

Newsletter

News from Reservoir Primary School

Reservoir
Primary School



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PRINCIPAL'S NOTES

School Tours

It is great to see a number of parents joining our tours on Tuesday mornings. Already our Prep enrolments are beginning to come in for 2014. It seems strange to be talking about this so early, but that's the way things are these days.

If you have a child ready for school next year, please consider enrolling this term. I can then have a confirmed number for our Prep classes in 2014.

Cross Country

Training continues before school this week; this is for all students who fancy themselves as a long distance runner. Some children really enjoy the challenge and aren't aware of their potential till they work at it. A teacher will be out there with them each morning at 8.30am.

By the end of this week we would have a fairly good idea of our team members, and then the more serious training starts. If you see our students running around the block, you will know it's our cross country team training.

School Photos

I am providing you with prior warning about our school photos, so you can avoid making appointments for that day. Photos of all classes and individuals will be on Wednesday 22nd May – first thing in the morning. Please make sure you have that day free of appointments if you want your child in our class and school photos. We cannot change times to suit individuals.

Camp

As our camp is taking place in a few weeks, we will offer a bike education program for those children attending the camp. Your children will be able to tell you more about this in the coming days.

Information for the camp will be sent out today; medical forms and a clothing list.

Climbing Frame

Watch closely; very soon the new climbing tower will be in place for all to enjoy.

Helen Miller

DIARY DATES

3 rd May	Interschool Sport Reservoir Vs Reservoir East (Away)
8 th May	Cross Country at Edwardes Lake for selected students
10 th May	Interschool Sport Reservoir Vs St. Josephs (Home)
17 th May	Interschool Sport Reservoir Vs Thomastown (Home)
20 th May	Education Week commences
22 nd May	School Photos
28 th May	Maldon Camp commences
31 st May	Maldon campers return
3 rd June	School Council Meeting at 7:00pm
7 th June	Interschool Sport Reservoir Vs Reservoir Views (Home)
10 th June	Queen's Birthday (Public Holiday)
14 th June	Interschool Sport Reservoir Vs William Ruthven (Away)
28 th June	Last day of Term 2

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

"Happy Birthday" to



Annelise, Jordan T., Seechu and Adem

who are all celebrating their birthdays this week.

STUDENT OF THE WEEK AWARDS

Congratulations to the following children who were presented with Student of the Week, Achievement & Encouragement Awards last Friday at assembly.

Student of the Week Awards:

Audrey, Yusra, Angus, Jiya, Jolin, Chloe D., Lia, Ataria, Chantelle T., Ricky and Kenji.

Achievement & Encouragement Awards:

Jake, Mathias, Dominic, Hayden, Mishqat, Noura, Sheree, Adib, Sophie, Erica, Esha, Kyrah N., Yashil, Jake and Zach.



INTERSCHOOL SPORTS REPORTS

This Friday in Interschool sport we will be playing against Reservoir East. Netball and Tee-Ball will be played at Reservoir East Primary School and Soccer will be played at Donath Reserve.

When we play an "away" game, all teams travel, and all students need to bring \$5.00 for the bus. When we play a "home" game, netball and Tee-ball play at school. Soccer teams travel to Donath Reserve each week, but no payment is required for "home" games.

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10 th May	Reservoir v St. Josephs	Home
17 th May	Reservoir v Thomastown	Home
7 th June	Reservoir v Reservoir Views	Home
14 th June	Reservoir v William Ruthven	Away

Last Week's Results:

Netball A: It was a warm and sunny day to play our first game of Netball for the Team A girls. Nia shot some great goals in the first and second quarters with some help from Mirna. Noura and Stephanie made some excellent passes, while Elly and Lia showed stunning defence skills. In the end the scores were Reservoir 3 to Kingsbury 10. Even though we sadly lost we all showed amazing team work and fantastic sportsmanship.

Netball B: On Friday we went to Kingsbury Primary School and had a game of Netball. In the first quarter we scored 3 goals by Jenny and in the second quarter we scored 5 again by Jenny and also Yasamin. In the third quarter Emily, Alisa and Sheree scored a goal each. It was very hot but we still kept up the effort. Sharon was a great goal keeper and Ataria was a good centre. 'Eye of the Tiger' was playing which Miss Elsheikhi loved and also we loved

it too. Last quarter we were trying our hardest as we were hot but the final scores were Reservoir Primary 13 and Kingsbury 0. We did a fantastic job.

