Newsletter

News from Reservoir Primary School



No: 23 6th August, 2013

PRINCIPAL'S NOTES

Parent Opinion Surveys

Thank you to all the parents who returned the parent surveys so promptly.

Book Fair

Our annual Book Fair is on this week. Details are attached.

Safety Tip for the Week

(and colouring page attached)

Crossing between parked cars

It is dangerous for children to cross between parked cars, however when this is the only choice they should be taught to:

- select a gap between two cars which have no drivers.
- make sure the gap is not big enough for a car to park.
- walk to the outside corner of the car and stop where drivers can see the pedestrian and the pedestrian can see the traffic (i.e. in line with the outside edge of the cars).
- use the systematic checking both ways search strategy before crossing the road.

Teaching Candidates

We have five teacher candidates from University of Melbourne in our school at the moment. Under the guidance of their mentors (our classroom teachers), they will be teaching your children for lessons and particular parts of the day. These placements in our school are part of their teacher training, providing the opportunity to observe, learn and put into practice excellent teaching practices. Children in groups 1, 2, 8, 10 and 11 have probably already told you about their "extra teacher".

Helen Miller Principal

SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR STARTING TODAY....... 6TH AUGUST AT 3:30PM

It's time again for our annual Scholastic Book Fair!!!! Parents and children are all welcome to attend.

Every item that is bought at the Book Fair benefits our school!! So join us in making our Book Fair a huge success. Last year we received \$995 worth of books for our Library from the sales made at the Book Fair, which was our best result ever.

There will be lots of books available, discounted books, posters, gift packs and novelty items so come along and have a look.

With every book sale you get a raffle ticket and the raffle will be drawn at Assembly (August 16th) after the Book Fair finishes.

Check the diary dates for the opening times of the Book Fair

Some items do sell out quickly but we are able to re-order books and these are always available the week after the Book Fair closes.

Payments can be made in cash. Eftpos facilities are also available for puchases of \$20.00 or more.

DIARY DATES

6 th August	Book Fair Commences 3:30pm				
7 th August	Book Fair	8:30am – 9:00am 3:30pm – 4:00pm			
8 th August	Book Fair	8:30am – 9:00am 3:30pm – 4:00pm			

9 th August	Book Fair	8:30am – 9:00am 3:30pm – 4:00pm		
	Basketball Round Robin Years 3 & 4			
12 th August	Pit Gymnastics – Prep to Year 6			
13 th August	Group 6 visit the Reservoir Library			
14 th August	Group 6/10 - Excursion to Old Treasury Building & Captain Cook's Cottage			
15 th August	Group 11/12 - Excursion to Old Treasury Building & Captain Cook's Cottage			
16 th August	Basketball Round Robin Years 5 & 6			
	Group 10 & 12 visit Reservoir Library			
19 th August	Pit Gymnastics – Prep to Year 6			
20 th August	Group 11 visit Reservoir Library			
22 nd August	Group 8 & 9 visit Reservoir Library			
26 th August	Book Week commences Pit Gymnastics – Prep to Year 6			
27 th August	Book Activity D	ay		
28 th August	Book Character Parade			
29 th August	Favourite Book Sharing			
2 nd Sept.	Pit Gymnastics – Prep to Year 2			
	School Council	Meeting 7:00pm		
4 th Sept <mark>ember</mark>	Author Visit to s	school		
9 th Sept.	Pit Gymnastics – Prep to Year 2			
20 th Sept.	Last day of Term 3			

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

"Happy Birthday" to



Mishqat, Jiya and Kloe C.

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, Encouragement & Achievement Awards on Friday at assembly:

Saeed, Ageel, Giovanna, Annelise, Prince, Sharon, Irene, Casey, Alice, Abdullah, Eliza, Sajada, Laila, Simon, Hayden, Edward, Lia, Emily T., Daniel L. H., Bridgette, Zeynep, Izabella D., Hussain, Isabella T., Jianing, Noura, Michelle L., Eliza and Angelica.

WANTED!!!!

The Art Room is in need of clean meat trays!! If you are able to assist please leave at the office.

Thank you.

CITY OF DAREBIN ABCD GROUP PARENTING ADOLESCENTS

Would you like to:

- Have a better understanding of adolescent behaviour?
- Communicate effectively with your teen?
- Learn to negotiate boundaries and limits?
- Strengthen your relationship with your children?

Darebin Family Services is running ABCD in Term 3. This group is information and discussion based, with practical strategies for parents who have adolescent children aged 11-18.

Start Date: Tuesday 20th August for five consecutive weeks.

Time: 10:00am – 12:30pm

Cost: Free

Venue: Northcote Town Hall, 187 High Street, Northcote.

3070

Phone: Haidee or Sally on 9481 9520

Please Note:

- Child Care is not available.
- Participants are expected to attend all sessions.
- Participants must attend brief meeting with group facilitators to register.

Book Activity Day - 27th August

The Book Week theme in 2013 is 'Read Across The Universe'.

Each year many schools and public libraries from all over Australia spend a week celebrating books and Australian authors and Illustrators.

At Reservoir Primary it has been a tradition that our teachers develop activities and tell stories relating to a theme to highlight the importance of reading.

The children are mixed in groups ranging from Prep to Year 6 for the day and have fun meeting other students and teachers while completing a variety of activities carefully planned by our teachers for their enjoyment and appreciation of the story book.

Happy reading everyone!



Book Character Parade – 28th August

Book Week is all about celebrating books and to add to the excitement we often include a dress up day. Students and teachers come dressed as their favourite book character.

Costumes for our 'Book Character Parade' could be made from just simple pieces of clothing or items you may have at home e.g. belts, scarves, hats, headbands, boxes, leggings to name a few.

We prefer that parents don't use hired costumes. It's much more fun when we make them with love and with your child in mind.

The entire community comes together to honour authors and illustrators and the stories they create in hope of instilling the importance of reading.







Share your favourite book – 29th August

We all love reading and you know there's nothing like sharing a good book. As children hear their favourite stories over and over the stories and language become part of their lives.

Reading books to children lets them catch your enthusiasm for reading.

On Thursday the 29th of August all students and teachers are asked to bring along their favourite book to share with a friend. It can be one that appeals to their imagination or one that will be enjoyed by all.

Maria Phokos

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
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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 S	Sub: Chicl	cen Pieces					40.00
	Cheese	Lettuce	Tomato	Cucumber	Carrot	Salt / Pepper	Mayonnaise	\$6.00
4.	Six inch S	Sub: Roas	t Beef					45.40
	Cheese	Lettuce	Tomato	Cucumber	Carrot	Salt / Pepper	Mayonnaise	\$5.40
5.	Six inch S	Sub: BMT	(Salami &	Ham)				CE EO
	Cheese	Lettuce	Tomato	Cucumber	Carrot	Salt / Pepper	Mayonnaise	\$5.50
6.	Six inch S	Sub: CLUE	3 (Ham, Tu	rkey & Roast	Beef)			¢5 50
	Cheese	Lettuce	Tomato	Cucumber	Carrot	Salt / Pepper	Mayonnaise	\$5.50
7.	Four Inch	Sub: Ham						\$3.90
	Cheese	Lettuce	Tomato	Cucumber	Carrot	Salt / Pepper	Mayonnaise	φ3.30
8.	Four Inch Sub: Turkey							\$3.90
	Cheese	Lettuce	Tomato	Cucumber	Carrot	Salt / Pepper	Mayonnaise	ψ0.50
9.		Sub: Roas						\$3.90
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	TOTAL money enclosed							

Please Note: Late orders will not be accepted