

# Melbourne Infants Weekly News



Friday 7<sup>th</sup> September 2018

A warm welcome to all of our children, parents and staff this term. I hope you all had a fantastic break. We are looking forward to a very exciting term ahead, which will finish with our annual Harvest Festival.

I am pleased to announce the safe arrival of baby Edward Patrick Deakin during the summer holiday. Both Mrs Deakin and Edward are doing very well.

This Wednesday, from 9am, we will be having our first weeding morning in our newly revamped wildlife garden. If you are available to help at all, please let your class teacher know. The summer has been very kind to us and the garden has flourished!

Mrs Gibbs

Whole School Attendance  
98.5%

**Target 97%**

Well done!

Well done to Zebra and Koala classes for achieving the highest attendance this week

## Safeguarding

If you have a concern regarding child protection or safeguarding please contact

Child Protection Officer - Mrs C Gibbs

Deputy Child Protection Officer - Mrs V Howell

Starting Point: 01629 533190

NSPCC Helpline:08088005000

## Flu Immunisations

Flu Immunisations will be offered to all children in Reception, Yr 1 and Yr2 on 18 October 2018. A consent form with further information has been sent home with your child today.

## Scooters and Bikes

There is a new scooter park on the external fence of the Reception outdoor area. The other parking area is to the side of the main school hall. Please ensure children are not riding scooters and bikes on site. Thank you.

## Club Letters

Letters regarding clubs has gone home in book bags today to children in Year 1 and 2. Please see additional email for further information on afterschool clubs. Clubs will be offered to children in Reception after Christmas.

## PTA

Please see the attached letter for details about forthcoming PTA events. Our first fundraising events will be held during the Melbourne Festival on 15th/16th September. We are running a children's art competition, entry forms are £1 and are available from outside the school office. The closing date for entries is 22nd September and there are some great prizes to be won. We will also have a stall outside The Pump House (on the corner of Church Street and Castle Square) from 11:30-3:30pm each day

## Dates - September

- 10 Reception children start full time
- 10-12 Open Schools Event **3.30pm - 5pm** (meet the teacher)
  - Monday 10 Sept - Chipmunk, Toucan & Squirrel
  - Tuesday 11 Sept - Tiger & Koala (Year 1)
  - Wednesday 12 Sept - Zebra, Penguin & Koala (Reception)
- 12 Early Years Foundation Meeting (all Reception parents welcome 2.30pm)
- 17 Clubs start for Year 1 and 2 children

## Red Learning Team Notices

The classes for the Red learning team are Penguin and Zebra.

This half term Zebras will have P.E on a Monday and Penguins will have PE on a Friday.

## Green Learning Team Notices

The classes for the Green learning team are Koala and Tiger.

## Blue Learning Team Notices

The classes for the Blue learning team are Squirrel, Chipmunk and Toucan.