Family Fun Expo
WOW!

What a wonderful turn out to join in the activities at the Family Fun Expo. It certainly exceeded our expectations, hence there was a bit of a line up at the registration desk and a dash out to get more sausages! A big thanks goes to our parents who stepped up to help Mr Daly with the hurly burly at the barbecue. Thanks also to Genevieve House for the very popular belly dancing workshop.

Thank you to everyone who came along to participate, put on activities, shared information about their services for families, and helped make the school ready for the event. Teachers were very happy to have so many parents coming in to share in the activities in and out of the classrooms, and with such big interest shown are looking forward to an even bigger event next time (with a bigger entrance and registration table and more Girl Guide biscuits!).

We were lucky to have a fine, if chilly, day, and such strong support from our school’s community. It is indicative of a vital new School Community Association which will recommence after the June Holiday break. We look forward to the Learning Club and Dad’s Group next term, and trust everyone is a little more aware of ways to help foster happy, healthy childhoods and families through parenting programs like PACE, opportunities from neighbourhood houses and LINC library and learning services and associations like Girl Guides. And what fun it is to do STUFF together.

A last special thank you must go to Carl Bulow and the music students from Alanvale Polytechnic. What fabulous entertainment we were treated to and we certainly look forward to having them back in our school.

See you all again next time,
Carol Boyd, Launching into Learning Teacher

From the Principal’s desk.....

Here we are at the end of a very busy term, and what a productive and positive term it has been. Our new Gymnasium is certainly coming along and is quite imposing on our school landscape. We can start to visualize what a great facility this will be for our school and our community.

We have had some fabulous community events this term, with our Cross Country Carnival, always a popular event, our initial meeting of the reformation of our Parent and Community Group and our Family Expo last week. All of these events enable our school community to actively participate in our school. These events add to the overall richness and positivity of our school life. Thanks to all those people who have taken the time to be involved in one or all of these activities, and thanks in particular to the staff and parents who have been instrumental in the organization.

Our learning programmes have continued to grow from strength to strength due to the dedication and commitment of our staff who have worked enormously hard to ensure that their teaching is precise, focused and personalized for all children. Staff have been making special comment at the rate of individual achievements that have been a direct result of this precision. They are all deserving of a well earned holiday to help re-energize themselves and to plan the next learning sequences.

I hope you all have a happy and healthy term break!

Regards
Vicki Mackrill, Principal

Mayfield School Community Association
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speaking, listening, reading, writing and creating

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Drawing, writing and reading about our news and experiences.
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Exploring, constructing, sharing and talking about our creations.

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3 Members Each Team
The winning team’s nominated MALE will win 3 months free memberships in participating gyms.

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