He’s Alive!

Their leader brutally nailed to a cross, Jesus’ disciples looked on in despair; confused and in deep shock, there was no making sense of this. The end came slowly; Jesus died an agonising death and was laid in a tomb!

Three days later…

Then the angel spoke to the women. “Don’t be afraid!” he said. “I know you are looking for Jesus, who was crucified He isn’t here! He is risen from the dead! (Matthew 28:5)

He’s alive? He’s really alive! Just when it looked like all was lost, a resurrected Jesus was back and ready to announce the greatest victory of all time! On the cross Jesus took upon himself the punishment for all of our sin.

The cross represents both life and death: the death of our Saviour and, in acceptance of that death on our behalf, the death of the power of habitual sin in our lives. Why? So that we can live in right relationship with God and each other, receiving the eternal – ‘more abundant life’ - that Jesus promised.

The cross points vertically to God and horizontally through the outstretched arms of Jesus, to every human being, in an open invitation to receive love, freedom, peace and faith. As we respond to this our world is transformed one person at a time.

This is truly something to get excited about, and as we celebrate Easter this year, let’s take time to remember the cross and then turn our thoughts to the empty tomb, remembering what it represents; the resurrection of our Lord Jesus.

We’ve had another great term at Northside Christian College, it’s a wonderful learning community and there’s so much to give thanks for. Most of all I thank God for his sacrifice on the cross and for the resurrection life that we freely receive as a result.

Here’s wishing you and your family a peaceful and joyful Easter Holiday.

Doug Holtam
Principal

NCC 2015 Term Dates

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Whole School Casual Clothes Day!

Friday 27th March
(Last Day of Term 1)
Gold coin donation required

All funds raised will go towards future SRC events

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS ARE NOW OPEN!

See page 4 for more details

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER
APRIL 2015
**Great Big Little Things is here!**

It’s often the little things that make the biggest impact. Small acts of kindness can make a great big difference and change someone’s day.

This month’s **Great Big Little Thing** is to pray for someone.

Ask the people at school if there is anything that you can pray about and then, pray. You can pray while you’re with them, pray at home during the week, pray once or multiple times. Knowing someone is praying for us helps us feel connected to others and not so alone, no matter what we’re facing. And of course, prayer invites God into the situation.

*Each month in 2015 we will suggest a way that you can do a little thing that will make a great big difference in the life of someone at the College.*

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**Parents’ Prayer 2015**

**WEDNESDAYS 2.30-3.30pm**

If you are unable to come & you have a prayer request text Lyn on 0488 420 542

- Children welcome -  
- Check for venue at the office -

*Oh what peace we often forfeit  
Oh what needless pain we bear  
All because we do not carry  
Everything to God in prayer*

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**Aalsmeer Florist** has generously offered to donate a floral arrangement to the College once a month. It will be in the foyer. Next time you’re in reception, take the time to stop and smell the roses (or lilies or carnations).

Aalsmeer has been the College "florist of choice" for many, many years. If you need to send flowers why not visit their website?  
www.bundooraflorist.com.au

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**Diary Dates**

**MARCH**

27th  Term 1 Ends 2.30pm  
Casual clothes day

**APRIL**

13th  Scholarship App Due

14th  Parent/Teacher/Student Goal Setting Day (Interviews)

15th  Term 2 Begins

16th  P+F Meeting 9.00am

18th  Scholarship Exam

23rd  Science Day

28th - 1st  Year 9 Hike Camp

**MAY**

4th  Yr 7 Immunisations  
Staff Immunisations

8th  Mothers Day Stall

12th-14th  NAPLAN Yr 3,5,7 & 9

19th  Yr 8 Pastoral Care Day

27th  Athletics Carnival

**JUNE**

8th  Queen’s Birthday Holiday

9th-11th  Yr 9 - 11 Exams

12th  Report Writing Day

25th  Parents and Friends AGM

26th  Term 2 Ends 2.30pm

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To all of our families with children who walk to school, we ask you to exercise caution when crossing the road. Please only use marked crossings when crossing the road and please ensure that all young children are accompanied by an adult if walking to or from school.
NCC ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP 2016

Northside Christian College is offering the following academic scholarships to current and new students:

- Scholarships of three-year tenure to students completing Yrs 6 or 9 in 2015.
- Scholarships of one-year tenure to students completing Yrs 7, 8, 10, or 11 in 2015.

