



# GRAPEVINE NEWS

Friday 27th July 2018

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**SCHOOL VALUES:** *Respect, Responsibility, Resilience*



**3rd August: School Council Meeting @ 10.30am**

**27th August: Parent Opinion Survey due back at school**

## Parent Opinion Survey:

The Parent Opinion Survey provides valuable information to the school, and helps the school with planning, staffing and student wellbeing, so it is important that we get as many responses as possible. Last year we were required to administer this digitally, which made it difficult for many families to access, so we didn't receive many responses.

This year we have gone back to paper form hoping this will make it easier to get responses from families. They are due back by **27th August** so that we can post your responses back to the Education Department and we will receive a report after that on your responses.

**Gymnastics:** We have an eight week session over at Maffra. We were lucky to obtain a grant from Sporting Schools to assist with costs for this program and keep cost low for students. We thank Gemma who is also driving some of our students in her private car.

**Woorabinda camp:** This camp is from Wednesday 8th of August until Friday 10th and fast approaching for our grades 3 & 4 students. I will be attending the camp with our four students. Margie Harvey will be here as replacement teacher.

**Gelantipy camp:** Year 5 & 6 students have the opportunity to attend their camp at Gelantipy on Wednesday 12th September to Friday 14th September. An expression of interest went home last week, if you need another one please let me know. More details and forms will follow shortly. Tracey will be here on the Wednesday with Margie Harvey here the other two days as replacement teacher.

## Food for Learning:

I'm noticing a lot of processed and sugary food in lunch boxes, to help student learning and be their best they need to consume whole and home made food. To help families with this we are more than willing to heat up left overs or toast sandwiches or wraps.

We have brain food every morning and it's good to see whole fruits and vegetables being sent in. If we can just extend that to play time and lunch it would make lunches a little more healthier and make learning a lot easier.

**Damian Lappin**





# CALENDAR DATES TERM THREE

## AUGUST

1st Gymnastics-Maffra  
3rd School Council Meeting - 10: 30am  
8th Gymnastics-Maffra  
8th-10 Woorabinda Camp Years 3 / 4 - Rural Schools  
15th Science Day at Wurruk– All Rural Schools  
15th Gymnastics- Maffra  
22nd Gymnastics-Maffra  
27th Parent Opinion Survey's due back  
28th Rural School Athletics - Sale



## SEPTEMBER

5th Gymnastics-Maffra  
12th Gymnastics -Maffra -last session  
12th-14th Gelantipy Camp Year 5 & 6  
**21st END OF TERM**

## July Birthdays

19th Jacob R

## August Birthdays

1st Leila P

