

COMING EVENTS

Tuesday August 17th—Book Day at Sunnycliffs PS.
 Wednesday September 1st—House Sports (Changed date)
 Thursday September 9th—District Athletic Sports
 Friday 10th September—Arts Performance—9.15am
 Tuesday November 9th—Kanga 8.

MILDURA CITY COUNCIL SPONSORSHIP

The Mildura Rural City Council have generously donate \$300 towards our “Journey of the Orange” excursion. In his letter Glenn Milne (Mayor) commended our school of their initiative and sense of community, and for the capacity to sustain the project for the past 7 years. We sincerely thank the council as they have been a huge supported of our school and it was their involvement/sponsorship in 2006 that enabled us to conduct our very first journey. ‘Boy’ how things have evolved since then. We have kept a folder for every year, and it’s fantastic to flick back through each one to see the children, media, business and personnel who have at some stage been involved.

Further good news, Hugh Flett (Chief executive Officer, MVCB) has accepted an invitation to join us when we visit the Mildura Fruit Company next week (Thursday Aug 12th). Hugh has been with the board for nearly 12 months and this will provide him with an insight into how our partnership is of mutual benefit to both parties and for the local citrus industry.

NO SCHOOL MONDAY

The Department of Education has declared Monday August 9th a pupil free day throughout Victoria. The aim of the day is to provide all principals and teacher an opportunity to develop skills in relation to the Ultranet. 3500 principals will attend a meeting in Melbourne while all teachers will attend Ultranet training in various locations throughout Victoria. Nangiloc will host one of these meetings and staff from Underbool and Tempy PS will join our staff for a big day of learning. The Ultranet is a small, secure, version of the Internet which is designed to education only. We will conduct a parent briefing to explain in more detail later this year (Term 4). It is a very bold and ambitious project, initiated by the Victorian Department of Education.

ACTIVE AFTER SCHOOL

It was fantastic to see more children involved in last Tuesday’s Rock ‘n’ Roll session. This term we have 2 instructors, travelling out to our school, to provide alternative activities, so it’s essential that we support them Lets make sure our children stay active.

What’s Happening Next Week:

Monday August 9th — Pupil Free Day.

Tuesday August 10th— Journey of the Orange (local excursion). Active After School—Rock n Roll.

Wednesday August 11th—Active After School—Tae Kwon Do

Thursday August 12th— Journey of The Orange to Mildura.

Sat-Sun August 14th & 15th—Motor Bike catering.



PARENTS CLUB NEWS***IMPORTANT NOTICE***

Janette Mason has been busy phoning everyone to assist at the Motor Bike Catering to be held on August 14th & 15th. She has only been able to leave messages and is hoping to receive replies by this weekend so that the roster can be finalised to send out next Tuesday. At this stage she has received very few replies to help. We cannot run this catering fund raiser if we don't get enough people to help out. All we need is 1 to 2 hours of your time over the course of the weekend. It would be a shame to lose this fund raiser as we are able to raise around \$5000 combined with the Field Days. If we were to lose these fund raisers we would have to revert back to the old way of raising funds by running many raffles and chocolate drives etc. Imagine how many of them we would have to run to raise \$5000. All money raised from this and the Field Days go back into your child's education. So get on the phone and give Janette a quick call to put yourself on the roster to help out. If everyone pitches in it won't be left up to just a few to be there for the whole weekend.

ART & MUSIC

We are still looking for items that can be used to make musical instruments. If you have any of the following items at home please send them along.

Shoe boxes, stubby lids, cylinders, hair combs, pavlova plastic egg containers, small plastic containers (to make rice shakers) and anything else you may think could be used to make instruments.

FOR SALE

1 Yardman ride on mower \$800 (yes the school is replacing it, but it is still a reasonable mower for a house block).

2 Steel bookcases (great shed storage) \$50

2 Teachers desks (great work bench) \$50.

See Mr Wright