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Boarding House Newsletter

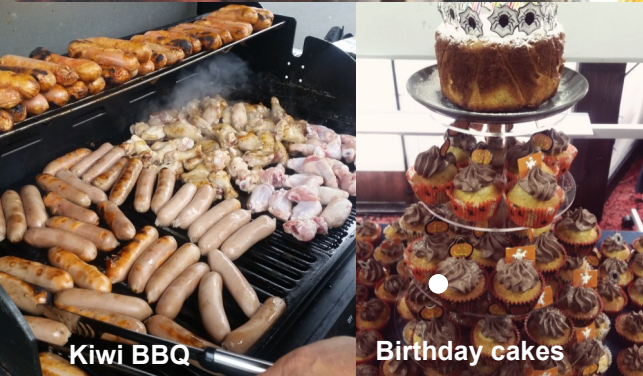
October 2015



Mary and Claud shop for plants!



Jamie found a new dance partner while Halloween Party shopping



Kiwi BBQ

Birthday cakes

Dear Parents and Students

Term 2 is underway and students are well refreshed after their 2 week holiday break.

Over the holiday period we have said goodbye to several staff members. Sophie Hermann, Assistant Manager, has now left boarding to pursue her art career. She has been replaced by Kim Elder. Kim is very much looking forward to working with the students and staff here at Elm Street. Our supervisors—Satoshi, Pardeep and Gimhan have all left to pursue other options. We wish them all well in their future endeavors and thank them for the energy they have put into our boarding family.

We celebrated the end of the school holidays with a 'family' BBQ lunch on Sunday 11th October. Students enjoyed the 'kiwi style' meal which included background music (thanks to Yuya) and 150 cupcakes for celebrating the September and October birthdays.

Mary and Cindy are leading a new CAS activity group and plan to beautify the outdoor area for our boarding girls. Thanks to fundraising and a donation from the school we have extra money for plants.

At the end of October we will celebrate our annual Halloween party. 3 groups of dedicated students have been planning this event for months. The Haunted House team will create a room full of twists, turns, scream sounds and scary things. The café team will produce a range of tasty Halloween food to eat and the decoration team will make the boarding house look spectacularly spooky. Every year the students look forward to this event and this year is no exception.

Our boarding house Facebook Page is a great place for families to keep up to date with boarding events and notices. As the family members of our students you are most welcome to join the page. The address is - <https://www.facebook.com/groups/452054391626497/>

For your information the Boarding House will close for the Christmas holidays on Tuesday 22nd December. All students must have left the boarding house by 3pm on this date. Students are welcome to return to boarding from the morning of Saturday 23rd January 2016.

Have a great week.