, Janet and Edmonds and David and Sandra Moen.

If I have inadvertently forgotten anyone, please let me know, as I would really like to acknowledge everyone who made the night the overwhelming success it was.