Both classes of scholarship attract a fifty-percent reduction in tuition fees.

Registration & Application Fee:

A $100 non-refundable scholarship application fee must be paid to Northside Christian College when the registration form is submitted. Scholarship applications close on Monday 13th April 2015 at 3.00pm.

Scholarship Exam:

The scholarship exam will be held on Saturday 18th April 2015 at Northside Christian College, 31 McLeans Rd, Bundoora.

For full details of the Scholarship Application Process, please contact the College Office on 9467 2499

Detailed information and applications available online and from the front office

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If your child is going to be absent for the day it is important that you notify the school with a courtesy phone call that morning and in writing the day your child returns to school. You can get a green explanation of absence form from the front office or you can send an e-mail to the class teacher. If your child is in VCE it is essential that you get a medical certificate for every day of absence.

TERM 2 CHANGEOVER TO WINTER UNIFORM

Students are required to wear full Winter Uniform during Terms 2 & 3. There will be a 2 week changeover period where either Summer or Winter can be worn up to Friday 24/04/2015. From Monday 27/04/2015 ALL students must be in full Winter Uniform. Refer to your Parents Handbook for full uniform details.

If you require an appointment, call the College on 9467 2499. Appointments are available on Tuesdays & Fridays, during school term and available on Tuesdays during the school holidays only; due to Easter break. All appointments must be booked through the college.

BLAZERS

New stock has arrived and all secondary students are required to wear their Blazer at all times.

RUGBY JUMPERS

The Sports Rugby Jumpers are further delayed and will not be ready until Term 2. Apologies for any inconvenience. The supplier has had issues with the quality of the fabric. Families will be notified when they arrive.

Enrolment Applications 2016/17

URGENT: Northside has a growing number of enrolment applications for 2016, 2017 and beyond! If you have not yet submitted an application for your child’s enrolment, please collect an application form from the office and return it as soon as possible to secure a place for your child. Numbers are already quickly filling up for Prep 2016!

If you already have children at the College and want their siblings to join them at Northside in the future, we recommend getting your application in at least 12 months before their intended start.
Student Welfare

We have had a very busy start to the year planning and preparing for the well-being of our students in 2015. Primary students are building on their “You Can Do It!” keys, starting with developing better organisation skills and also refining their relationship and getting along capacities.

Last month we ran our first Pastoral Care Day for year 7 students. With a very short amount of time to train and coach our year 11 student leaders, they did a great job to lead the year 7s for the day, engaging them in activities and conversations to improve their understanding of themselves and in relation to others. The girls’ theme was Be You, Be True! whilst the boys’ focus was on developing a Super Me. Many older students viewed the day with envy and will have to wait their turn in the following terms to be treated to a special focused day.

Our student leaders have already met to see what worked well, suggested what to change for next year, as well as made personal reflections of their own leadership skills on the day. Thanks to Claire, Brittney, Chanel, Nathan B, Nathan N and Matthew for their great effort and being good role models whilst presenting and relating to the younger students.

It has been great to welcome Jared Stocks, our new Chaplain. Please find our new email addresses below should you like to contact either of us.

- Fiona Dumitrache

CSSN Swimming Results

Congratulations to all of our students on competing and achieving such remarkable results for our school.

Jarryd Aston
2nd in 50m Breaststroke and 50m Freestyle

Cameron McLean
1st in 50m Backstroke

BJ Taylor
2nd in 50m Breaststroke

Madison Kluchkovsky
2nd in 50m Freestyle and 100m Freestyle

Isabelle Kluchkovsky
1st in 50m Freestyle

Joseph Doncev
1st in 50m Backstroke and 3rd in 50m Freestyle

Malindi Samarakoon
2nd in 50m Backstroke

Martika Phemister
2nd in 50m Backstroke and 50m Breaststroke

Richie Chen
1st in 50m Backstroke

Laura Galati
2nd in 100m Freestyle and 50m Butterfly

Emilia Galati
2nd in 50m Breaststroke

Louie Sinkins
1st in 50m Breaststroke and 3rd in 100m Freestyle

Tim Halden
2nd in 50m Freestyle, 100m Freestyle, 50m Breaststroke

Damien Furlong
2nd in 50m Backstroke, 3rd in 50m Butterfly and 100m Freestyle
COLIN BUCHANAN AT NORTHSIDE!

