No EFTPOS Facilities on Friday afternoon 6th September
Last day of Term Friday 20th September 2.30pm finish

Principal’s Report

ART SHOW
What a fantastic celebration of the Visual and Performing Arts we enjoyed last week as part of our biannual Art Show. Our main building was transformed into a stunning gallery showcasing the wonderfully creative talents of our students.

We were momentarily challenged on the opening night as a storm flooded the marquee area ten minutes before the official opening, but in true WNPS style, our amazing team of staff were quick to reorganise the set up so that everything could proceed smoothly. About one hundred parents and staff were then able to enjoy the very convivial atmosphere as part of the opening night. We were very fortunate to have several terrific performers who had very kindly volunteered their time to sing during the opening; a huge thank you to Laura Slaney & Elise Greed (Karma Days) and Branco & Sonny Saran (WNPS family). As well as enjoying the performances and art work, Julieanne Weir (Canteen Manager) ensured that there were lots of tasty finger food treats to keep everyone replete - great job Julieanne!

The Art Show was very generously supported by Casella Wines – producers of the Yellow Tail brand. On behalf of the school community, we would like to sincerely thank Leanne Rankin (parent) for liaising with Casella Wines to organise the very generous donation of champagne, wine and beer for the opening.

Here’s a few snippets of the parent comments we received about the Art Show:
’Great show and a testimony to the creative talents of WNPS students & the hard working teachers. Well done!’
’What a brilliant display of work! Felt like a real gallery. Such talented students. Fantastic!’
’An amazing display. Thanks for everybody’s efforts to put together a great Art Show!’
’Wonderful way to display the great talent & creativity of our students – loved it.’
’Fabulous!! Thank you so much. Wonderful to see the talented work of our students!’
Congratulations to Julie Kelly (Art teacher) who successfully coordinated all aspects of this year’s Art Show. We received so many compliments on the calibre of the art work, which Julie had been carefully collecting and storing for many months prior to the show. I commend Julie’s foresight and planning to orchestrate such a successful whole school event.

**Father’s Day Stall**

I hope all dads had a very enjoyable Father’s day last Sunday – the weather was certainly conducive to outdoor pursuits, picnics, BBQ’s etc. My daughter had very sneakily organised a picnic in the grounds of Ripponlea – complete with a gourmet hamper. I do remember having a mid-afternoon snooze in the sun at one stage as well!

Last Wednesday, students were able to purchase a special gift for dad from our annual Father’s Day stall. Davena Toplis & Jodie Moore (parents) did a fantastic job of sourcing the gifts for this year’s stall and they were willingly supported by a team of parent helpers on the day of the stall. On behalf of all of the dads out there, we sincerely thank all of these parents who generously volunteered their time to support this year’s Father’s Day stall.

**Playground Redevelopment**

Wendy and I had our first site meeting with the playground installers last week. The demolition of the existing playgrounds will take place on the first day of the school holidays and weather permitting, the construction company is aiming to have the prep/junior playground finished for the start of next term and the main play zone around the oak tree finished within the first two weeks of next term. What an exciting time for our school! Our Community Liaison committee is currently planning a special family event to help celebrate the installation of our new playground equipment – we will confirm the details of this event as the progress of the installation unfolds. Stay tuned!

**2014 Planning**

Having confirmed most of our Prep enrolments for 2014, we are now in the midst of determining our class structure and staffing profile for next year. An important component of this planning is to try and ascertain as closely as possible our predicted whole school enrolment – given that our funding for the whole of 2014 is based on each child’s enrolment. Whilst there will always be last minute unforeseen circumstances, it is really helpful to know if families are leaving. Could you please email Wendy at emin.wendy.j@edumail.vic.gov.au or myself cahill.jim.a@edumail.vic.gov.au at any stage over the coming weeks if you know that you will be leaving us at the end of this year.

**Year 3 & 4 Camp**

We have our fingers crossed for beautiful spring weather for next week’s Years 3 & 4 camp to Anglesea. Our Year 3 students will be attending the camp in the first half from Monday to Wednesday and then our Year 4 students will then cross over and attend from Wednesday to Friday. Jamie Peters (camp coordinator) has done a wonderful job with the all aspects of the coordination so we are confident that everything should run like clockwork.

