On March 2 - 4 this year the Council of International Schools (CIS) held a Symposium in Hong Kong that focused on intercultural understanding and international mindedness.

I submitted a paper with Amanda McLean the principal of Caulfield Junior College and we were one of four presenters over the two days of the conference. Our focus was the Ways of knowing – What it means to be internationally minded and how that translates to the classroom.

We talked about the Australian Curriculum and the intercultural competences that will be assessed as capabilities in the Victorian Curriculum. Our presentation made direct links with classroom practice. We introduced the concept of the ‘third space’, which allows students to explore confronting and uncomfortable ideas about values, beliefs and understandings in a non-threatening, non-judgmental learning environment. In this space children can explore why they believe what they believe, and listen to the beliefs and understandings of others. The focus is on their values. At Brighton Primary School we acknowledge children demonstrating our PYP attitudes through the presentation of awards at our Monday morning assembly.

To create the ‘third space’ the skill of the teacher is to promote inquiry, suspend judgment and not impart their own views. This helps children to understand that people can have different views and still be right. In the 21st century children need to understand that opinion and views is not either/or (black or white thinking). It is about acknowledging that it can be both/and, and there are many shades of grey.

Our presentation was well received by participants because we demonstrated practical processes that educators from Singapore to Thailand and China could translate to their own schools and classrooms.

Our strand of the conference was facilitated by Eeqbal Hassim from the Asia Education Foundation based at the University of Melbourne facilitated the conference. Ray Davies the CEO of the Council of International Schools attended our session. Both Eeqbal and Ray commented that our presentation translated theory into practice.
MONDAY MORNING ASSEMBLY
11th April 2016

Parents are welcome to attend our Friday morning assemblies on the Junior Oval at 9.00am.

Congratulations to next Monday’s PYP Attitudes award recipients:

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Lost Property

Lost property is stored in the cupboard near the Uniform Shop.

Please check through it if anything goes missing.

Occational Health
and Safety

If you notice a potential OH&S issue around the school please report it to the office ASAP so that it can be addressed.

Bill Kolivas
Facilities Manager

School Banking

School banking is well under way!

Bank books need to be delivered to the Staff Room as close to 9am as possible.

Parents

Log on to Compass every week to ensure you are up to date with excursion notices!!

We don’t want anyone to miss out!!
**UNIFORM SHOP NEWS**

Trading hours  
Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday  
3.00-4.00pm

FYI Lost Property will be recycled if unclaimed at the end of term.

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**CANTEEN ROSTER**

**Times:** 9.30am - 11.30am (1) & 11.30am - 1.30pm (2)

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All parents are welcome to help us out and you can call us on 9539 7131 to sign up.

Look forward to seeing you.  
Caly, Marie and Belinda

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Brighton Primary School will be phasing out

Konnective

From Term 2 all news will be communicated via the Compass News Feed

Download the App and you will receive updates wherever you are!

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Do **NOT** forget …

**Thursday 24 March**

school finishes at 2.30pm after the final assembly at 2.00pm

**Term 2 begins …**

**Monday 11 April**
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Holiday Tennis Clinics 2016

2 WEEKS OF TENNIS & SOCCER!

- Week 1: Wed 30th March, Thurs 31st March & Fri 1st April
- Week 2: Mon 4th April – Fri 8th April.

TENNIS
Half Day Options Available Everyday for all Ages
- 9:00-11:00: Hot Shots Mini (4-5yrs)
- 9:00-12:00: Hot Shots Red (6yrs)
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5:00PM – 8:00PM
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Kathryn Harby Williams
Former Australian Netball Captain & dual Commonwealth Game Gold Medalist
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Time and Location:

Tuesday 19th April 2016
at 7:45pm
Brighton Baptist Church
144 Bay Street
BRIGHTON
Corner Bay & Cochrane Streets

The evening commences with coffee, tea and dessert

To find out more contact

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FOR ALL NEW STUDENTS

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Level 1, 331 Jasper Rd Ormond VIC 3204
The Murray Family wish to share their gratitude for the enormous outpouring of support they have received since Will sustained a serious neck injury in January 2016 and invite you to join them at

WHERE THERE’S A WILL
COMMUNITY DAY

WILL YOU JOIN US?

WHERE THERE’S A WILL
THERE’S A WAY

SAT APR 16
STARS 2PM FINISH 7PM
SANDRINGHAM ATHLETICS TRACK
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Come along and enjoy a relaxing afternoon of music and entertainment, great food, drinks, community amusements, sports activities, stalls, raffles, merchandise sales, and a raft of fundraising opportunities, with all proceeds to the Will Murray Trust.

HOSTED BY
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Extremely limited parking available, so please consider public transport or walking, riding, or running to the venue!

