WALKING SCHOOL BUS- HELP SOUGHT
I am looking for planning helpers to establish a permanent “Walking School Bus”. I need a team to help plan the route and to appoint walking parent guides.
At this stage I am suggesting the first route be O’Hea Street - walking to and from both directions.
It is about time that we got this off the ground for our kids independence!
Please get in touch if you are interested at all.
Olympia Tzanoudakis
0411 079 702
lymps63@hotmail.com

PARKING & BISHOP STREET CROSSING
I have been advised by council that we may soon have pick up and drop off signs installed in the parking bays in Bishop Street, so keep your eye out for this. Also council is considering allocating a crossing supervisor to the Bishop Street crossing. Before they do this they will monitor how many families use the crossing morning and afternoon. So please make sure you use this crossing so the data is there for us.

WE NEED YOUR HELP!
We are seeking volunteer parents for the following Coburg North Primary School fundraising events:

- Preparation for the end of month lunch - Wednesday 25 May (1.30pm - 3.30pm)
- Serving the end of month lunch - Friday 27 May 2016 (from 11.00am onwards)
- Bunnings BBQ (Gaffney St) - Saturday 4 June 2016 (7.30am - 5.30pm)

The money raised is going to a great cause, the school!

Please let Jackie or Tamara know if you can help out by donating any of your time - CNPS_PF@hotmail.com

Your help is greatly appreciated by all, but we are especially grateful.

Coburg Farmers Market
EVERY SATURDAY
8am - 1pm
180 O’Hea Street, Coburg North PS

AUTUMN PRODUCE: capsicums, beetroot, passata, eggplants, pear, potatoes, beef, bread, broccoli, apples, zucchini, olives, eggs

MARKET FEED: Mountain View Organic Dairy will fill your fridge with yoghurt, cheese and beef; Pollards Apples & Pears will fill your fruit bowl with their new season produce; and 2 & 5 fresh produce have your veg covered! Also don’t miss new local stall holder Mangia! Mangia! with her delicious passata and other delectable products.

UPCOMING MARKET DATES
- 21st May
- 28th May
- 4th June
- 11th June

FOLLOW US...
www.mfm.com.au
SCHOOL APP COMPETITION
It is great to see that so many families have signed up to the school app.
To download the app just visit the App Store for iPhones or Google Play for
Androids, search for Updat-ed and from the menu select our school.

There is a competition happening between the grades to see which grade can get
everyone signed up first. The grade that is all signed up first will win a Fish and Chip
lunch.

Current figures are:

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I will update these figures on Monday at assembly.
Next term we hope to introduce online payments so it is preferable if as many people as possible already have
the app.

2017 ENROLMENTS
Enrolments are coming in quickly for our 2017 Foundation Class. If any of our families have younger siblings to
enrol or you know other families in the area who will be attending Coburg North please come and enrol as soon
as possible. We need accurate numbers for next year soon as this will assist us in our planning for new
facilities.

FOUNDATION B PANCAKE FLIPPERS
It was the turn of newly qualified pancake flippers, Foundation B, at the second-Saturday Farmers’ Market on
May 14. Thankfully, we had a full complement of volunteers, as the stand was pumping by mid-morning with the
grill firing on all burners by 10am. Just as well cool heads, Andrew A and Michelle L, were on hand to make it
look all too easy.
So a big thank you to Jock and daughter Vera, Sian with son Thomas, Amelia with Rose and Lewis, Maria and
daughter Emily, Dave and son Jack, Kerrie and daughter Adeline, Andrew with daughters Greta and Esme,
Michelle and daughters Isla and Nina and Mike and Sylvia with their kids Billy and Charlotte. A big thanks, too,
to Sian, Amelia and Gina who helped midweek with the kids’ pancake licences. Apologies to any volunteers who
might have been forgotten.
The market again pushed us closer to our $9000 target for new basketball hoops and backboards.
CROSS COUNTRY
In the absence of Mrs Evans, we have had to deal with a change in routine for Physical Education and other sporting commitments. Term two has seen Inter-School Cross Country as a key sporting goal. With the disruption to routine the school did not have the usual number of students participating. However, Wednesday the 18th of May saw a strong team of 13 making their way to the local athletics track.

The teams’ hard work in lunch time practices and hard work on the track was rewarded with four of the 13 making the top 15 in their specific age groups.

We had Claudio placing second in the year 11 boys.
Aimee W placing 4th in the year 11 girls.
Oliver placing 13th in the year 11 boys 16 places up from last year.
Izobell placing 10th in the year 11 girls.

The rest of the team placed well and showed some promising potential for future events.

The attitude of these students should be applauded, the happiness and team spirit they showed toward one another’s successes was awesome to see.

The students that placed in the top 15 will progress to represent the school in the greater Moreland Region Regional Championships, taking place in early June.

Overall the atmosphere of the entire day was awesome and it would be great to see more participants giving it their all next year.

A special thanks to all the friends and families that came out to support and make the day that little bit more special.
NEW BOOKS

Money raised from the Parents and Friends has helped to buy these great new books for the school. We were able to buy many new Guided Reader sets as well as new Take Home Books for the grades. Foundation students enjoyed opening the boxes of new books and reading them together in class.

