DATES TO REMEMBER
Lamington Drive
Friday, April 12
Sports Carnival
Thursday, April 18
Student Free Day
Friday, April 19

TERM DATES 2013
Term 1 Feb 12 - Apr 19
Term 2 May 7 - July 5
Term 3 July 23 - Sep 27
Term 4 Oct 15 - Dec 1

QUOTE OF THE WEEK
‘When written in Chinese, the word crisis is composed of two characters. One represents danger and the other represents opportunity.’
- John F. Kennedy

LAMINGTON ORDERS
Lamington orders were due back yesterday, but don’t panic. If you would still like to order some, please bring your forms back in tomorrow, Friday, April 5.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
Mr Joubert – April 7

PRAYER CORNER
~ Praise God for the way the swimming carnival went and for His protection of our buses on the roads.
~ Praise God for the beautiful rain that refreshes everything!
~ Praise God for His faithfulness and love and that He sent Jesus to die for us so that we could have a relationship with Him!

FAMILY PRAYER LIST
~ Herrmann
~ Heywood
~ Higgs
~ How

THE PRAYER THAT SHOCKED THE WORLD
When Minister Joe Wright was asked to open the new session of the Kansas Senate, everyone was expecting the usual generalities, but this is what they heard:

"Heavenly Father, we come before you today to ask your forgiveness and to seek your direction and guidance. We know Your Word says, "Woe to those who call evil good", but that is exactly what we have done. We have lost our spiritual equilibrium and reversed our values.

We have exploited the poor and called it the lottery.
We have rewarded laziness and called it welfare.
We have killed our unborn and called it choice.
We have shot anti-abortionists and called it justifiable.
We have neglected to discipline our children and called it building self-esteem.
We have abused power and called it politics.
We have coveted our neighbor's possessions and called it ambition.
We have polluted the air with profanity and pornography and called it freedom of expression.
We have ridiculed the time-honored values of our forefathers and called it enlightenment.

Search us, Oh, God, and know our hearts today; cleanse us from every sin and set us free. Amen!"

This may have happened in Kansas but it applies to us right now in Australia.

Congratulations Genevieve & Randal!
**GRADE 1&2**
Meet Cocoa, our class pet! She is a lop ear rabbit, just over 8 weeks old. We have been very excited to meet her. A big thanks to the Bass and Eyles families for their generous help with cages. If anyone has a pet playpen with small holes, or knows where we can get a cheap one, please let us know as soon as possible!

The Grade 1&2 class with their new friend, Cocoa ☺

**SPORTS CARNIVAL**
On the last day of Term 1, Thursday, April 18, we will be having our School House Sports Carnival! This is a great time of competition, excitement and fun. Parents and grandparents are encouraged to come along and support their children and their house as they compete for points towards the ‘Fiery Furnace Shield’ which is presented to the winning house at the end of the year.

Two very enthusiastic boys testing out the new track.

**BUS DRIVERS**
Port Sorell – Mr Parker – 0408 159 207
Devonport/Ulverstone – Mrs Sheehan – 0429 810 227
Latrobe/East Devonport – Mr Hatch – 0405 150 013
Deloraine – Mr Woolley – 0477 488 567
Sheffield – Mr Marks – 0400 199 164

**WANTED TO BUY**
A baby capsule, must be dated after 2001. Contact the school office.

Bella-Grace planting some seeds in an egg carton.

Liam and Sarah working together to solve a problem.

Some of the beautiful drawings done by the Prep class!