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE VISIT wheretheresawill.com.au
## Brighton Primary School

**Wilson Street Brighton VIC 3186**

0423 793 664 (07:30-18:30)

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<td>Jewel of the Nile - There are so many special treasures hidden in the jungle, speak to the onsite Coordinator to find out what exciting fun awaits, in a specially designed program.</td>
<td>$63.90</td>
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<td>Tuesday 29 March 2016</td>
<td>Rocky Art - Make a Tie Dye T-shirt - inspired by RockStars of the Jungle, like our good friend George!</td>
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<td>Wednesday 30 March 2016</td>
<td>My Tree-Top Treehouse - Clip 'n Climb - We'll be reaching more than great heights today in a visually exciting arena - the first of its kind in Australia!</td>
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<td>Thursday 31 March 2016</td>
<td>Puzzling Animals - 3D Animal Puzzles - Today we'll be the ones getting puzzled, building and decorating our own iconic animal puzzles.</td>
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<td>Monday 4 April 2016</td>
<td>Spots &amp; Stripes Spectacular - I spy with my little eye... Let's look at all the amazing colours and patterns in the jungle! Speak to the onsite Coordinator to find out what exciting fun awaits.</td>
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<td>Tuesday 5 April 2016</td>
<td>Jungle Rumble - Make an erupting Volcano - Today we're making the rumble to put in the jungle!</td>
<td>$82.40</td>
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<td>Wednesday 6 April 2016</td>
<td>Lost Treasure - Make a Mandala - Create a hidden treasure inspired by the beautiful (wild) world around us.</td>
<td>$81.40</td>
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<td>Thursday 7 April 2016</td>
<td>Urban Jungle - At the Movies - Zootopia - Join Judy Welcome to the mammalian metropolis!</td>
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<td>Friday 1 April 2016</td>
<td>Call of the Wild - It's time to jump, run, leap, and dance with the energy of a pack of cheetahs!</td>
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Daily Requirements: Children must bring their own lunch and refreshments (no nut products please), wet weather gear, art smock, and suitable clothing for and active and sunsmart day. An afternoon snack will be provided.
Hello for the last time… in Term 1!

“You remind me of a babe” or a whole roomful of babes – personally the extent of my Bowie knowledge is limited to The Labyrinth but the International really soaked up the theme & it looked amazing!

As I mentioned last week I have a host of people to express my gratitude to but first and foremost to all those who got their stardust on and joined us at the International last Friday!

A personal HUGE thanks to the Lunch Events team, every one of you was so fantastic. Thanks to Fiona Camey & Kate McCann as overall organisers for this event; Andi Swain for sourcing donations and organising the silent auction; Lara Reynolds for arranging the fantastic fashion show; Caroline Moulang for coordinating all the stall holders; and Wish Hill for sorting out the fabulous gift bags. SO as you can see I didn’t have to do a thing...

There was a really wonderful, social & community feel to the whole day… maybe a fraction too social to start… with most of us (embarrassingly myself included) ignoring the wonderful Jan van de Stool’s (aka Queenie) polite request for us to sit down so she could open the show. SORRY JAN! Queenie so generously stepped in to help us out at the last minute (free of charge) and due to time constraints we missed out on seeing the hilarious Jan entertain us with one of her songs. She is on right now at the Comedy Festival doing her show ‘I get the music in you’ if you fancy a laugh.

It was interesting to see how we all listened when our principal got up to speak. A huge thanks to Anny for opening the fashion show, all the mums who were willing to model for Lara’s show & I think everyone would agree that Mr Durham & Mr Lyons fabulous ‘walk off’ really was the highlight of the day.

So many parents volunteered their time to help out the lunch team, Ang Zegir did those gorgeous table floral arrangements & Trish Jeffery designed the artwork. On the day, as well as all the magnificent models themselves, behind the scenes we had Jo Williams & Trish Scandizzo helping us out with hair & Sheridan Graham and Amy Hughes with makeup, Jo Robinson helped to coordinate the running of the show. Thankyou also to Maureen Rodbard-Bean, Samm Brown and Trudi Shepard for helping out with money and payments on the day.

For guests wanting a mini pamper & extra bit of ‘zhuzh’ on the day we had a pop up Style Bar this year! Bilie Minio from Sabuki Salon volunteered to help with that & thanks to Arbonne for providing the makeup.

A huge thankyou to all those who donated prizes to the silent auction, spot prizes and raffle prizes – you can find all those people/ businesses listed separately on the sponsors page. Many were school families – thank you so much for supporting the school!

Now about that Trivia Night date to save… It is looking very much like THE event of Term 2 will indeed be Friday 17th June – so start having a think about how you can coordinate after school sporting activities, to ensure you can make it for an 8pm start! We are giving you almost 3 months to figure it out, so no excuses!!

Enjoy the Easter Break & see you in Term 2!
Jo Gillard – 2016 President FoB
On behalf of Brighton Primary School Community, Thank you

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