



# Reservoir View

Thursday 7th March 2019

## Important Dates to Note—Term 1, 2019

# **Monday 11th March**

**Monday 25th March-**Wednesday 27th March Friday 5th April **Tuesday 23rd April** 

# **Labour Day-Public Holiday** (no students at school)

4/5/6 Waratah Beach Camp

Last Day Term One 2.30pm finish First Day Term Two

## **Second-hand Uniform**

We have some second-hand uniform for sale—\$5 per piece

Dresses - Sizes 4 and 12 Bomber Jackets - Sizes 4, 6 and 8 Jumpers - Sizes 4, 6, 8 and 10 Also lots of pants and shorts available

If you are interested please come to the office.

# **CSEF**

If you hold a current Heath Care Card, please do not forget to apply for the CSEF (Camp, Sports and Excursion Fund).

Forms can be collected from the office.

Dear Parent and carers,

**Congratulations** to all our students who represented our school at the District Athletics Day. We have a quite a few students who have made into the next level . Overall we came third. Well done to everyone.

## **Labour Day Holiday on Monday for Victorians**

**Labour Day** is a public holiday in Australia that was originally called 'Eight Hours Day'. This holiday is commemorated on different dates in the Australian States.

In ACT, New South Wales and South Australia, Labour Day takes place on the first Monday in October. In Northern Territory and Queensland, the public holiday is on the first Monday in May. It is celebrated on the second Monday in March in Victoria and Tasmania. The holiday is still called Eight Hours Day in Tasmania. Western Australia marks Labour day on the first Monday in March.

## History of Labour Day in Australia

Labour Day in Australia commemorates the achievements of organised labour to implement the eight-hour day in the middle of the nineteenth century when previously workers were required to work 10 - 12 hours a day for six days a week.

While a change was made to the hours worked each day, the five day work week that most people enjoy today took almost a hundred years longer and was finally adopted in 1948.

Many union buildings across Australia have the numbers 888 on them. The numbers are in support of British socialist Robert Owen who believed that people should have 8 hours to work, 8 hours for recreation and 8 hours to sleep. This philosophy helped foster The Eight Hours Movement.

The first Labour Day parade was held in Melbourne on 21st April 1856.

The present day parades across Australia, are an enduring reminder of the advances made by the unions on behalf of the workers.

Labour Day is celebrated at different times across Australia because each state achieved the 8-hour day on different dates.

In New Zealand, this holiday is celebrated on the fourth Monday in October

#### **Darebin Streets for People Project – Northern Reservoir Corridor**

Darebin Council is seeking your feedback on the Northern Reservoir Corridor Streets for People project. The project aims to make these streets more people-friendly and enjoyable places to be by prioritising sustainable transport modes.

Our school has been contacted because of its proximity to the study area, which includes Crookston Road between Cheddar Road and the Darebin Creek Trail (see attached information flyer for map). We understand that many families use active modes of travel to get to and from schools, so schools are in a good position to provide feedback on issues and opportunities.

You can provide feedback through the online survey at <a href="https://www.yoursaydarebin.com.au/northernreservoircorridor">https://www.yoursaydarebin.com.au/northernreservoircorridor</a>

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## Athletics Day

The Year 3 – 6 children had a wonderful day at the Inter-School District Athletics Competition on Tuesday at Meadowglen Athletics Track. Approximately 70 children from our school competed in track and field events including running – 100m to 800m and relays; discus, shotput, high, long and triple jump; and the team events of crossball and tunnel ball. Our children put in 100% effort in all events and out of the 9 schools competing we placed 3rd overall, an amazing effort! There were some outstanding achievements by our children individually and in the team events. If any of our children have placed first or second in individual A events, then they will go on to the next competition level. Thank you to the parents who were able to come along and cheer on our students.

Shot Put	Discus	Long Jump	Triple Jump	High Jump	100 & 75 m	200m	800m
					Sprints		
Trae -1st	Trae-2nd	Veronica -1st	Oscar- 3rd	Oscar- 1st	Trae- 4th	Kaylah- 4th	Veronica -1st
Adena -2nd	Mele-1st	Anita-3rd	Veronica-1st	Martin- 1st	Oscar- 2nd	Caleb- 4th	Bella- 1st
Alvin - 2nd	Darius-	Caleb- 4th	Siddhant –	Kaylah- 4th	Matin- 4th	Bella- 2nd	George P-
Helen- 4th	1st	George P-1st	4th	Adena – 1st	Veronica- 1st		2nd
Ben-3rd	Ellania-	Kaday- 1st	Hayden- 2nd	Caleb – 2nd	Kaylah- 1st		
Chloe- 1st	1st	Darius- 2nd		Siddhant-	Caleb- 1st		
Bradley -1st				4th	Bella- 3rd		
Michelle –3rd				Chloe- 2nd	Yasmin- 3rd		
					George- 4th		
					Ellania-2nd		
					Kaday- 1st		
					Simon- 1st		
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