Dear Parents,

Three Cheers!!!

I cannot thank our School Council, Parents Club, Rotary and parent volunteers enough for the wonderful job that they did on the weekend to erect the three fitness stations around the fitness track. Their tireless work has saved the school thousands of dollars in installation but most of all constructed three marvellous areas for our children to play and exercise on. This was a tireless job by our volunteers on Friday, Saturday and also Sunday. Not only did we get the equipment installed but we also had the bike shed cleaned out, gardening and mulching done and plants planted.

Our School Council President, Steve Kelly, had everyone with a job to do and coordinated the job well. A big thank you to Kent Anderson, who with his earthmoving equipment, prepared and levelled the sites. I would also like to thank our helpers: Janine Margrie, Danni Baylis, Jacqui and Luke Payne, Tony Ruffin, Amy Kent, Darren and Sancha Stevenson, Steve Bracher, Craig Forster, Cathy Kallstrom, Brendan McKay, Leslie Oats, Simon Lamb, and Lucas Baldwin. Ian McAfee and Brian Holloway from the Phillip Island and San Remo Rotary Club also helped us on the Saturday. If I have accidently left someone’s name off the thank you list, please let me know.

Rotary Dinner

Last night Sancha Stevenson, Sharyne Munday and myself were invited to attend the Rotary Dinner to speak about our Breakfast Club, which is funded by the Rotary Club. They were very impressed with our Breakfast Club and complemented the support that we get from parents and the grade 5/6 children in managing the morning.

At the dinner they also highlighted the Breakfast Club at Wonthaggi Secondary College, who are also doing a wonderful job. Like our service they couldn't do it without the support of 3 year 10 students, one of whom, Jack Mendes, is an ex student of San Remo Primary School. It is wonderful to see our children continue to shine in all of their endeavours as they grow and mature.

Science Week

The grade 5/6 six children are celebrating Science week with the help of Laurie Werrett and the South Gippsland/Bass Coast LLEN. They have organised a wonderful program for the children where they make and monitor their own water stills (a mini desalination plant), visit the desalination plant at Wonthaggi and also complete other water science experiments. These sessions are also supported by RMIT student, Tori, who is helping the children out.
CURRICULUM DAY  
Friday 2nd SEPTEMBER  
We will be having a student free curriculum day on Friday 2nd September. The staff will be learning about the Victorian Curriculum which is to be implemented in all Victorian schools in 2017. Part of the day will be spent completing a curriculum audit and making sure that our curriculum is ready for 2017.

Have a great week,  
Karen ☺

BREAKFAST CLUB  
Join us at Breakfast Club on Tuesday mornings at 8:30am where we will be offering toast, fruit and milo.

LUNCH ORDERS  
We are looking for a volunteer to deliver the lunch order boxes to Newhaven on Friday 26th August. Please let Roz know if you are available to help.

My Emotions!  
I am speechless. My teammates are screaming. I start to get butterflies in my stomach. I look back. I just broke a world record!

I start to open my mouth with excitement. I put my hands up to my mouth. I start to cry happy tears.

The crowd is cheering so loud I have to cover my ears. I am so proud of myself.

My teammates are slapping my back so hard, but I can’t feel it. I shout, “You guys are the best team ever. You could not have done a bloody better job!”

They scream, “We are the fastest swimmers ever!”

I imagine them walking the gold medal up to me. As they are I can smell it, I can feel it. I am so ecstatic about it. I wave to everybody. It’s the best feeling ever!

BY LACHLAN MARKS  
Grade 3/4

WORKERS OF THE WEEK  Week Ending 12/8/16

P/1 M  Lily for her great writing to her Olympic athlete,

P/1 W  Cooper for his great writing. He even chose to stay in at recess to finish!!

2/3S  Madison for her amazing attitude in reading groups—she just keeps going!

3/4 M  Lachlan for his willingness to repeated revise and improve his writing.

5/6 G  Sarina for consistently displaying a positive and responsible attitude.

5/6 T  Ryan for his positive attitude and putting in 100% to all classroom activities.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to Ryan Walsh-Isherwood & Peter Cleeland