ElectronicNewsletters
In our last newsletter we said that the new app would be up and running to replace the hard copies, but unfortunately we are still waiting for this to be finalized. We will let you know as soon as it is ready.

Camp
Some of our student attended camps at Sovereign Hill at Ballarat and Sommers, on the Mornington Peninsula. They came back to school very worn out but they had great experiences.
Lifestyles Lunch

Last week we made fresh pasta with a simple tomato sauce and focaccia bread.

This week we made twice baked potatoes, Chocolate Beetroot Muffins and a wonderful Salad of our Imagination all from our garden! Both recipes are from Stephanie Alexanders cook book.

“Kitchen Garden Cooking with Kids”.

Coral’s Corner:

Recently we have been in the chook shed making it more functional for us at school. The Grade 6 students & I completed a Woodwork Project which was building a frame for the nesting boxes, complete with ladder.

The chooks have now got the hang of the feeder, stepping on the feeder box platform opens the lid for them to feast on their pellets. We are pleased with this progress in the chook yard.
Play is the Way

In *Play is the Way* students are working on the concept: “It takes great strength to be sensible”. Students have considered statements relating to behaviour and have been asked if they agree, strongly agree, disagree or strongly disagree. With this activity it has been interesting to observe students changing their decision based on the strength of arguments from their peers. Student have also learnt a new game called “The Alphabet Game”. Ask your kids about this game. It has been lots of fun!

Sustainability at our School

Students have learnt about ways to save energy and as a result they have created signage around the school to remind us all about simple ways of saving energy:

- turning the lights off in classrooms when we are not in them
- setting heaters and air conditioners and never alter the settings
- close all doors so that heat does not escape from heated rooms

We hope these things will help our school use less energy. We will be able to see if it has an impact on our use of energy as we are now recording our energy consumption through the Resource Smart program.

We hope students share their knowledge with you at home!