The Colin Buchanan event was a wild success! We had so many people, both from our school and the community who wanted to come to see Colin, that we sold out of tickets! With a special performance by the Grade 1s and 2s and Wirebird as the support act, the talent on stage was top notch, and that was even before Colin came on.

Colin sang songs from his CD, 'The Jesus Hokey Pokey', and some old favourites as well. Mrs Tan and Mrs Horneman were wrapped up like mummies by some students while giant beach balls and streamers were flung into the air for the finale. Colin was very generous with his time, staying behind to sign posters and chat with all the families who lined up. Other attractions were face painting, jumping castle and glitter tattoos.

The night was a great success. Thank you to all who attended, helped out and invited friends and family.

OPEN DAY - Saturday 14th March

Open Day built on the momentum of Colin and was another great event. Over 30 families visited the College to discover how Christian education can benefit their children. Our SRC students and Primary leaders turned out in full force to welcome visitors and serve food. Thank you to all of those students who helped.

Our next Open Day will actually be a gala event combining the Northside Community Art Show, the Primary School Showcase and an Open Evening.

Keep Friday 16th October free in your calendar and come and join us as we tell the story of the great things happening at Northside Christian College!
Ever heard of “Digital Learning Day”? This day, celebrated by schools in the US but gaining international attention, is designed to “actively spread innovative practices and ensure that all youth have access to high-quality digital learning opportunities no matter where they live.”

Around the world, teachers are realising the importance of preparing students for the digital age and the profound power of digital technology to improve teaching and learning. We don’t want to be left behind. On the contrary we want to be at the front line, driving innovation. We want people to be saying, “have you seen the amazing things they are doing at Northside?”

At Northside there are a number of ways that we are training up our students, preparing them to learn, work and live in a world in which (for better and worse) technology is ubiquitous.

**iPad program from Grade 4 to Year 10**

These highly portable, personalised devices provide learning opportunities that previous generations could only dream of. Internet access allows students to engage with a wealth of information that is appropriate for their current level. Students can use a diverse range of apps to present their understandings through written text, audio, images, and video. Students also have unique opportunities to collaborate both locally and globally. Using Google Docs, teams of students can plan or produce work by simultaneously editing a single document. We have had classes connect with students around the world to share their understandings and experiences through real-time video chats.

**Schoology: Our Online Learning Environment in Secondary**

Schoology is a web service that enables teachers to deliver rich, multimedia course content. It also allows students to participate in online forums to discuss their work and interact with their teachers, as well as providing a platform for them to submit their work. Due dates for homework and assignments are brought to students' attention and there is no potential for assessment sheets to get lost! Parents can also create accounts so they can keep track of their children's progress; checking upcoming work, submissions, and feedback from the teacher. We use this platform in VCE to deliver some lessons completely online. This method allows students to work independently, and teachers to very specifically track student progress and give meaningful, timely feedback.

**A commitment to promoting Cyber Safety in the school**

With access to digital devices and the Internet, we have a responsibility to equip students to use technology and communicate online in a positive, ethical way, borne out of our Christian values. In the past three years we have run several special events, including presentations from guest speakers from the ACMA and the police force. Last year we ran a program where Secondary students prepared material and activities to educate Primary students about being safe and responsible online. Digital citizenship and cyber safety are also an important part of our ongoing curriculum, including in Christian Life Studies where we reflect on how Biblical teaching guides us in how we use technology to build up rather than tear down.

This is just a broad overview of some of the excellent work we do at Northside. I hope it is encouraging to know that we are proactive in preparing your child for the technology-rich world they live in. We are very proud that Northside teachers are being invited to share their expertise and innovations at several prestigious teaching and learning conferences. We are getting a name for being thoughtful, effective and innovative leaders in digital learning. Your children are in good hands!
ENSEMBLES
It’s been a busy first term here in the Music Department! This year we have launched 5 ensembles including, Year 7 Band, Year 8 Band, Year 9/10/Chapel Band, Vocal Group and our Year 12 band. It’s been exciting and encouraging to see students come together and learn how to build up a performance from scratch, playing as an ensemble.

PRIMARY MUSIC
We welcome our wonderful new Primary Music Teacher Mrs Bronwyn Pierce. Mrs Pierce has great experience teaching music. She is excited to join us and to teach the Primaries some wonderful things using lots of singing, movement and body percussion to assist the children in internalising a variety of musical elements.

