**School Council Election Timetable 2017**

**Notice of election and call for nominations:**
*Monday 13 February*

**Closing date for nominations:**
*Tuesday 21 February*

**Date by which list of candidates and nominators will be posted:**
*Thursday 23 February*

**Date by which ballot papers will be prepared and distributed on or before:**
*Monday 27 February*

If the number of nominations does not exceed the number of vacancies then a ballot will not be necessary.

**Close of ballot:**
*Tuesday 7 March*

**Vote count:**
*Wednesday 8 March*

**Declaration of ballot:**
*Thursday 9 March*

Special council meeting to co-opt Community members & 1st council meeting to elect office bearers.

**Wednesday 15 March 2016**

The following vacancies exist:

- 3 x parent representatives
- 2 x casual vacancy - parents

Nomination forms available from the office from 13th February. For more information go to the Education department website:


Or the school website: [www.wallington-ps.vic.edu.au](http://www.wallington-ps.vic.edu.au)

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**Strawberry Fair**

As the Fair quickly approaches, there are still many last minute jobs to do. As everyone knows, this is our only major fundraiser for the year and we ask that all families be involved in the fair. We still have spots on the roster to fill.

Our next meeting is next Thursday at 7:00 pm. We have a lot of people working really hard behind the scenes who need the support of everyone. One feature of our fair is the fact that we have so many families involved and this is put down to the sense of community at Wallington.

**Working Bee**

On Saturday 25th Feb at 9 am we will be having a working bee for the Strawberry Fair preparation. The grounds are in pretty good shape at the moment and it will take just a couple of hours to get the school looking even better. If you can bring your whipper snippers, blowers, rakes, mowers etc. that would be great. Jobs to do include:

- Whipper snip the fence line
- Clear out door tracks on hall
- Remove goal posts
- Weed native garden
- Sweep paths
- Mowing under trees

**Bendigo Bank**

School Banking is now on Wednesday (just before the start of the school day). If your child does not have an account, applications can be made at the foyer of the school (see info below).

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**CSEF (Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund)**

Applications for the CSEF is open now for all eligible parents. Parents who were recipients in previous years and are again eligible this year must submit a new application this year.

**Eligibility**

To be eligible for the fund, a parent or legal guardian of a student attending a registered Government or non-government Victorian primary or secondary school must:

- on the first day of Term one, or;
- on the first day of Term two;

  a) Be an eligible beneficiary within the meaning of the State Concessions Act 2004, that is, be the holder of a Veterans Affairs Gold Card or be an eligible Centrelink Health Care Card (HCC) or Pensioner Concession Card (PCC) holder, OR
  b) Be a temporary foster parent, and
  c) Submit an application to the school by the due date.

**Payment amounts**

The amount payable for eligible primary students is:

- $125 for Primary school students.

For further information, please visit:


Or enquire at the office.
PARENTS & FRIENDS

2017 Committee
Last week P&F had their AGM. The following committee was elected for this year:

President  Danielle Wilks
Vice President  Jo Harris
Secretary  Bree Schammer
Treasurer  Lisa Dyson
Book Club  Natalie Baensch
2nd Hand Uniforms  Tanya Hayward
School Council P&F Rep  Michelle Riches

Grade Representatives
Prep  Jane Allardyce, Jane Healy
Yr 1  Danielle Wilks, Suzi Monaghan
Yr 2  Tanya Hayward, Lisa Dyson
Yr 3  Jenni Absalom, Natalie Baensch
Yr 4  Renee Renshaw, Michelle Hughes
Yr 5  Di Thompson, Jo Harris
Yr 6  vacant

Veggie Seedlings
Reminder forms are due back by tomorrow this terms veggie seedlings – chillis, capsicums and eggplant. Delivery will be during the week commencing 20th February.

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With lots of Parents and Friends news and upcoming events by joining our Facebook page.

WALLINGTON PARK EQUESTRIAN CENTRE
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www.wallingtonpark.com  Tel:035250 1788

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To register children must be turning 5 this calendar year (2017).
The season will run from Friday 24th March - Friday 30th June 2017 (Please note Auskick will not run during School holidays and on the Friday of Queens Birthday public Holiday).
To Register please follow these simple steps
Visit aflauskick.com.au
- Enter your Postcode in the centre locator and select Barwon Heads
- Complete the registration process
We look forward to seeing you on Friday 24th March
If you have any questions please contact Amy Raleigh amyraleigh@bigpond.com

BELLARINE AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM
MILO T20 BLAST

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MILO T20 Blast - Paid coordinator program
- (Grade 3-Grade 6) $75
- 90 min session game focused program
- Receive pack (bat, shirt, swim bag)

This is a great way to play with your friends or make new ones. Coordinated and delivered by trained Cricket Victoria staff and volunteers.

Please register at www.playcricket.com.au

ANY QUESTIONS? PLEASE CONTACT
Julie Allan 0409 018 989  jakill@criquetvictoria.com.au

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