Social Skill
This week’s social skill is looking at Setting Goals.
Next week’s skill will be Truthfulness.

Newsletter Feedback
I am interested to receive feedback about the school newsletter—both the short weekly newsletter, and the bigger colour monthly newsletter. Please let me know what you think. Robert Boucher—Principal

Whole School Dates to Remember
Nov 7th -11th Middle Yrs Science Unit
Dec 9th Carols by Candlelight
Dec 20th Celebration Night

Flagstaff Campus Dates to Remember
Nov 15th Cricket Clinic
Dec 5th-9th Gelantipy Camp Year 5/6
Dec 13th Transition Day Year 6

Tambo Campus Dates to Remember
Nov 7th -13th Yr 9 at Typo Station
Nov 17th Yr 12 Dinner
Nov 29th School Council

Swifts Creek School Parents Group
Christmas Raffle:
Money Tree
$2 per ticket or 3 for $5
Tickets attached.

The 126th OMEO SHOW is on again!
Saturday
12TH November 2012
Lots of fun and entertainment for everyone.

WHY NOT ENTER YOUR PET IN THE …

PET show
Bring along your unusu-
al pet!

SHOW SPECIAL
Novelty Cup Cake Compe-
tition

OR
why not bake a cake or slice?

Reading Tips
Use bedtime to read out loud to your kids.
Make it part of the regular routine that signals to your child it is time settle down for the night.
Even if they are in 3rd, 4th and 5th grade, they still enjoy listening to a good book.
Read books that are a bit above their current reading levels, to stretch their vocabularies and encourage them to choose harder books (after listening to you read a book, suggest they try to read a different book by the same author.)
Gourmet Gardening Workshops

Interested in building a healthy and resilient organic gourmet garden?

Come along and enjoy a day of practical learning, from composting to working the soil and picking up tips on growing gourmet food in a home vegetable garden.

1. DESIGN YOUR GOURMET BACKYARD
   Design a one-stop food shop in your own backyard. Design principles of vegetable, garden and orchard – and let’s not forget the chook yard!

2. GROWING TASTY VEGETABLES IN SUSTAINABLE SOILS
   Learn the secrets of soil, the backbone to any great gourmet garden. Understand it, improve it and be rewarded with tasty chemical-free produce.

3. GROWING DELECTABLE FRUIT
   Grow delectable organic fruit in your gourmet garden. Planting, care of trees and pruning made easy.

4. WHAT VEGETABLES TO GROW WHEN
   Discover the secrets great gardeners have with successful vegetable growing. It’s vital to understand individual vegetable needs, crop rotation, best times to plant and the fascinating world of companion planting.

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