**Sunsmart – It’s Hat Time Again**

This week we will transition to our Sunsmart program in preparation for the increased UV levels that we are beginning to experience. We would be grateful if parents could start digging out the hats and ensuring that they are in the school bags each day. Please ensure that your child’s name and current class are clearly labelled on the inside of the hat to ensure any lost hats can be sourced back to the owners. From next Monday, any students outside at recess or lunchtime without a hat will be directed to sit under a designated tree or undercover area during these periods to ensure their safety. We thank you in anticipation of your support on this important matter.

**Student Online Safety Parent Information Session**

For any parents who would like to attend this session, please complete the Electronic Reply Slip for the Parent Information Evening on Student Online Safety http://www.willynthps.vic.edu.au/page/129

Enjoy your Week!

Jim Cahill—Principal
Don’t be daft about Minecraft

Minecraft may be the best trend to hit boy world in years. Writer Jason Fox explains the attraction and outlines the benefits for kids.

If you have a young child or teenager, chances are you’ve heard about Minecraft. It’s a video game that’s kind of like digital LEGO, except that you’re in an ever-evolving world with seemingly limitless possibilities. It’s a game that inspires deep exploration, collaboration and creativity. It has been the subject of international conventions. Some schools and universities have even incorporated Minecraft into their curriculum, where students learn about city planning, environmental issues, getting things done, and even how to plan for the future, as well as things like maths and problem solving.

The open sandbox nature of Minecraft makes it one of the most exciting games on the market – and not because of its flash graphics or blood and gore (there are none of those). The gameplay experience design just works. And on top of all that, it’s rated one of the safest video games for kids ever.

But parents are worried.

And rightfully so, to a degree. Too much of a good thing can be a bad thing.

But some parents are freaking out about the amount of time their kids are investing in the game, and are imposing blanket bans of it without first understanding its magic.

So, let’s have a look at what makes Minecraft so engaging, why blanket bans aren’t a good idea, and how to manage your child’s play.

Minecraft is an infinite, non-winnable game

Unlike a book, a game of chess, or a football match, a Minecraft game doesn’t end. There’s always more that can be explored, and more that can be done. The projects you undertake in Minecraft are self-initiated: no one is telling you what to do. And the process of making progress within Minecraft is completely autonomous – no one is telling you how to execute your projects and achieve your goals. It’s self-regulated learning at its finest.

So, when a parent bans Minecraft it’s a lot different to banning other games. You’re not simply cutting your child out from a source of entertainment. You’re preventing them from accessing a world where it’s safe to fail, learn, explore, build and share. In essence: it can be pretty devastating – particularly when we put things back into the context of the future of work.

Why? Because your child’s ability to participate in and contribute to unprecedented, self-driven creative and collaborative work is going to be one of the key employable talents in the future. Your child could already be building a digital portfolio of project work, without you ever knowing it.

But being able to ‘unplug’ and manage time and energy are essential skills your child needs to learn too. So, here are three ways you can help them manage Minecraft in your house:

1. Show genuine interest (this should be your first step)
If your child plays Minecraft, ask them to take you on a tour. Show an interest in their passion, and ask them questions like: what are you trying to build? What are your goals? What are the steps you need to take? What’s the coolest thing you’ve found? Set aside at least an hour for this. It’s highly likely they’d love the chance to share this with you, which will help you to open up a new level of connection with them.

2. Encourage interactivity correctly
Minecraft’s multiplayer mode allows your child to play and build in the same online world as their friends.
But remember: there are a lot of idiots on the internet, so do the following two things:

a) Create your own server or ‘whitelist’ – it’s like having an invite-only friend list.

b) Use a family-friendly server – you can Google these to find the right one to play in.

3. Don’t ban – bracket
Banning something like Minecraft should be the very last resort, as it usually only serves to enhance the craving for it. Instead, make it part of their daily ‘free time’. Try not to have this at the end of the day or make it contingent on homework being completed, as this may only create angst, rushed homework and late nights. After school is best, especially if it’s bracketed by dinner time (where all phones and computers are turned off).

My true hope is that you give option #1 a very good go first. And if #1, #2, #3 don’t work, I’m hoping you’ve found them an even better game to play.

Here’s a few resources for you:

Check out the Minecraft review at The Parent’s Guide to Video Games:

And this wonderful article from Penny Flanagan of Kidspot:

And finally, check out the brilliant work of Dean Groom and Massively Minecraft (a place for both kids and parents to play):
http://massively.jokaydia.com/

Dr Jason Fox keeps savvy people up to date with the latest in motivation design.