T-Ball: Wow, what a great day to play a game of Teeball against Kingsbury. We won the toss and decided to field. In the first innings we caught 3 outs in a row by Besi throwing to Alice. Then it was our turn to bat and Alice was first and made a home run. Altogether we got one out. The teacher from Kingsbury said that Besi was the outstanding player of the game with the help from Alice and Zainab. In the last innings Kingsbury started fielding good and got 2 outs. Overall the scores were Kingsbury 9 to Reservoir 43. We won and had a great game.

Soccer: On Friday we had the most exciting game ever! I won the toss and our team started off. We were doing well when the other team accidentally gave us a penalty. Ms B. and the parents gave Julian confidence and he scored a goal. Ms B. was so happy; she was jumping up and down on the sideline. Not knowing much English certainly didn't stop Daghsh from doing a fantastic job as keeper, he saved lots of goals. We were leading 1-0 but then Kingsbury equalized 1-1. They scored again making it 2-1 but we scored again making it 2 all. Unfortunately they scored another lucky goal and we ran out of time to score so Kingsbury won 3-2.

CHILDREN'S BOOK OF THE YEAR AWARDS 2013

The Book of the Year Awards Short List and Notables have been announced.

The Short List in each of the categories is decided at the Judges' Conference after extensive discussion and by secret ballot by the Judges. The Short List usually has six titles in each category. The winner of each category will be announced sometime during Book Week.

Early Childhood Short List 2013

The Terrible Suitcase

Allen, Emma

Illustrated by Freya Blackwood

With Nan

Cox, Tania

Illustrated by Karen Blair

The Pros & Cons of Being a Frog

DeGennaro, Sue

Too Many Elephants in This House

Dubosarsky, Ursula

Illustrated by Andrew Joyner

It's a Miroocool!

Harris, Christine

Illustrated by Ann James

Peggy

Walker, Anna

Picture Book Short List 2013

The Coat

Brooks, Ron Text. Julie Hunt

Tanglewood

Goodman, Vivienne Text. Margaret Wild

Herman and Rosie

Gordon, Gus

Sophie Scott Goes South

Lester, Alison

Lightning Jack

Mullins, Patricia Text. Glenda Millard

A Day to Remember

Wilson, Mark Text. Jackie French

Younger Readers Short List 2013

Pennies for Hitler

French, Jackie

Other Brother

French, Simon

After

Gleitzman, Morris

Children of the King

Hartnett, Sonya

Pookie Aleera is Not my Boyfirend

Herrick, Steven

The Tender moments of Saffron Silk

Millard, Glenda
Stephen Michael King

Older Readers Short List 2013

Grant, Neil ***The Ink Bridge***

Lanagan, Margo ***Sea Hearts***

MacLeod, Doug ***The Shiny Guys***

Touchell, Dianne ***Creepy & Maud***

Wakerfield, Vikki ***Friday Brown***

Zail, Suzy ***The Wrong Boy***

Eve Pownall Award for Information Books Short list 2013

Python

Cheng, Christopher & Jackson, Mark

Lyrebird! A True Story

Kerin, Jackie Illustrated by Gouldthorpe, Peter

Topsy-turvy World: How Australian Animals Puzzled Early Explorers

Murray, Kirsty

Portrait of Spain for Kids

Queensland Art Gallery

Tom the Outback Mailman

Weidenback, Kristin Illustrated by Ide, Timothy

**PRESTON RESERVOIR ADULT COMMUNITY EDUCATION
MERRILANDS COMMUNITY CENTRE, RESERVOIR**

Introduction to AUSLAN

An introduction to the basics of Australian Sign Language (AUSLAN) that will allow you to communicate with members of the Deaf Community in both social and work situations.

Dates: 2 May—20 June 2013

Days: Thursday

Time: 12.30pm—3.00pm

Duration: 8 weeks (includes some homework activities/practice)

Certificate III in Education Support

This qualification will give you the skills and knowledge to provide assistance and support to teachers and students in a range of educational settings.

Dates: 2 May -15 August 2013 (Excludes School Holidays)

Days: Thursday

Time: 10am—3pm

Duration: 14 weeks plus 20 hour practical placement

Enrolment: Please ring to arrange pre-enrolment interview.