SCHOOL PHOTO DAY IS COMING

SCHOOLPIX will be visiting us on Tuesday 24th May

PHOTO DAY TIPS:

Dress: Clean and tidy as per school uniform guidelines
Hair: Neat and swept off face
Manual Orders: Complete your order form and return with payment to school before photography day
Online Orders: To pre-order online, take your personal Order and ID Numbers found on your order form and go to www.schoolpix.com.au. Orders can be placed online up to 2 working days after photography. You do not need to return the order form if you order online.
Sibling Orders: For a special photo of you children together, collect a Sibling Order Form from the office or download it from the SchoolPix website and return it on photography day. Alternatively Order Online by 10am on photography day.
**DIARY DATES**

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Grade 1 Tennis Clinic  
Grade 2 AFL Clinic |
| **JUNE** |  |
| 2 | Grade 1 Tennis Clinic  
Grade 2 AFL Clinic |
| 9 | Grade 1-2 Melbourne Zoo Excursion |
| 15 | School Council Meeting  
6.30pm in Staffroom |
| 16 | Grade 1 Tennis Clinic  
Grade 2 AFL Clinic |
| 24 | Carnevale |
| **JULY** |  |
| 27 | School Council Meeting  
6.30pm in Staffroom |
| **AUGUST** |  |
| 31 | School Concert Performance 1 |
| **SEPTEMBER** |  |
| 1 | School Concert Performance 2 |

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**Coburg High School**

**100th Anniversary Reunion**

**Sunday October 23rd 2016**

**12.30-pm-5.30pm**
At Coburg High School

Official welcome 2.30pm.

Community and ex-students welcome. Food and drinks available to purchase. Displays and tours available.

Enquiries and acceptances to:
Tom Anderson              0438 706 204
thap1906@bigpond.com.au

Email: coburghshg@hotmail.com    Membership Registrations.
Website: www.coburghighhistorical.org
VU SCIENCE SPECTACULAR FAMILY NIGHT
(part of VU’s STEM week 2016)

VU SCIENCE SPECTACULAR 2016 FAMILY NIGHT

Showcasing science demonstrations presented by the Professor Science Troupe. Expect big bangs, explosions and huge amounts of wonderment.

This is a free event for the whole family to enjoy!

This event is part of The College of Engineering and Science’s STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics) week 2016.

WHEN
Thursday, 2 June 2016

TIME
6pm

WHERE
Footscray Park Campus
(corner Ballarat and Geelong Roads)
Building L, level 1, room 14 (next to gym)
(free carpark available across the road from venue)

REGISTER
Email sciencefamilynight@vu.edu.au

vu.edu.au
Courage: A School Art Exhibition

as part of the Festival of Hope presented by

Amnesty Refugee Network of Victoria and Moreland City Council

As part of Refugee Week in June, the Festival of Hope will be a full day of enlightening and exciting activities for the whole family. The School Art Exhibition aims to engage diversity of the community in an interactive way.

Artworks & Theme
Inspired by Refugee Week, the theme of the exhibition is Courage. This theme may be interpreted in many ways but in the context of this exhibition, participants are encouraged to explore the courage of those who seek safety and stand up against injustice. Participants are invited to draw, paint, create a sculpture or engage in other form of art reflecting this theme.

Entrant Categories
There are three categories for the exhibition:

- Primary: Group Display*
- Primary: Individual Display
- Secondary: Individual Display

*Teachers may submit a collective work with their students in a single class or an entire year level. Works may be presented with the names of individual students/as a school, or anonymously.

This will be a great community event to get involved in, with some fun prizes to win with a certificate of participation for all entrants. All work will be available for pick up at the conclusion of the exhibition.

School Art Exhibition
When: Saturday 25 June 2016
Where: Brunswick Town Hall, 233 Sydney Road, Brunswick.

To be involved please let us know by 21 May 2016

[Logo: AMNESTY REFUGEE NETWORK]

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What’s NEW at your library?  Everything!
New books, DVDs and e Resources ensure we stay current with the needs of the community.
PRC (Premiers Reading Challenge) books are clearly marked for your easy selection. We also ensure we have all the short listed books for the Children’s Book of the Year Awards, which highlight Australian authors and are presented in August during ‘Children’s Book Week’.

Children’s activities
Special events are ongoing through the year. Keep an eye out for them.
Coming up we have,

**Evening Storytimes at 6.15pm:**
- Brunswick May 25
- Fawkner June 6
- Campbell Turnbull June 14
- Glenroy June 16

**Family fun nights at 6.15pm**
- Fawkner May 10
- Glenroy May 19
- Fawkner May 24
- Fawkner June 28

School holiday activity program, including digital gaming, can be viewed online or in the libraries from the 10th June, a week before the end of term.

In addition, our regular weekly activities cater for pre-school children. Whether it’s **Rhymetime** for babies up to 18 months, **Toddler Time** for infants 18 to 36 months old or **Storytime** for 3-5 year olds, you will find a program to suit your child at Moreland City Libraries.

**Brunswick Library**
233 Sydney Road
Brunswick
Phone: 9389 9600

**Coburg Library**
Corner Louisa and Victoria Streets
Coburg
Phone: 9353 4000

**Campbell Turnbull**
220 Melville Road
West Brunswick
Phone: 9384 9200

**Glenroy Library**
737 Pascoe Vale Road
Glenroy
Phone: 8311 4100

**Fawkner Library**
Jukes Road
Fawkner
Phone: 9355 4200