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Responsible Pet Day Last Friday

LOOKING AHEAD TO FATHERS' DAY

F is for **forgiving** and understanding,
A is for **affection** without reservation,
T is for **teacher** and the sharing of
wisdom and experience.

H stands for **harmony** rather than confrontation,

E stands for **equity** and constant love, R stands for **reason** and understanding.

Promises from our Heavenly Father:-

You are fearfully and wonderfully made Psalm 139:14

I am not distant and angry, but am the complete expression of love 1 John 4:16 And it is my desire to lavish my love upon you 1 John 3:1

I offer you more than your earthly father ever could Matthew 7:11

For I am the perfect Father Matthew 5:48 Every good gift that you receive comes from My hand James 1:17

For I am your provider and I meet all your needs Matthew 6:31-33

My plan for your future has always been filled with hope Jeremiah 29:11

For you are My treasured possession Exodus 19:5

If you seek Me with all your heart, you will find Me Deuteronomy 4:29

Delight in Me and I will give you the desires of your heart Psalm 37:4

SCHOOL PHOTOS TOMORROW

All students will be photographed in their classes and individually, regardless of whether families have ordered or not.

Yr 7 Keyboard Skills class

Staff photo and Whole School photo will be taken near to and including recess. House Captain photos and Family photos will follow after these have been taken.

Please ensure all students bring their full and correct school uniform tomorrow, including their green jumper as all class photos will probably be taken with all jumpers ON.

Girls will be expected to have their hair tied back as normal off their faces.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO RETURN FORMS AND MONEY TOMORROW IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY DONE SO.

YEAR 8 EXCURSION TO BENDIGO PLANETARIUM Thurs 1st Sept

Next Thursday as part of the Yr 8 Term 3 Science Unit on the Solar System, students will be travelling to the Bendigo Discovery Centre for a 1 hour session at the Planetarium. This will be fascinating as we observe the night sky and learn more of the magnificent handiwork of our Creator God. (Psalm 8)

We will travel on the Bus to Bendigo after morning Assembly arriving at the Planetarium at 10am. We will be returning to Olivet before lunch. Students are to bring a snack for morning tea and are to be dressed in full school uniform please.

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

The Olivet News

GAMMA INTERSCHOOL NETBALL Year 5/6 Netball Day was held today. Thank you to Mrs Lourey for assisting the Gamma class and Mr Nicholson today at the Sports Day.

YEAR 8 PLANETARIUM VISIT

I give permission for to attend the excursion to the Bendigo Discovery Centre Planetarium on Thursday 1st Sept. Mr Chapmar will be the teacher in charge. The cost per student will be \$5 charged to the family accounts.
SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN

THANK YOU

To all the paid and voluntary assistants who work tirelessly in the classes to provide our students with valuable one-to-one assistance. I am sure the students and their parents appreciate your work.

MATHS TIMES TABLES

This is one of the most valuable Maths tools for lifeskills and it is so important to know these well. However many students struggle with these until they are effectively memorized.

Parents can assist with this learning by placing a chart on a wall at home and regularly asking students 5 or 6 times tables every day;

for example: - 5x6 4x7 9x5 12x6 7x8 until the answers are being given instantly.

Students and their parents will know when they have mastered them, because the answers will be automatic.

PUZZLE

From Last Week:-

- 1. What is a gluon? A gluon is a sub-atomic particle, which join with other particles known as quarks to form protons and neutrons.
- 2. What blood-like fluid is found in an open circulatory system? Haemolymph moves around the animal's body cavity without the use of vessels such as veins and arteries.
- 3. Where would you find a Trojan asteroid? Following the orbit of a moon or planet.
- 4. Sleep apnoea occurs when you a) wake up during a bad dream b) stop breathing in your sleep or c) fall asleep while walking? When you stop breathing in your sleep.

This week's puzzle:-

When did the AFL Team Western Bulldogs (Footscray) last win a Premiership?

DATES FOR END OF THE YEAR

Last day of school this year will be Thursday 15th December with Morning Presentation for the term awards and Presentation Night 7pm for the whole year awards and presentations.

The 2012 school year will begin with a full day's meeting day for staff on Friday 27th January followed by Mon Tues Wed preparation days and students returning on Thursday 2nd February.

Year 7 and 8 students will have their usual trip around the Bay (Mornington and Bellarine Peninsulas) on the following week (Monday 6th till Wednesday 8th February. More details to come as they become available.