**For more details ring PRACE on 9462 6077
or visit our website: www.prace.vic.edu.au**

**PASCOE VALE GIRLS COLLEGE
YEAR 7 – 2014 INFORMATION SESSIONS**

Pascoe Vale Girls College invites prospective students and their parents to attend one of our information sessions at our College. You will have the opportunity to meet College leaders and hear about our curriculum and programs offered to our students. This will be followed by a tour of the College. The information sessions will occur on the following days at 11:00am:

- **Tuesday 30th April**
- **Thursday 2nd May**

An evening session is also available commencing at 7:00pm on:

- **Wednesday 1st May**

Bookings are essential. Please phone the College on 9306 2544 to reserve a place.

**MACLEOD COLLEGE
YEAR 7, 2014
HIGH ACHIEVERS TEST
WEDNESDAY MAY 29TH 2013
2PM – 4PM**

Application forms available on the Macleod College website www.macleod.vic.edu.au

Or
Contact the General Office 94590222 to have one mailed to you.

WOOLWORTHS EARN AND LEARN

Woolworths “earn and learn” is back again. Last year we were able to order some wonderful resources through this program.

It is easy. When shopping at Woolworths collect the stickers, attach the sticker to the sheets (available from the store) and place the completed sheet in the box outside the office.



VICTORIA POLICE PIPE BAND

The Victoria Police Pipe Band is a traditional Scottish Bagpipe Band. They take part in many police, community and corporate events throughout the year. The Victoria Police Pipe Band has travelled all over Australia and to many other countries.

We were very fortunate to have had them visit all our students and perform for us.

Here are some photographs we wish to share with you.

The drum is a member of the percussion group of musical instruments.

Can you name a type of drum?

Bass, Bongo.....



A traditional uniform worn by the band e.g. tartan kilt, purse, blue socks and shoes etc.



Some students and teachers performing in front of a large audience ‘Bob the builder, can we fix it?’

- Tunes played:
- Bob the builder
 - Happy Birthday to you
 - Star Wars theme
 - Eminem
 - Cat Walk
 - Traditional Scottish tunes
 - Footy club theme songs



Drums come in all shapes, sizes and types.



**RESERVOIR PRIMARY SCHOOL
NEW CHESS SETS**

It's great to see the students enjoying our new chess sets!



SUBWAY LUNCH ORDERS 2013

Subway lunches are on **FRIDAYS ONLY** - orders are collected on **THURSDAY at 9.00am**

Place money and order in an envelope or bag marked clearly with child's name and Group and give to the classroom teacher. **Separate orders are required for each child. Correct money is required, no change will be given.**

Please note that Subway do not put butter on their rolls.

**** PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU CIRCLE WHICH NUMBER YOU WISH TO ORDER – YOU ALSO NEED TO CIRCLE WHAT SALAD ITEMS YOU WOULD LIKE**

CHILD'S NAME GROUP

1.	Six inch Vegetarian Delight Sub: Cheese Lettuce Tomato Cucumber Carrot Salt / Pepper Mayonnaise	\$4.20
2.	Six inch Sub: Ham Cheese Lettuce Tomato Cucumber Carrot Salt / Pepper Mayonnaise	\$4.40
3	Six inch Sub: Chicken Pieces Cheese Lettuce Tomato Cucumber Carrot Salt / Pepper Mayonnaise	\$6.00
4.	Six inch Sub: Roast Beef Cheese Lettuce Tomato Cucumber Carrot Salt / Pepper Mayonnaise	\$5.40
5.	Six inch Sub: BMT (Salami & Ham) Cheese Lettuce Tomato Cucumber Carrot Salt / Pepper Mayonnaise	\$5.50
6.	Six inch Sub: CLUB (Ham, Turkey & Roast Beef) Cheese Lettuce Tomato Cucumber Carrot Salt / Pepper Mayonnaise	\$5.50
7.	Four Inch Sub: Ham Cheese Lettuce Tomato Cucumber Carrot Salt / Pepper Mayonnaise	\$3.90
8.	Four Inch Sub: Turkey Cheese Lettuce Tomato Cucumber Carrot Salt / Pepper Mayonnaise	\$3.90
9.	Four Inch Sub: Roast Beef Cheese Lettuce Tomato Cucumber Carrot Salt / Pepper Mayonnaise	\$3.90
10.	Four Inch Sub: Chicken Pieces Cheese Lettuce Tomato Cucumber Carrot Salt / Pepper Mayonnaise	\$4.40
11.	80 cents for a Cookie	.80
	TOTAL money enclosed	\$

Please Note: Late orders will not be accepted