Learn more at www.drjasonfox.com
Rosters...
Fresh Fruit Friday (FFF)
The parents on the roster for Fresh Fruit Friday this week **Friday 6th September** are: - Martin Ray, Pamela Fernando, Helen Parker, Larissa Deeth, Mette Nielsen, Helen Gibbs, Simone Logan, Julie Noonan and Helen Dixon. If you are able to help out weekly, fortnightly or even once a month, please contact Linda Taylor at, taylor.linda.l1@edumail.vic.gov.au. This is a very happy and social group.

Canteen—NEW HELPERS MOST WELCOME
Julieanne Weir manages our Canteen and is always very appreciative of the time parents or family members can volunteer to help in the Canteen. Julieanne can be contacted via the General Office. New parents or family members are always needed, so, if you can spare any of your valuable time, it would be greatly appreciated.

**Thursday 5th September**—Kaylynn Rasmussen

**Friday 6th September**—Georgie Evanson & Majella Snelling

**Wednesday 11th September**—Michelle Lopes

**Thursday 12th September**—Anne Tobin

**Friday 13th September**—Leanne Sutton & Kellie Walker

Please remember that Lunch Orders are only available on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

**No Lunch Orders are available on the Last Day of Each Term.**

Uniform Shop News
The Uniform Shop hours are Mondays and Thursdays from 8.30am to 9.15am. Any enquiries please contact Kara on 0413 008 185. **Size 6 and 8 tunics** are back in stock. Also, if you have recently placed an order, please check at the office, as there are a number of orders awaiting for collection. Don't forget, if you can't make it to school when the shop is open, you can always fill out an order form at the office.

School Banking
School banking day is Wednesday. Don't forget to send in your child’s bank book.

Student Safety
Please take the time to regularly remind your child/ren about safety, especially when going to and from school. Here are the important points to mention:

- Do not to talk to strangers and never accept a ride from a stranger, or accept lollies or gifts from a stranger.
- Immediately report any issue or problem you may have when going to or from school, to your mum and dad, or to your teacher, the Principal, Assistant Principal or office staff.
- Always get permission from mum or dad before going to play with a friend after school and always let mum and dad know where you will be and what time you will be home.

We advise that, wherever possible, children should travel to or from school with an adult or with their friends, rather than travel alone.

Early Release
All children collected from school before 3.30pm must be signed out at the Office. Parents will be handed an ‘Early Release Pass’ to hand to the supervising teacher. If a child is signed out at Recess or Lunch time, the Office staff will call the child to the Office and then ensure the Early Release Pass is given to the supervising teacher.

Bikes & Scooters
Many children ride bikes and scooters to school each day. All bikes and scooters must be locked up in either the Bike or Scooter Enclosure to prevent theft. Please ensure your child has a chain and a lock. All children who ride a bike or scooter must wear a helmet which is a requirement by the Government. The school regularly reminds all children about wearing helmets for their safety. All bikes, scooters, skateboards, ribtics and helmets must be labelled, with your child’s name and class. **Children are reminded they must walk their bike, scooter, skateboard or ribtic to and from the school gates. No bikes are to be brought through the school buildings and we request, where possible, that Scooters are also not walked through the building.**

**Working With Children Checks**
As from the 1st July 2013 the process for applying for a Working With Children Check has changed. Due to the continual changes to the forms they are no longer available at School or the Post Office. The only way to apply for a Working With Children Check is online. These forms are available at [http://www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au](http://www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au) This is a simple 2 step process with instructions on how to apply in today’s newsletter.

Reminding Parents, if you wish to assist in the Canteen, Fresh Fruit Friday, Sport, Swimming, Excursions or Camps, you must have a current Working With Children Check. If you have a current WWCC and have not provided a copy to the office, please bring your WWCC to the school office, where a copy will be placed on file. Working With Children Checks remain valid for 5 years.
This term the Year 1 and 2 children have been exploring the topic of food. Last week we were very lucky to have Kana sensei demonstrate how to cook Okonomiyaki for us. Children have built on their vocabulary by learning the names for some famous Japanese foods. We have explored how eating customs in Japan differ to Western countries, like Australia, and we have looked at Japanese table manners. Meals in Japan traditionally begin with the phrase Itadakimasu (いただきます) (literally, "I humbly receive"). The phrase is similar to "bon appétit", or saying grace to give thanks before a meal. Upon finishing a meal, the Japanese also use the polite phrase Gochisosama-deshita to give respect for person who has made the meal.

