**Environmental Science Opportunity**

We are fortunate to have Anthony Hill coming back to visit our school in November. On November 10th he will be working with our Years 3-6 students to present Environmental Trivia, then the following day will return to work with our Year 3/4 students to do a rubbish survey. Anthony will be staying in town to once again present his Fun Family trivia night at The Hub on Saturday November 12th. Grab some friends to make a table of 10, or come along and join in with others for some fun, to test your knowledge and learn from Anthony's stories. Children very welcome (they will probably be able to assist with some answers!).

**Lions Fun Day and Bike Ride**

Today Linda Aly and Alex Welsh came to school to talk to us about the Lions Club Fun Day on Nov 12th. This year a special "Safe Rider" competition is being run especially for children to demonstrate and practice their bike riding skills.

Don Turner also spoke to us about the Walk, Ride and Scoot to schools Month. Our Bike Ed team will compete in Morwell later this term, displaying the safe riding skills they have learnt this term.

**Easter Fair**

Over the coming months our jam and chutney makers will be busy cooking for the stalls. They are looking for donations of sugar and jam sets to help them prepare foods. If you can donate some, please leave outside the office or if you can help cook, please email us on inverlocheaster-fair@gmail.com

What a lovely afternoon for our students to wave the Bike riders in the Barry Sheene ride past our school.

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**Best of Luck**

To Riley Harris who will represent the school at the Rotary Bass Coast Public Speaking competition in Wonthaggi on Friday evening. All our Year 5 and 6 students wrote and delivered their speeches on an array of topics. It was a very difficult task to choose only one to go through to the competition. Riley will speak on 'A Great Explorer’. Congratulations also to Saxon Speed, Michael Vradenburg and Zac Scholz who were very close finalists.

To our students who are representing the region at the State Athletic sports on Monday. Tyler, Sandra, Hamish, Dylan, Joe, Molly and Miles will compete in a number of events at the Lakeside Athletics Track in South Melbourne. What a huge achievement to have advanced so far.

**Congratulations**

To our boys basketball team Tyson, Jack, Jack, Lucas, Taj, Callan, Baylee, Joe and Jak who have won through to the regional level following a successful day in Leongatha yesterday. Angus was also a part of the team but was sidelined due to injury on the day. Thanks also to Ian Murdoch for coaching the team.

**Best Wishes**

To Judy for a speedy recovery. Judy has been away due to a bad back but hopes to return on Monday. We have all missed her cheery greetings in the morning! Get well soon Judy!
This week we have been focusing all of our effort on fundraising for our World Vision sponsor child Magdalena.

Today many of our students have participated in the rice cake lunch, and have made generous donations. Other students have promised to go without dessert, electronics, their pillow and even their bed, to demonstrate that they care about those who have to go without on a regular basis.

In our next meeting, the Kids Matter Student Action Team will add up donations, and a final tally will be included in next week's newsletter.

For more information about Magdalena, her community, and how World Vision help her, please look on the Spanish room window.

Linda Aly and Alex Welsh at assembly today talking to us about the Lions Club Fun Day on November 12th.
Bass Coast Shire Council has sent us the latest ‘Safe to School’ Inverloch map.
Our Artist of the week is Eva Radcliffe in grade 2 with her thong design displaying strong pattern and colour with clear observation drawing skill.

Don’t forget to call in at ‘The Hub’ in October to see our artwork that’s on display...you might even want to put in a bid for them. (see next page for a sneak preview)
HATS, HATS, HATS
In line with the new SunSmart policy hats are compulsory as of 1st September. Please make sure that your child/ren have a correct school uniform approved hat. They are available for purchase from the office.

Lost Property
There is again a huge pile of lost property in the foyer. Please go through it to reclaim your jumpers and other items. Also if you could check your children’s clothing and make sure the items belong to you. We have had a few reports of missing labelled clothing.

SUSHI ROSTER MONDAY 17th Oct
AM  Shana & Wanda
PM  Kerri Anne

FAMILY TRIVIA NIGHT!

Raising Awareness About Plastic Pollution in Our Oceans.

PLASTIC POLLUTION SOLUTIONS is holding events around Australia to raise awareness about plastic pollution in our oceans.

We will be holding The 31st Family Trivia Night in your town at:

INVERLOCH COMMUNITY HUB
Saturday, 12th Nov, 7.00pm (open at 6.30pm)
Entry: $10 ADULTS - KIDS FREE!
(Includes a free Boomerang Bag for every family!)
Coffee, tea and snacks available for purchase

We’ll have four rounds of general knowledge questions for people of all ages with great prizes and raffles. You’ll also learn about plastic pollution and how we can curb the problem.

Come along and support this growing movement to keep our ocean clean!
Please note that the U14 cricket training night has been changed to Wednesdays at 4.30pm.
All welcome.
Any enquiries to Shaun 0459 637 373

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 45minute 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 check. 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
Fun 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