SECONDARY MUSIC
Our Year 7 and 8 students are currently working on their STOMP projects in Music class. Students are finding objects all around them (including office equipment, playground equipment, branches etc) and together with several other classmates, they are slowly building their composition, paying attention to tone colour and texture, rhythm and melody.

Our Year 9 and 10 students have been growing in their understanding of how the PA system works and have been learning how to set up and pack down sound equipment that will be useful for performances of chosen songs that reflect their personal level of faith and understanding of God.

Our Year 12 students are well underway in their big year, preparing final performances of pieces from composers and artists such as Bach, Beethoven, Chopin, Chick Corea, Alicia Keys, Corinne Bailey Rae, Aretha Franklin and Katie Noonan. We certainly have a talented bunch of senior secondary musicians! They are all working hard to refine their technical and performance skills through a number of in-class workshops across the term.

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC
Our Instrumental Music Program is in full swing with Voice, Flute, Piano, Drums, Electric Guitar, Acoustic Guitar and Bass Guitar lessons all off and running.

There are many wonderful benefits to learning a musical instrument. Some of these include:
- Helps develop brain areas involved in languages and reasoning
- Helps students to think creatively and to problem solve
- Teaches craftsmanship and the importance of hard work as they see how details are put together piece by piece, realising what constitutes good, opposed to mediocre work.
- Teaches the value of sustained effort to achieve excellence and can receive concrete rewards for their hard work.
- Enhances team work skills, with students showing commitment to rehearsals, working together to create a harmonious
- Enhances self-discipline.
- Teaches a young person to conquer fear and to take risks.
- Exposes students to a God given incomparable beauty.

I would encourage students, alongside their parents to consider beginning instrumental lessons.

If you have any enquiries, questions or concerns, or you wish for your child to begin lessons in Term 2 or 3, please collect an enrolment form from the school office and pass onto office staff OR Miss Elise de Haan. Otherwise, contact Miss Elise de Haan via email: edehaan@ncc.vic.edu.au.

Thank you all for supporting to smooth running, and the growth and development of our music department.

Happy Music-making!
Miss Elise de Haan
Strength & Direction for Life

Prep   Grade 1   Grade 2   Grade 3   Grade 4   Grade 5   Grade 6   Prep   Grade 1   Grade 2   Grade 3   Grade 4   Grade 5   Grade 6

Prep, Yr One and Yr Two Swimming Carnival

On Thursday the 19th of March the Preps, Grade Ones and Grade Twos went to WaterMarc in Greensborough for their Swimming Carnival. The kids had a fabulous time and everyone tried their best. When the students arrived at the pool they started their races of freestyle, backstroke, with a kickboard and had an egg and spoon relay. After that, they went on the big playground, and then raced down the big slides. We finished the day with an awards ceremony. Livingstone came in first place, followed by Taylor in second place, then Montgomery and Liddel. We would like to say a big thank you to all the parents that came along and another thank you to Mrs Venegas and Mr Leslie for organising such a great event.

- Mrs Taya Shevchuk

The Buddies Program

During the Prep Orientation Program last year, the Grade Fives welcomed their new little buddies by having a Teddy Bears' Picnic.

This year the Grade Six students have their very own buddy to care for. Under the Big Buddy's supervision, the Preps are allowed to use their iPad to practice writing the letters, shapes and numbers they've been learning in class. The Preps really look forward to Buddy time and it can often form a bond that lasts way beyond just this first year in Prep.

- Mrs Olivia Tucci

National Young Leaders Day

Six primary student leaders travelled with both Mrs Lowe and Mrs Tan into the city to The Melbourne Convention Centre to attend the National Young Leaders Day (NYLD).

They were encouraged in their leadership role by speakers such as Bindi Irwin, Andy Griffiths (famous Australian author of children's books), Dr Jessica Gallagher (female Paralympian in 2010), Coen Ashton (Pride of Australia in 2011) and Mick Martin, the Founder of Halogen Foundation (organisers of the event).

Today was an exciting day learning all about leadership and what I need to do, to complete my role as a house captain.

- Kasey

I loved seeing famous people and learning their stories, their struggles and much more. My favourite part of the day would be all of it; the stories and the games. I wish the whole school could have been here to join us on this day!

- Joel

I loved seeing Bindi Irwin, definitely my favourite speaker. She was very down to earth and when someone asked what she did in her free time she answered and then asked them the same question. I wish that more Year 5/6s could have been there.