To make it easy to remember the right Japanese expressions to use at the table, we learnt a fun song that the children love to sing in class. You can find the lyrics below, so if they haven’t already, get the children to sing it with you! Itadakimasu!

**Itadakimasu Song**
(sing to the tune of Waltzing Matilda)

Itadakimasu, Itadakimasu
Oishisoo
Oishii
Oishikatta
Moo sukoshi kudasai
Doozo, doozo
Arigatou
Ippai
Gochisoo sama
Call for assembly performances!
Thank you to all the wonderful students who have been showing their great talent at assembly. We have seen some terrific dancers, singers and keyboard players! If you have a performance that you would like to showcase, please see Miss Milnes about it and determine when and how that can happen. Some things you will need to consider are:

- What type of equipment your performance will need e.g. piano, microphone...
- How much practise you will need to have for the performance.
- If the item is suitable for school. Check with your parents or teachers first.

Williamstown North Primary has many talented students and we would like to showcase their wonderful work.

If you want to perform at assembly in Term 4, please see Miss Milnes soon, as allocations are filling up fast! I would also like to thank the Year 6 Assembly Leaders for the great leadership and initiative they have shown. Thank you for all your work!

From Miss Milnes

Footy Week is coming!

Monday 16th to Friday 20th September.

In two week’s time we have loads of jam packed fun planned. Woofa, the mascot from the Western Bulldogs will be here! Willy Seagulls football players and famous ex-players like Giselle’s dad from Year 4R.

There are games to play and prizes to win! If you know anyone who can help out, or someone from AFL/VFL, please see me, Mr Ritchie. Keep kicking and handballing in your sleep because Footy Week is coming up!

By Sabrina Year 4R
ART NEWS

Artist of the Week

Congratulations to Hayley in Year 2L who received the Artist of the Week Award for her fantastic portrait of Kelly one of our Ed Support staff members at WNPS. The likeness Haley achieved when representing Kelly shows what a very talented artist she is indeed.

Also, well done to Year 6C who worked well together when preparing various items for our Art Show and also in assisting with some re-arranging of displays after the show.

ART SHOW NEWS

What an amazing array of students Artwork was on show last week. We have tried to keep as much artwork as possible on display. Thanks again to the wonderful positive support of the staff and to those parents and families who donated items to be used for the show. Thanks also to parents who have assisted with mounting work, setting up in the days leading up to the show, and helping with the pack up on Monday. However, a special thanks must go to Tania and Marilyn who have worked tirelessly on the various jobs and preparation required to support such a large event. Without such a high level of cooperation, commitment and enthusiasm we would not have achieved such a stunning display.

Thank you also to everyone who attended one or both events (the Opening Night and/or the Open Afternoon). We really appreciated the time people took to share their comments, either verbally or in the comments book. Below is a small sample of comments received…..

Yola Barbounis - What a brilliant display of artwork. It felt like a real gallery! Such talented students, fantastic!
Toni and Dom Burton – Great show and a great way to show the creative talents of WNPS students and hard working teachers. Well done!
Leanne Sutton – Amazing display. Thanks for everybody’s efforts to put together such a great Art show!
M. Mackenzie - Great show. A lot more intimate then in the gym and the bar and band were great!

WHAT’S NEXT?

We are hoping to leave up, or move to new locations, as much of the artwork as possible so that parents and students can enjoy it for a bit longer. We will then be taking the work and displays down in the last week of term. All Year 3D artworks will be coming home with students in the last week of this term, however the artwork on the boards etc, will be place in the student’s portfolios. These will then be sent home towards the end of Term 4.

The colourful flags hanging in the marquee/band area have been collected and will be up at Seawork’s from this Saturday 7th September as part of the Tall Ships Festival. Please visit the following link for more information http://www.melbournetallships2013.yachting.org.au/

Royal Melbourne Show, Junior Art Competition - In next week’s Newsletter I will provide further information regarding tips on how to find our students Artwork entries and Garden Wheelbarrow entry at the Royal Melbourne Show.

Thank you—Julie Kelly, Visual Art Teacher.
BIG Weekend – Friday 18th to Monday 21st October, Portsea Camp

Do you have children aged 11 to 18 who are NOT on the spectrum and who would appreciate some time out with others in the same situation?

