



Swifts Creek

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Courage, Joy, Kindness

March 13th 2019 - Week 7Term 1

NEWSLETTER

Tambo Campus Dates to Remember

Mar 14th– Year 7 Immunisation

March 25th - 29th - Year 8 Circus week

March 26th - EG Tennis & Volleyball

Flagstaff Campus Dates to Remember

March 28th - Interschool Gymkhana

April 5th - Rewards Day

May 6th - Athletics Carnival at Omeo

Triathlon

This Friday March 15th at 9.15am Flagstaff student have the opportunity to participate in the Annual Triathlon. Students from Year 2-6 are able to participate solo, but Prep and Year 1 MUST have a parent accompany them if they wish to participate.

Students must bring if competing:

- Helmet
- Roadworthy bike
- Swimmers
- Runners
- Parent if in Prep/1

Please call Mr G at Flagstaff Campus for further information

Wanted

26 Matchbox cars in reasonable condition. If anyone has any matchbox cars they have out grown that we could use for an alphabet game, the prep students would be most grateful.

Mr G

Student Teacher

The Prep/ 1 room will have the welcome addition of a student teacher, Lynette Bannister, in their room for a total of 21 days during March and April. Lynette is a resident of Cobungra, so we are excited to be playing a small part in helping a local join the noble profession of teaching.

Mr G

Whole School Dates to Remember

March 27th - Whole School Assembly VCE hosting

March 28th - Dance Workshop Yrs 5,6,7 by Sean Choolburra

April 5th - Last day Term 1 finish 2.30pm

April 23rd - First day Term 2

Direct Debit details

If you would like to pay online the following are the schools details:

BSB: 083 519 (please note change of BSB)

Account number: 1661 64398

Reference: Surname Excursion EG: Smith Caving

Easter Sunday Tambo Valley Picnic Races

Hello fellow mums and dads, I am appealing to your good nature and hoping you will come to the rescue. We are in need of some extra help this Easter Sunday at the Tambo Valley Picnic Races. We are a few regulars down and can use a hand. It is as simple as putting on an apron and cooking on the BBQ or serving customers. And when you are finished you can join in the merriment that happens at the races. If that is not your "thing", fine, how about helping by cooking potatoes that morning at home or maybe you have a flair with coleslaw, or your speciality is shopping.

Remember this is making money that benefits your child/ children on both campuses.

We are in the process of purchasing a stove for the Flagstaff campus as the one that is there has a bit of age to it (not that this is a reason to get rid of something) and burns everything that is cooked in it (apparently not the cook's fault). We are also purchasing sports equipment for both campuses.

Please consider helping. You can either ring me direct or let the school admin staff know.

Cheers

Kathy Gallagher

High Country Athletics Carnival

The Athletics Carnival will be held Monday May 6th at Omeo Recreation Reserve. Set up will be Sunday May 5th if any one can lend a hand please let Amanda P or Mr G know.



Thursday 28th March 2019

Family friendly community event for everyone.
This is a no cost event for families

VENUE: Swifts Creek Hall – 7.00 p.m. show

Charming, captivating, cheeky, clever and charismatic, Sean Choolburra has carved his niche as Australia's No 1 indigenous entertainer.

Sean's comedy is uniquely & truly Australian. His is a fresh new voice in a comedy scene inundated by white fellas. He blends pop culture, dance, comedy and hip hop in a high energy, feel good show.

Sean gives audiences a chance to get in on many hilarious 'Black Fella Yarns'. Perhaps it is his ability to share the naivety of a small town aboriginal boy, still coming to grips with the big city lights, that makes him all that much more inviting and engaging as a performer.

Sean is a dynamic and versatile comedian, rap singer, dancer, storyteller, actor & hip-hop didge player. He is a rising star of not only the comedy world, but also as an all-round entertainer, and is guaranteed to raise your spirit while splitting your spleen.

Check out Sean on YouTube: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dfCLF3pifFA>

For more information contact:

Rowena Turner

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Reading Tips

Helping My Child Learn To Read

Talking and singing teach your child the sounds of language, making it easier for him or her to learn how to read.

Here are some more things you can do to help your child build an appreciation for words and language:

- Ask your child to tell you about his or her day – about activities and games played.
- Be patient! Give your child time to find the words he or she wants to use.
- Sing songs, such as the alphabet song, and recite nursery rhymes, encouraging your child to join in.
- Play rhyming and riddle games.