Subject and Voluntary Contributions 2013

Dear Parents,

Beaumaris Primary School receives a high level of support from families through the payment of student charges and voluntary contributions. This financial support enables our school to provide a wide range of curriculum programs, and maintain and develop facilities and services that would otherwise not be possible given the school’s limited financial resources. In order to offer great educational experiences for students, the School Council has decided on the student charges and voluntary contributions for 2013 as set out on the payment schedule (see over).

The student charge pays for essential educational items, the excursion levy and the swim safety and survival program.

The voluntary contributions assist with the provision of learning technologies, art and library materials, performing arts materials, facilities enhancement, grounds maintenance and other much needed resources. Voluntary contributions to the Library and Building Trusts are tax deductible and non-refundable.

With your financial support School Council is investigating options to refurbish our older learning spaces and is developing a plan for this project. Your support will also enable the purchase of further ICT resources and the continued development of the Kitchen Garden and Sustainability program and maintenance of the school building and grounds.

Over the last three years, voluntary contributions, donations and fundraising have been vital in enabling us to continually improve the learning environment for our students. These improvements include:

- Installation of new equipment, including cabinetry, wiring, plumbing, stoves, range hood, fridges and microwaves in the Susan Arnts Learning Centre to support cooking and science programs and incidental hospitality for parents.
- Following an audit of ICT equipment and discussion at School Council to establish the school’s priorities, the school purchased mobile interactive whiteboards, thirty one note books housed in mobile trolleys and twenty five desktops in classrooms to bring 21st century learning tools into classrooms and support flexible, personalised student learning. IT data cabling has also been upgraded in conjunction with improving the school’s delivery of ICT programs to students.
- Learning centre resources, literacy and mathematics resources, furniture and storage, expansion of the prep learning space, refurbishing the Japanese Room and additional display boards adjacent to the Art room.

Families who do not have an immediate capacity to pay are also able to enter into alternative and confidential payment arrangements with the school. Should you require information about financial assistance please contact the Principal, Sheryl Skewes or Business Manager, Catherine Lamb on 9589 2619. Payment plans are available on request to suit your needs; please see the Business Manager, Catherine Lamb.

Sheryl Skewes
Principal

Michael Scott
School Council President
FAMILY NAME: ________________________________

STUDENT’S NAME: ________________________________ YEAR: ________

1. ____________________________________________ 2. ____________________________________________ 3. ____________________________________________

Section 1 - Essential Education Items

1. Student charge – includes essential education items, excursion levy, swimming /water safety program, Mathletics and Literacy Planet. $510.00 x ______ No. of students = ______

2. Sport & Activities Levy: Year 4 $40.00 x ______ No. of students = ______

Years 5 & 6 $150.00 x ______ No. of students = ______

Payable to Beaumaris Primary School Sub Total Section 1 $ ______

Section 2 - Voluntary Financial Contributions

1. Building Maintenance Trust Donation (Tax deductible and non refundable) Eg $100.00 x ______ = ______

2. Library Trust Fund (Tax deductible and non refundable) Eg $50.00 x ______ = ______

3. Information and Communication Technology (ICT) Levy (Non refundable) Eg $100.00 x ______ = ______

4. Grounds Levy (Non refundable) Eg $50.00 x ______ = ______

Payable to: Beaumaris Primary School Sub Total Section 2 $ ______

Total Section 1 and 2 $ ______

Payments can be made by cash, cheque or credit card (Eftpos, Visa, Master Card).

Card Number: ________________ ________________ ________________ ________________ ________________ ________________ ________________

Expiry Date: __________/_________ CVV: (Last 3 digits on back of card) ______ Amount: ________________

Cardholder’s Name: ______________________________ Signature of cardholder: ______________________________

Telephone No: ______________________________

Office use only:

Processed by: ______________________________ Transaction date: ______________________________

Payment plans available on request; please see the Business Manager, Catherine Lamb. Direct payments can be made; please contact Catherine Lamb on 9589 2619 for details.