Term Ends

This Friday is the last day of Term Two. Maddy has been busy with our other Year Six students organising our ‘Welton Olympics’. As mentioned in last week’s newsletter, we are having a special lunch of hotdogs and juice boxes; funds raised from this special lunch will go towards the Year 4-6 Energy Breakthrough Team’s cart materials. Please ensure that all order forms and money are sent to school by tomorrow, as they will be purchased on Wednesday evening. Remember that parents and friends are most welcome and encouraged to join us for activities and lunch. Students, and and adults of course, are encouraged to come dressed in something sporty or as a famous sports star. School will be dismissed at 2pm, therefore, the bus will do the afternoon run one hour earlier than usual.
Well Done!
How are you going with those yummy pies? The Pie Drive raised $380 which will go towards our whole school camp to Mildura. Thank you to those families and community members who supported this event. A special thank you to Joy, Bernie and Christina for their assistance with sorting out and in some cases, delivering the orders.

Reports
Our new look Semester One Reports were sent home today. Please take the time to read through your child/ren’s report(s). Please know that you are very welcome to contact the school should you have any questions or would like to discuss your child/ren’s progress. Next term we will send home a survey asking for your feedback on the new look reports, this will assist us to make any necessary adjustments in order to provide families with meaningful information about school programs and students’ achievement and development.

Masterchefs Wanted
Here is your chance to share that killer curry, perfect pasta or “to die for” dessert with the Welton Community. We are resurrecting the Welton Primary School Cookbook and would like families to contribute their tried and true recipes. Narrelle Woodgate has very kindly offered to organise and type up the recipes. Recipes can be sent along to school or emailed to welton.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au

Eat Pizza This Weekend
This is your last opportunity to help the school by eating pizza! Don’t forget that the Caltex Roadhouse, Torrumbarry are donating $1 for every large pizza and 50c for ever small pizza sold for the month of June. Pizzas are available from Friday evening through to Sunday. All money raised will help reduce the cost of our Whole School Camp to Mildura early in term 4. We really appreciate the ongoing support from Caltex Torrumbarry Roadhouse so let’s support them too!

MACC News
In Art, over the past few weeks, the children have been completing evaluation and finishing off work. As I have been unwell recently there will be a delay in sending the Art Diaries home. Students will take them home for you to view and comment in, if you wish, during the first week of Term 3. Would you please send the books back the following week? Many thanks. Sally Bentley (MACC Art Teacher)

Tin Cans Still Wanted
Could families please save their tins and send them along to school. We need them for a Lunchtime Activity early next term. Please send washed tins, without the lids and the rough edges, to school. Labels on the tin are fine.
Ayo, Marilah Kita Memasak!

**Homework for Years 2-6. Translate this for your folks!**
Pada hari Rabu dan hari Kamis murid akan masak nasi goreng. Pada hari Rabu kelas P-3 akan memasak. Pada hari Kamis kelas 4-6 akan memasak. Kalau murid-murid yang memasak, lalu mereka tidak perlu makanan untuk makan siang.

**School Lawns - Holiday Schedule**

Provided that it stops raining or hailing or snowing the next lucky family, Tucker-Allen, need to mow on or around 28/29 June. The lawns will require mowing again on the weekend of July 12/13 in readiness for Term 3. The rostered family on that occasion is Kalinowski. A key for the mower shed can be arranged by talking to Lisa on Friday.

**Footy Tipping**

You know what it’s like; you turn 50 and suddenly you can’t remember what day it is! Once we have sorted out our Tipping Comp manager’s medication we are confident we can get back on track. So what did we learn from AFL this week?

- **Pies?** Going for three in a row!
- **GWS?** Have they arrived or have the Blues just left!
- **Hawks?** Pretty good!
- **Lions?** Browned off!
- **Swans?** Can win ugly!
- **Suns?** Talented!

**Shelter Me**

All students have enjoyed interacting with the natural environment, adjacent to the school, over the past two weeks. We climbed steep embankments, crossed ravines, studied eucalypts, learned about Gunbower Island, saw bullants, kangaroos and fungi and built shelters - well some people might call them shelters but we fear they would fail the “bucket of water” test!

**iPad Hibernation**

All iPads other than those owned outright by families will be stored securely by the school over the holiday break. All families are reminded that where term payments have not been made iPads can not be taken home, even during term.

**Music Stars**

We’ve been given a second chance! Eight students, in total, are required for us to proceed. Parents who enrolled their children previously are asked to re-enrol. THE ATTACHED FORM MUST BE RETURNED BY THURSDAY OF THIS WEEK.
**Dates To Remember**

- **Tuesday 24 June**
  - Mid-year reports distributed
- **Thursday 26 June**
  - Return Music Stars forms
- **Friday 27 June**
  - End of Term 2
  - Welton Olympics
- **Monday 14 July**
  - Term 3 commences
- **Friday 19 September**
  - End Term 3
- **Monday 6 October**
  - Term 4 commences
- **Wed 15 - Fri 17 October**
  - Whole School Camp
- **Tuesday 4 November**
  - Cup Day Holiday
- **Thurs 20 - Sat 22 November**
  - Energy Breakthrough
- **Friday 12 December**
  - Annual School Concert
- **Friday 19 December**
  - End School Year

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**Ok, you can eat them!**