

Word from the Board

March 2012

What a great success the school gala was this year. We had beautiful weather and we were well supported by our local community. Big thanks to the FUNdraisers and their team of helpers. Without the support of the FUNdraisers, teachers, support staff, Mrs Taylor and school families we cannot run this exciting event. This year the Fundraisers really struggled for helpers, which put a lot of stress and pressure on those that did offer their time. These events take a lot of planning and need a lot of your support, so please do offer your support and help us all to enjoy the fundraising events together. All our students will benefit from all your hard work and the profit of approximately \$8000 will help complete our hall makeover. Thank You and Well Done.

In 2012 we are trialling something different. We are charged with reporting to you on your child's progress against the National Standards. All parents will still get two written reports but they will come at different times of the year. A notice outlining how this will all work will be sent home over the next week. Please read it carefully and if you have any questions please ask your classroom teacher or pop in and speak to either Margaret or Jan.

We have a new Gardening Club at Bellevue with members of staff, students and parents.

They have the following mission statement:

Gardening Club Mission~

To create an environment that is sustainable, welcoming and enjoyable for all Bellevue students and staff, where they can learn and play among trees and gardens. A club that enables students to become more caring and curious about the world around them, by taking care of, and showing respect for their environment.

Good luck with all you plans and we look forward to your growing crops.

Kind Regards

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