ORIENTATION DAY TODAY
It was great to have many new students and their families to Olivet again today for our 2nd Orientation Morning. We trust all students enjoyed their introduction to Olivet and to their new classes for 2010 and we look forward to seeing you all again next year.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION is a lot about developing character and life values in our students. Romans 12:2 calls this “renewing the mind”. The Bible declares that “wisdom is better than rubies”. Values are often caught rather than taught, particularly as parents model good character to their children.
At Olivet it is part of the curriculum to teach values for living. The Book of Proverbs speaks about wisdom and how to apply it to our lives. “Wisdom is the principal thing; therefore get wisdom and with all thy getting get understanding”. Proverbs 4:7

PLEASE PRAY THIS WEEK for the HORDERN JOHNSTON KUHLE and both the LACEY Families.

KICK-BALL
Due to the extremely warm weather, the Kickball day planned for tomorrow for Prep-Yr 2 students has been cancelled. Students are to come to school in their school uniforms as normal.

SECONDARY FORMAL DINNER
The Secondary Formal dinner invitations were given out this week to the students. The formal dinner is on Monday 7th December at the Golden Star Restaurant in Bendigo between 6pm and 9pm. Bendigo students are to meet the Castlemaine staff and students at the restaurant.
The cost for the dinner is $15 per student and this needs to be given to Mrs Donaldson. The school will subsidize some of the costs.
The students are really looking forward to this event and I am sure they will have a great time.

HONOUR ROLL TERM 4
Tuesday 8th December
This term ELC and Gamma will be travelling to Ballarat for Honour Roll to visit Bird World and have a picnic at Lake Wendouree.
Secondary students who complete their term’s work will not be required to attend school on Tuesday 8th Dec.

ALPHA/BETA SPORT
Sport for this Friday is Softball.
Students are asked to please bring their correct sports uniform.
YEAR 6 GRADUATION DINNER
Monday November 23rd 6pm—8pm
Staff and Parents are invited to join with the Year 6 students as they graduate from Primary to Secondary Education here at Olivet. This celebration will be held at Living Stones in Harcourt. Please return the slip below to indicate the numbers of each family attending on the night.

YEAR 6 GRADUATION DINNER
Name of student ____________________
Number of adults attending ____________
The cost is subsidized by the College and will be $10 per person, payable on the night.

AUSTRALIAN LOTE NEWS
Next Wednesday, we are privileged to have a visit from David Peters, a presenter from Vicdeaf who will teach us more about deafness awareness as part of our LOTE program. David is deaf himself and will be accompanied by his interpreter, Melissa O’Neal. He will share with all classes which should be a fascinating time for us all.
Parents and friends are welcome to come.
Program will be 12 noon Alpha & Beta students
   1.30pm Gamma students
   2.15pm ELC students

COMMUNITY SERVICE
Next Thursday afternoon, Nov 19th at 1pm, some of the Alpha and Beta students will be presenting a concert of Convention items to the Campbells Creek Senior Citizens Club.
This will mostly involve the students in the Handbell Group 3 who played the Trumpet Voluntary at Convention - students will be notified tomorrow definitely if they are to attend.
They will have an early lunch break then leave Olivet at 12.45pm in the College bus. The Concert will be held in the Campbells Creek Community Centre - all parents and friends welcome.
Please fill in the attached form if your child is to attend.

SENIOR CITIZENS CONCERT
I give permission for ..................................to participate in the Concert on Thursday November 19th at the Campbells Creek Community Centre at 1pm.
SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN
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PRIMARY MUSICAL
E.L.C. and Gamma students will again participate in a mini Christmas musical to be presented on Presentation Night at the Castlemaine Church of Christ on Thursday December 10th at 7pm.
Students will find out their parts over the next week. Costumes will be simple - further information to follow.

COMMUNITY NOTICE
Basketball Skills Training @ the Stadium
Every Thursday afternoon from 5—6pm
5 to 13 yr olds
Cost $4 weekly per child
Beginners welcome!