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**GRADE 4 CAMP**
The Grade 4 Camp will be held at Alambee on 23rd—25th November. Permission notices need to be returned along with payment asap. Please note that the permission notice states $203, but the cost is actually $205, so please send an extra $2 to school when you return your form and make payment.

**SCHOOL COUNCIL**
Our next School Council meeting will be next Wednesday 16th November.

**GRADE 1 FUN DAY OUT**
The Grade 1 Fun Day Out will be held next Thursday 17th November. A reminder to return your permission notice and payment asap.

**JUNIOR ATHLETICS PRACTISE**
Next Thursday afternoon (17th November) the children in Grades Prep & 2 will be having athletics practise at Inverloch. Thank you to Marina Jackson & Vicki Bainbridge who will be taking the children to Inverloch. Can parents please collect their child/ren from Inverloch at 3.30pm.

**JUNIOR ATHLETICS CHANGE OF DATE**
Unfortunately the date for the Junior Athletics has changed again. The date is now 8th December. We apologise for any inconvenience this may have caused!

**MINI SOCIETIES**
Market day will be held at Inverloch PS next Wednesday 16th November from 11.30-12.30pm for children in Grade 4-6. All parents of students involved are invited to attend the market and join in the festivities.

**SPANISH CULTURAL MULTI AGE DAY**
We will be going to Inverloch next Friday 18th November for the Spanish Cultural Multi Age Day. Details have been sent home with the children already and are also overleaf. Please remember to return your order for your “treat” by next Tuesday. Children will need to be dropped off at IPS and collected again at normal school times on this day.

**NATIONAL RECYCLING WEEK**
This week is National Recycling Week, please refer to the attached poster in the newsletter to assist you with your home/kerbside recycling.

**COMPASS**
Compass is the student management program we use at school for reporting, absences, creating notes and sending emails to parents. Please ensure you check Compass regularly to see comments teachers are writing about your child’s learning. If you have forgotten your password or logon details contact the office at Inverloch (ph 5674 1253) to get a new one.

**WHOLE SCHOOL TO INVERLOCH**
We will all be spending the day at IPS next Wednesday 16th November. The Preps will have their Teddy Bears Picnic and be doing activities throughout the day, Grade 1 & 2’s will join in with the Inverloch classes and the Grade 4-6’ will be doing Mini Societies. A reminder that the preps children will need to be collected at 5pm, and can all other children please be dropped at IPS and collected again at normal school times.
END OF YEAR EXCURSION
Permission notices are attached for our end of year excursion to Puffing Billy and Skyhigh at Mount Dandenong on 12th December. Please return by 2nd December with payment.

JUNIOR ATHLETICS
*Please note that the date for Junior Athletics had been changed and confirmed for Thursday the 8th of December.

Thank You

IKPS SCHOOL CONCERT
DATE: Wed. 30th Nov. 2016
TIME: 6:30pm Start for Grade Prep, 1, 2 & Kongwak
      7:30pm Start for Grade 3, 4, 5 & 6.
WHERE: Inverloch Community Hub.
*Gold Coin Donation (More info to follow)

ALL WELCOME.
Dedication of the Ferndale Grabbams' Window at the Kongwak Church on Sunday, 20-11-16 at 2.30pm.

Viewing of the stained glass window will be 2.30pm to 3pm.
The dedication of the window donated by Bob and Jean Grabbam will be at 3pm.
Followed by afternoon tea.

There will also be a photo hanging of the names of the people who donated to the very big front window and the Restoration Fund.

If you need more information please contact
Anne: 0429870767.
Grade 1 Visit
Hola! Parents and Carers,

We will be celebrating our annual Spanish Day on Friday 18th November. Our Kids Matter Multi-Age Day will have students enjoy a fiesta of activities, music and culture from Spanish speaking countries. Students have been placed in groups, named after a Spanish speaking country. They may come dressed in the flag colours of the country that they will be representing.

Students should bring their regular snack and lunch. As an extra experience, we are offering a Chilean treat on the day, with a cost of $2 per child. The treat consists of a small pastry called an empanada, similar to a party pie, and a sweet cake. These treats have been ordered from a small family business called Epanadas Las Peñas, (check them out online!), in Noble Park.

To complete your child/children’s order, please return the paper bag provided, along with $2, by Tuesday November 15th.

If you have any questions, please don’t hesitate to contact Ms Castillo (Maestra) at school

¡Muchas gracias!

GIPPSLAND REGIONAL WHEELCHAIR BASKETBALL
SKILLS CAMP

Registrations are now open for the Regional Wheelchair Basketball Junior Camp!
Come along and support the event as part of Basketball Victoria’s commitment to strengthening the opportunities and pathways for wheelchair basketball.
Session is aimed at ages 18 and under, however inexperienced players of any age are welcome.

