Hi All,
Just few little reminders,
School Council Nominations are now open. Please see below for details. Please pop your name down on the roster at the staff room to help out with the Bunning BBQ. This is one of our main fundraisers for the year. Remember many hands make light work.
We have been invited to the Perform at the Multicultural Festival on the 13th March. A note will come home first thing next week with the details.
Some sad news – As you are all aware Lynette has had a nasty accident and injured her arm. We hoped to see her back at school next week. Unfortunately she is unable to return until next term. We wish her the very best with her recovery and look forward to her return. We will be doing our very best to keep the program as stable as possible during this time. Thanks for your support
Take Care and Be Safe.
Katy

Bunnings BBQ
We are having a BBQ on the 7th March. This is a good way to raise money for all the little extras around the school. There is a roster on the door of the office for you to put your name against a time. We have to have it manned between 9-4.

Reading
Parents are encourage to stay in the morning and help with reading in the morning. The children love to have their parents around at this time.

School Council Election
Information regarding the upcoming school council is attached to this newsletter.
**Book Club**
Orders are due back 12th March

**Physical Education and District Sports Day in March**
Just a reminder that the District School Sports Day is going to be on Thursday 26 March at the Yinnar Football Oval. A note will be sent home with students providing parents with more detail shortly. As part of our involvement in the day the school needs a representative to help set up the events the day before (mark the lanes, prepare sand pits for long jump etc) on Wednesday 25th from 1.45pm. It would be marvellous if any parents may be available to help up do some of this work on the 25th. **If you have the spare time and are prepare to get a little dirty please let Katy or Annabel know**

**In the Kitchen**
We made fresh pasta with our eggs, a basil pesto and then used our apples, tomatoes to create salads.

**In the Garden**
‘Barb from Bunnings’ joined us in the garden today, she brought with her pea mulch and lots of vegetable seedlings, herbs and ornamental flowers to plant in hopefully be the main source of our meals in the near future. A special thank you to Julie for organising Barbara's visit and Bunnings' free contribution to our school garden. It was great to have her join us in the planting of them and stay to share or lunch. Today’s lunch was lovingly prepared by Linh and Callie. We all enjoyed rice paper rolls with Linh’s special satay sauce. It is great that we have support from Bunnings and our families.our garden.
Life Styles : Health
Juniors had fun discovering the importance of teeth hygiene by creating marshmallow teeth mouths and practicing brushing techniques.

Coral’s Corner : At school we like to use “Restorative Practices” to manage conflict when it arises, whether that be in the classroom or out in the playground. Let’s take a look at the framework:
WHEN THINGS GO WRONG
Can you tell me what happened?
What have you thought about since then?
What do you need to do to make things right?
The Restorative Questions are:
What were you thinking at the time?
Who has been hurt or is sad because of what you have done?
Part 2 Next newsletter.
Play is the Way: This week’s focus is “Be Brave – Participate to progress.” School is about stepping bravely into the unknown. The unknown is often uncomfortable. The braver you are, the more you learn.

It’s only natural that making mistakes and failing, feel bad. That’s why it takes courage to overcome those feelings and keep trying. Remember : You are never defeated until you give up trying.