- Laura

I enjoyed seeing celebrities and learning about leadership. The stories that the speakers told about themselves were very inspiring.

- Joseph

I enjoyed watching Coen Ashton because he gave me inspiration to be strong and believe in yourself and that everything that you want to do is possible.

- Michael

I loved seeing all the inspiring speakers. My two favourite speakers were Andy Griffiths and Bindy Irwin. They both told us about not going big at the start they both said go from small to big.

- Dasun

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April 2015
**ART DEPARTMENT**

EXPRESS YOURSELF!

This term primary classes created artworks based on FASHION! The BIG QUESTIONS discussed each lesson were "Can Fashion Be Art?" "Does Fashion belong in Art Galleries?" Students designed T-Shirts, created canvas shoe art, Top Hats, Party Dresses and Shirts, expressing their ideas and discovering their 'Inner Designer'! Mixed media, including collage, painting, scratch Art, drawing and painting were used to create stunning clothing designs. These artworks will be showcased in our Library foyer in term 2. Come and see for yourselves...surely these 'fashion' statements are fit for an Art Gallery? Maybe Jean Paul Gaultier will use the ideas in his future Sidewalk to Catwalk exhibition? We'll just have to wait and see!

*Mrs Veljanovski*

*Primary Art Teacher*

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**Grade 3 Learns To Sew**

This term the Grade 3’s have been learning the ins and outs of using a sewing machine. They have learnt the major parts of the machine and over the past few weeks they have practiced sewing straight lines and decorating material with our names. This week was the most exciting of them all, as we began sewing the parts of our library bag together after we chose material and cord in to use.

*Mr Chris Simmons*

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**“Christmas in July” for the NCC Operation Christmas Child shoebox collection**

Bless a child in the Pacific Rim with the gift of educational supplies, clothing, toys and special items. Help us reach our 200 box target by the end of July!

Due to the general busy-ness of the end of the school year and the need for the Mission Team to focus on fundraising during Semester Two, we thought it would be fun to have Christmas in the middle of the year.

Please consider packing your own shoeboxes during the April or July school holidays and bringing them to school as soon as possible. Primaries will be collecting weekly starting in Term Two for “school” shoeboxes. Secondary students are encouraged to pack with their family or contribute items. Pre-printed shoe boxes and brochures itemizing items to pack will be available in the foyer after the April holidays. Pre-packed shoeboxes will still be collected up to the October deadline but no all-school boxes will be prepared after July. Many thanks to those who have already contributed items for this annual project.

*Mrs Lenna Waters*
**Northside Secondary News**

**Brain Dissection**

Future surgeons, medical practitioners, researchers and many more had this great opportunity.

This term Year 9 Science students at NCC have been focusing on Biology. On Thursday 18th of March, they had the opportunity to dissect a sheep brain during their laboratory work in class. This practical work enabled them to gain direct experience in the skill of dissection, while learning about the biology of the nervous system. Students worked in groups of three. Having put on lab coats, protective glasses and gloves, the students familiarised themselves with the whole brain. Everyone had the chance to hold it, look at it closely, to touch and smell it. There was of course some initial squeamishness! But very quickly they all got stuck in and really enjoyed themselves. Students were excited and learnt a great deal about the various parts of brain and its functions.

Mrs Susan Varghese

“I really enjoyed the prac of the dissection of the sheep’s brain. I mostly enjoyed poking it but apart from that, I enjoyed learning about the different parts of the brain while looking and observing the different parts for myself. One of the most challenging things about this prac was: the brain was hard to slice because it was pretty slippery and also still frozen. I learnt that all of the parts of the brain even the little tiny parts of tissue have great importance. The best part of the prac was seeing and feeling the parts of the brain that we keep getting told about. I really liked this prac”.

- Olivia Lynn (Year 9 Student)

**Year 9/10 Options class - Environmental Science**

This year, for the first time, NCC has offered a course in Environmental Science to Yr 9 and 10 students. The course currently has 11 students enrolled. The course is dominated by non-classroom based learning, focussing on what it means to achieve ecologically sustainable life-styles, and specifically, how to get ‘From Here, To There’.