LATROBE LEISURE CHURCHILL
NORTHWAYS RD & MCDONALD WAY, CHURCHILL
NOVEMBER 27TH, 11AM - 1PM

THIS IS A FREE EVENT

INFANTALED WHEELCHAIR BASKETBALL DINNER
SATURDAY 26TH NOVEMBER - ALL PARTICIPANTS, FAMILY AND FRIENDS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND - $35 PER HEAD
FOR MORE INFORMATION: BASKETBALLVICTORIA.COM.AU/GIPPSLAND-WHEELCHAIR-TOURNAMENT

GIPPSLAND REGIONAL WHEELCHAIR BASKETBALL
TOURNAMENT

Entries are now open for the Annual Regional Wheelchair Basketball Tournament!
Come along and support the event as part of Basketball Victoria’s commitment to strengthening the opportunities and pathways for wheelchair basketball.
Junior development sessions will also be available for under 18’s.

LATROBE LEISURE CHURCHILL
NORTHWAYS RD & MCDONALD WAY, CHURCHILL
NOVEMBER 26TH & 27TH
SATURDAY 26TH - GIPPSLAND INAUGURAL DINNER

SPECTATORS WELCOME
The 6 Golden Rules of Kerbside Recycling

So you think you can recycle, right? Follow these Six Golden Rules to make sure you’re doing the right thing.

1. Stay Loose
Recycling goes into the bin loose – never in a plastic bag, and leave off soft plastic suit cases.

2. Easy Does It
Paper, cardboard, glass jars and bottles, metal cans and aerosol cans, canned non-plastics are easy to recycle and accepted in most kerbside collections.

3. Into the Garbage
Crockery, window and chileware glass, porcelain, plastic bags, nappies and food are the bug badders in the recycling – put them in the garbage.

4. Keep It Clean-ish
Recycling does not need to be spotless – just reduce of solid food and give it a quick rinse.

5. Drop ’Em Off
Recyclable materials can be dropped at mobiles, computers, batteries and printer cartridges – find local drop off services.

6. If in doubt
Leave it out. Putting the wrong thing in the wrong bin can ruin your good recycling efforts.

These rules apply to almost everyone but of course some people need to bend them.
- A bunch of sounds to frame special kerbside systems for these items.
- Soft plastics and bags can be dropped off at many supermarkets.

To find out what’s in and what’s out in your area visit RecyclingNearYou.com.au or download the free App.

West Gippsland Regional Library Corporation

Story Island: an adventure in pictures arrives at Wonthaggi Library

MEDIA RELEASE

3 November 2016

The Wonthaggi Library is host to Story Island: an adventure in pictures, a beautiful exhibition and reading experience for young children designed to promote early literacy skills and the joy of children and parents reading together.

Story Island draws from the world-renowned Scholastic Francesca’s Children’s Literature Collection held at State Library Victoria, and brings together works from some of Australia’s favourite children’s book authors and illustrators to create a visually striking and interactive exhibition.

The exhibition features four custom-made pods which evoke stories of the bush, the city, bath and bed time and offer children a space for reading, imaginative sharing, learning and exploring stories and pictures together with their parents or carers.

“This special exhibition fosters a love of books and reading, and suggests ways for parents and carers to support and develop a child’s literacy from infancy which is so important. It is also a lovely experience for children and parents alike,” said West Gippsland Regional Library Corporation Acting Chief Executive Officer Aman Samani.

Throughout the exhibition questions and activities are suggested to encourage discovery and exploration with friends and family, the exhibition is also accompanied by a children’s exhibition booklet and activities for children and carers.

Wonthaggi Library is one of twelve regional libraries and galleries across Victoria who will host the exhibition until January 2017, and will be at the library until 26 December 2016.

The exhibition is a joint initiative of State Library Victoria and Public Libraries Victoria Network.

For further information visit dalmc.wilc.vic.gov.au/story-island
You are invited to the 2016 kids safety cycle challenge!

**When:** Saturday 12th November 2016 at 12:30pm

**Where:** A’beckett Street, Inverloch

The 2016 kids safety cycle challenge is a 45-minute safety ride around Inverloch, as part of the Bass Coast Cycle Challenge & Family Festival. Before the ride, children will wheel their bike to the Victorian police bike registration tent be road worthy checked. The ride will take children through various safety check points on the course, where riders will complete their personal safety check list, providing them with first hand education of bike and road safety.

In addition to the Kids Safety Cycle Challenge, older children and parents / carers can get involved in a number of Bass Coast Cycle Challenge + Family Festival events, which start from 8am:

RIDES: 121km, 85km, 53km, 40km, 5km kids ride

FUNS RUNS: 10km, 5km, 1.8km

FESTIVAL ACTIVITIES: including billy cart, BMX, skateboarding competitions, jumping castle, face painting, animal farm, tug of war competitions

Enter rides and fun runs now at [www.basscoastcyclechallenge.com](http://www.basscoastcyclechallenge.com)
South Gippsland Carers is a group of carers and families of people with additional needs and frail aged. We are there for all carers who live in the South Gippsland region, and we provide support, social get-togethers, information sharing and regular meetings. Meetings are held on the 4th Tuesday of the month from Feb - Nov.

10am – 12 noon Nov 22
Memorial Hall Meeting Room 2 Michael Place Leongatha
(opposite the Post Office)
For more information please contact Heather: 56 689 243

All welcome