



Bell Primary School Fortnightly Calendar of Events

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Welcome to our fortnightly Calendar of Events.
 This calendar will be issued on alternate weeks to
 Bell News. Please place in a prominent position in your
 home ie. fridge, noticeboard.

Oct / Nov, 2009

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
26 Assembly 2.30pm All Grades Uniform Shop 8.45—9.15am Canteen Playgroup 9.15-10.45 am MPR PMI—Keyboard Swimming	27	28 Swimming	29 Uniform Shop 3.15—3.45 pm—Canteen	30 Fundraising Meeting 9.15am MPR Free Fruit Friday St Joseph Vs Bell
2 November Assembly 3.00pm Grades Prep—2 Uniform Shop 8.45—9.15am Canteen Playgroup 9.15-10.45 am MPR. PMI—Keyboard	3 Cup Day	4	5 Prep Orientation 9.15—10.45am Uniform Shop 3.15—3.45 pm—Canteen	6 Free Fruit Friday Bell Vs Thornbury
9 Assembly 3.00pm Grades 3-6 Uniform Shop 8.45—9.15am Canteen Playgroup 9.15-10.45 am MPR PMI—Keyboard Swimming	10 Footsteps	11 Swimming	12 Prep Orientation 9.15—10.45am Uniform Shop 3.15—3.45 pm—Canteen	13 Free Fruit Friday Bell Vs Northcote
16 Assembly 3.00pm Grades Prep—2 Uniform Shop 8.45—9.15am Canteen Playgroup 9.15-10.45 am MPR. PMI—Keyboard	17 Footsteps	18	19 Prep Orientation 9.15—10.45am Uniform Shop 3.15—3.45 pm—Canteen	20 Free Fruit Friday

* Parent meetings are held fortnightly. Please make an appointment with your child's teacher should you have any concerns regarding your child's progress.

JUNIOR SCHOOL COUNCIL UPDATE

1) Walk to School Day

Congratulations and thank you to all **158 students** who walked, rode, scooted or rolled their way to school last Wednesday, 21 October for *Walk / Ride to School*. The event was a huge success with roughly 70% of our school participating! A big thank you to all the parents who helped to make our percentage so high. Thank you also to the Junior School Councillors who made posters for the event, gave up some of their recess time to put these posters up and collected data about who rode or walked to school both on Tuesday and Wednesday. Your hard work is very much appreciated JSC!

2) World Vision Fundraiser

Next week is our World Vision Fundraising Week. To kick off the event, this Tuesday, 27 October, the 5/6s will participate in a Workshop run by Samantha Cameron from World Vision about the definition of poverty and the World Food Crisis.

Also on Monday, 2 November, all students will be eating rice for morning tea as a means of initiating a conversation about why the school is raising funds and to highlight that some families can only afford to eat one bowl of rice to eat each day.

If you are able to do either of the following please see Rylee Curran in or around the Early Year's Unit:

- a) Lend us your rice cooker for the morning of the event or;
- b) Help prepare and distribute the rice to the classes on that Monday (2 November).

Thank you for your continuing support and please see Rylee if you have any questions about these JSC events.

Rylee Curran
Junior School Council Coordinator

Book Club closes Wednesday 28th October, 2009

CHILDREN'S WEEK

Children's Week will be celebrated from Saturday 24 October to 1 November 2009 to coincide with Universal Children's Day on Wednesday 28 October 2009. Some of the events organised are Melbourne Zoo & Melbourne Museum Family Fun days.

For more information please go to
<http://www.education.vic.gov.au/about/events/childrensweek>