If so, read on!

The BIG Weekend is a weekend of fun and friendship for young people who have one or more siblings with ASD.

Thanks to financial support from the RadioMarathon Appeal and the Jack Brockhoff Foundation, Amaze ran its first camp last year and those who attended told us:

“You should run it every month.”

“It was a very enjoyable and relaxing time away and I hope it is on again next year.”

“Thank you to all the volunteers and workers that made this weekend possible.”

“I thought it would be lame but it wasn’t.”

The Portsea Camp is in a stunning location by the beach with heaps of things to do, from kayaking and the giant swing to art and craft and cooking! This year’s camp will be extended from 2 to 3 days in response to the feedback from last year. We realise that this means the participants will miss 2 days’ school, but judging from last years’ experience, the positives of the camp far outweigh this. As well as just having some fun and relaxing, we also do a couple of sessions with the participants split into small groups of similar ages, to talk about some of the challenges they face and how they can cope with them, providing practical strategies to help them when they are back home.

Portsea provides its facilities at cost, helping us keep this 3 day camp down to a reasonable price – it will be around $80-$90 per participant.

Here are a few comments from parents/carers of some of last year’s attendees:

“He came home very positive about ASD. Realised there were other children who had brothers/sisters with ASD - and they were worse. Wasn't so embarrassed by his brother. Asked teachers and Principal if school could fundraise for ASD. More willing to discuss it.”

“When she came back from The Big Weekend she was far more positive about life in general. She also made friends with one girl in particular and keeps in touch with her. She has asked me many times when the next camp is going to be and is really looking forward to going again. She even mentioned she would like to go for longer.”

“I have not had success with having an actual discussion with my teen regarding the big weekend. She was adamant she didn't want to go but I sent her anyway and she loved it. She hasn't been forthcoming with any info and I gave up on questioning her, however when I mentioned going again this year, I was not met with resistance!! This is very positive.”

So do talk to your children about coming along! We know they sometimes live in the shadow of their siblings and it can be hard work.

Places are limited and as members of Amaze, you are the first to be notified about the camp.

Registrations open on Friday 30 August. Go to www.amaze.org.au/bigweekend to register - but not before Friday!

Kind regards

The Membership Team

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Amaze (Autism Victoria)
Tutor — Struggling at school? Want to be ahead of class? John Nguyen provides tutoring for small groups of 10 students in English and Maths. If you would like more information contact John on 0422 120 070 or take a look at the flyer on the school notice board.

Cleaner Required For local accommodation business. Flexible Hours. Maximum 10 hours/week Great rates. Call Lynne 0422 932 113

Holiday Art for Kids! - Your child can create their own masterpiece with Acrylics, 3D decals and more. When: 24th September in Melton and 1st October in Yarraville. Cost: $50.00 per child per session and we supply all art materials. Bookings: contact Gaye Boltong on 0415 469 225 or gayeboltong@gmail.com, Leianne Ivankovic on 0419 508 380 or leianne_ivankovic@hotmail.com

Robina Scott Kindergarten Presents "The Mudcakes" in concert for children's fundraising. The Mudcakes play parent friendly music and bring a holistic approach to children's entertainment! WHERE: St. Stephens Uniting Church Hall, Williamstown North (197 Melbourne Rd) WHEN: Sunday 8th September TIME: 3.00pm ACTIVITIES: Face-painting, food, give aways, balloons, Mudcakes signing posters and CD's COST: Family Ticket Price: $50 (Up to 5 adults/children) Single Tickets: $15 per person FREE: Children 2yrs and under. Tickets sold at Robina Scott or www.trybooking.com/DTFO or at the door but places are limited - don't miss out!!

www.botanicartclasses.com.au

Classes on at the Louis Joel Community Centre and Gallery — Altona
Creating Art with Natural Found Materials Tues 3:45pm - 5.00pm $12.00 for the 1st child and $8.00 for the 2nd child.
Contact Mairead Ashcroft for bookings and information 0401 649 967 artoflifewithmairead@gmail.com artoflifewithmairead.blogspot.com.au
Children’s Art – Saturday mornings with Sandra D’Lisio. Phone 9398 5279
Spring Exhibition Hobson's Bay Artist Society, 12th to 15th September.
This beautiful exhibition celebrates the joy of Spring after a cold winter. hobsonsbayartssociety.weebly.com/
Dear Parents,

School holidays are fast approaching. Please remember to book your child/children into the holiday program as soon as possible as places do fill quickly.

