



# What's On At Watsonia Primary

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Dear Students, Parents and Friends,



**Colin Brooks** visited our school on Friday, meeting with parents and students. Colin toured our school and received some letters written by our students who suggested some improvements that could be made to our school. Congratulations to Amanda, Amber and Indigo who wrote such effective letters; Colin was very impressed in the way the letters were written, how they were presented and also with the suggestions that were made. Colin also commented on the engaging nature of the learning he observed as did the group of parents that attended. He was clearly impressed with the very engaging Junior School Inquiry activity. Together we reflected on how learning has changed so much over time with far more interaction and students working together. Thanks for visiting our school today Colin, it was much appreciated.



Our latest staff member, **"Fuzz" - the amazing Greyhound** started on Monday. He met all the students by coming onto the stage at our assembly and worked with several classes during the day, mostly during reading time. We look forward to more Mondays with Fuzz and expect that he will become more and more popular with students. Even on his first day we saw the calming effect he has on children (and adults) and we saw what a bonus he is to the school.

**Camp in week 4** is really getting close now, we will have a meeting this week with students attending Camp to discuss cabin arrangements and a check on what to bring, we only have another week before we leave and let's hope the weather is as nice as this week's.

Next week on Thursday we have **"Italian Day"** and Signora Nanos has planned an excellent day of activities. I hope that you have thought about what you will wear to celebrate this day – remember it can be Italian theme or Italian colours.

Regards, Paul Johnson, Principal, Email: [johnson.paul.p@edumail.vic.gov.au](mailto:johnson.paul.p@edumail.vic.gov.au)



## EFTPOS

The school office has the facilities for families to pay via EFTPOS either using your credit card or debit card we can also do remote credit transactions (strictly no cash out). Anyone wishing to pay any type of payment whether its school fees, booklist, uniform, camps, Bookclub etc can be done so just talk to Sue in the office.

<b>MATHS PUZZLER</b>	Name:	Grade:
<b>Prep – 2 Activity</b>	<b>3/4/5/6 activity</b>	
I am a silver coin. I am round. I am very small. What am I?	I have \$6.35 in my money box. What notes and/or coins might I have?	

<b>WORD OF THE WEEK</b>	Name:	Grade:
<b>Prep – 2 Activity</b>	<b>3/4/5/6 activity</b>	
What is the Italian word for <b>hello</b> ?	What is the Italian word for <b>cat</b> ?	

### TERM 4 PLANNER 2018

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Weekend
Oct 8	Oct 9	Oct 10	Oct 11	Oct 12	Oct 13/14
<b>(Week 1)</b>				Finance 8:00am	
Oct 15	Oct 16	Oct 17	Oct 18	Oct 19	Oct 20/21
<b>(Week 2)</b> Montmorency Leadership Program (Yr5) 9.30 to 2.30					
Oct 22	Oct 23	Oct 24	Oct 25	Oct 26	Oct 27/28
<b>(Week 3)</b> Italian Day slips and money due. S. Council 7:30			<b>ITALIAN DAY</b>		
Oct 29	Oct 30	Oct 31	Nov 1	Nov 2	Nov 3/4
<b>(Week 4)</b> <b>3-6 Camp:</b> <b>arrive 8:30am</b>	<b>3-6 Camp</b>	<b>3-6 Camp</b>		Prep Breakfast & 1/2 Dinner Disco: both forms and money due	
Nov 5	Nov 6	Nov 7	Nov 8	Nov 9	Nov 10/11
<b>(Week 5)</b> <b>PUPIL FREE</b> <b>DAY</b>	<b>Public Holiday</b> <b>Melbourne Cup</b>		Yr6 Graduation Fundraiser.		Remembrance Day
Nov 12	Nov 13	Nov 14	Nov 15	Nov 16	Nov 17/18
<b>(Week 6)</b>	PREP Breakfast 8am				
Nov 19	Nov 20	Nov 21	Nov 22	Nov 23	Nov 24/25
<b>(Week 7)</b>			Prep Orientation 9-11  1/2 Dinner Disco 5 to 7.30pm		
Nov 26	Nov 27	Nov 28	Nov 29	Nov 30	Dec 1/2
<b>(Week 8)</b>		Prep Orientation 9- 11.30am		Finance 8:00am Graduation RSVP	
Dec 3	Dec 4	Dec 5	Dec 6	Dec 7	Dec 8/9
<b>(Week 9)</b>	Choir to go to Watsonia Library			Yr 5/6 Showcase 2.30 to 3.15pm	
Dec 10	Dec 11	Dec 12	Dec 13	Dec 14	Dec 15/16
<b>(Week 10)</b> <b>Planning Week</b> Grade 4 Showcase 9:30-10:15 S. Council 6pm	Year 6 Orientation	Christmas Concert 6 to 7.30pm	Parent Helpers Morning Tea 11.00 to 11.30	Prep\1-2\2-3 Learning Showcase 2.30 to 3.15pm	
Dec 17	Dec 18	Dec 19	Dec 20	Dec 21	Dec 22/23
<b>(Week 11)</b> <b>Graduation</b>			Transition Morning 9am to 12.30pm	Last Day of Term 1.30 dismissal	