Students are developing skills with regard to ‘civics and citizenship’ under the AusVELS curriculum; understanding their own ‘rights’ and ‘responsibilities’ as citizens of their local and global communities. They are actively creating and strengthening social relationships as they work not only with their class mates, but also with members of the broader school community, and the community beyond the school gate. Their aim is to find opportunities to serve their community in pursuit of ways to activate the principles of sustainable development. Areas of sustainable living at NCC being investigated across the year are; Water use and water quality, energy use and management in the school, waste minimisation, management and disposal and food production and green spaces. To date, students have begun actively recording all accessible data from around the school. Their goal is to raise the school's sustainability rating under the Victorian Government's 'Sustainable Schools' program. Students have been particularly active in the NCC vegetable patch in recent weeks, under direction from Mrs Waters, preparing beds and planting herbs and vegetables for use by the school community. In Term Two, students will be getting up close and personal with garbage removal trucks, solar panels, water tanks, and gaining water quality testing skills. They’re a good team, and have already begun designing and leading their own projects with enthusiasm and a strong sense of community spirit. They are a blessing to the NCC community!

- Teresa Connelly
Biscuits for the Prison Fellowship

Easter Biscuit Bake

During the past two weeks, secondary students have been busy baking biscuits to contribute to the 65,000 biscuit goal set by Prison Fellowship for their Easter biscuit outreach. The goal is to give every prisoner in Australia a packet of ten homemade biscuits along with a message that they are not forgotten by those “outside” and that there is a God who loves them and has not forgotten them either.

Our students in Home Eco 7/8, Food Tech 9/10, Health and Human Development and staff have baked approximately 55 dozen biscuits to contribute to this worthy cause. It is good to be able to give to others out of our abundance and share God’s love in this way. Thank you to all who contributed to this worthy cause.

Mrs Lenna Waters

GARAGE SALE TO SUPPORT VIETNAM ORPHANAGE MISSIONS PROJECT

Saturday 11th April
8.00am – 3.00pm
112 Cameron Pde Bundoora

The Vietnam Missions Team is hosting a huge garage sale on Saturday 11 April. Proceeds from the sale will go to the $10,000 being raised to support the orphanage and kindergarten renovation projects that students will be doing while on the Nov/Dec trip.

Contributions of good, clean items are sought. Please bring items to Lenna Waters in the Home Eco room between Monday and Friday or speak to her about bringing larger items to her house over the holidays.

Everyone is invited to attend and find a bargain. HUGE amount of craft items: scrapbooking, rubber stamping, quilting fabrics, sewing machine, embroidery, general sewing, etc. etc. Host of other items too many to mention - camping gear, household, kitchen, cookbooks, clothing and much more!

- Mrs Lenna Waters

PARENTS, $100 OF FREE BOOKS FOR YOUR CHILD

We are looking for children who fall into any of the following categories:
- Children who are 4 years old
- Students in Year 8
- Students in Year 12
- Children with a Specific Learning Disorder in both Reading and Written Expression (but not maths)
- Have parents that have not completed high school, or if their highest level of education is high school.

To get the free books your child needs to do a test which can be conducted at the school by consultant psychologist, Jasna Bruce. All student details are kept strictly confidential and are only used as part of a study by Pearson Clinical to standardise the new WISCV and WIATIII tests.

If you are interested please call Jasna on 0403827530. For further details please contact Mrs Furlong.

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Dear Families,

We are excited to be partnering with your school to deliver Outside School Hours Care (OSHC) from Monday 27th April, 2015.

We will partner with your school community to deliver a tailored after care program that is focused on bringing out the very best in kids. The program combines active games with structured and unstructured play, quiet time and a healthy snack. Every day is an adventure led by enthusiastic Camp Australia educators who are on a mission to make kids smile.

Parent Information Session
To help families understand how the program is structured, to meet our educators, and to find out how to make bookings and manage your account, a Parent Information Session will be held at the school.
When: Thursday 16th April, at 6.00pm
Where: Mandarin room

We understand time is valuable to working parents and you may not be able to attend this information night. If this is the case, please visit www.campaustralia.com.au and use the school finder to find out all you need to know about the program.

Register and Book
Through your school page on our website you can request an information pack, or register and book your children into the program.

If you have any further questions, you can call our friendly Customer Service Team from Monday to Friday (8.00am – 6.00pm AEST) on 1300 105 343.

We look forward to seeing you in OSHC soon!

Yours sincerely,

Sonia De Propertis
Camp Australia
Regional Manager