The closest holiday program is Spotswood Primary School.

To book, please log onto oshclub.com.au and complete a holiday program enrolment.

Please also remember Term 4 is a sunsmart term. Make sure your child brings a sunsmart hat to the Before and After Care program. Oshclub does have a “not hat—no play” policy, but does provide sunscreen. If your child is allergic to a particular type of sunscreen, please inform the coordinator at the program.

Please check the blue basket for your child’s belongings as this is filling quickly. This is situated next to the sign in/sign out table in the Gym.

Thank you

After School Care Team
Williamstown Swimming and Life Saving Club (WS&LSC) runs a Nippers Program for children aged 5-14 years. Nippers start learning about surf awareness and safety through the Surf Life Saving Education Program.

The program is conducted on a **Friday afternoon at Williamstown beach**. The season begins in November and runs through to March, stopping for Christmas and January.

To participate in the Nipper program, families are required to join the WS&LSC (New Family membership starts from $270). Membership gives you access to the clubhouse and toilets, the boards and the swimming pool. **All members 18 years and over are required to have a Working With Children Card prior to their membership being accepted.**

**Information sessions**
- Saturday 14th September 2.00pm – 5.00pm
- Sunday 15th September 2.00pm – 5.00pm
- Saturday 6th October 2.00pm – 5.00pm

**New Member Welcome Day**
- Sunday 6th October 2.00pm – 5.00pm

For further information, see our website www.williamstownslsc.org.au or contact Matt McCarroll on 0438 457 246.

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**Little Athletics - REGISTRATION DAY**

**When**
Saturday 14th September from 9.00am to 11.30am

**Where**
Bryan Martyn Oval—Newport Power Oval/club rooms (Market street, Newport—across from the Substation)

**What to Bring**
Child proof of age (e.g. Birth Certificate/Passport) and copy of your online registration and payment receipt.

⇒ **Registration** is for both new members and those who are re-registering.

⇒ Making registration easy: If you can, please register and pay online via Little Athletics Victoria website before 14th September (Please bring receipt of this with you). Previous members should have received an email regarding registration. Little Athletics is open for children aged 5 to 15 years of age, with an emphasis on participation, skills development and having fun.

⇒ Please email enquiries to Williamstown Little Athletics Club President at stuart.fechner@gmail.com or to the Williamstown Little Athletics Centre at williamstown@lavic.com.au Two ‘Come and Try’ days start the season on 5th and 12th October.
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Come in and say Hi to Julie and the Team.
Swimming & Water Polo

The Footscray Swimming and Water Polo Clubs Inc are joining with Swimming Victoria (SV) for ‘Swimtember’. September is ‘Swimtember’, the month to swim and get active for fun and for life. FSWPC Inc and SV encourage anyone to choose a challenge and start swimming towards a target and you’ll be raising awareness around men’s health and funds to support the Alfred Hospital. Anyone can take up the challenge and register now at www.swimtember.org.au.

On Sundays, 8th and 15th September, for a gold coin donation, FSWPC Inc will give you the chance to try swimming with the club and donate to The Alfred hospital’s fundraising campaign. If you’ve already signed up for the ‘Swimtember’ challenge as an individual or a team, please feel free to come along and give it a try. We’ll have some lanes open to help complete your own challenge. Or perhaps you might like to join in ‘Club Sunday’ and compete in the club races – it’s not about winning the race, it’s doing your best and enjoying yourself. Swimmers of all abilities are welcomed.

Sundays, 8th & 15th September, 2013 at the Maribyrnong Aquatic Centre, 9.30am to 11.00am.
Contact: Monique Whear, Phone 0412 430 734, Email: footscrayswimmingandwaterpolo@gmail.com

GELLIBRAND CRICKET CLUB
JUNIOR REGISTRATION
Friday 6th September 2013, 5:30pm-7.00pm
DIGMAN RESERVE, HOBSON ST, NEWPORT
U17s, U15s, U13s, U11s, Junior Girls
Inquiries: Jaime Bulbeck 9391 8928
Lee Smart 9399 2006
0412 798 559 0400 032 785
Details:
Milo In2Cricket (Ages 5 to 9) Registration October 18 or Online (in2cricket.com.au)
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