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Reservoir View

Thursday 25th July 2019

Important Dates to Note—Term 3, 2019

Friday 26th July Preps—100 Days of School

Wednesday 31st July La Festa Dell' Arte

Friday 2nd August 5/6's Edendale Community

Environment Farm

Tuesday 6th AugustBookfair - in the library **Tuesday 13th August**

Thursday 8th August 5/6 AFL gala day

Friday 9th August 3/4 Indoor Basketball

Monday 12th August Preps Edendale Community

Environment Farm

Assembly 3/4A

Students of the Week

Lou Morrow Prep A Mirko S Sarah Anderson Prep B Moaied A Nivaan P Laura Alkemade Prep C Bianca Larubina 1/2A Anakin L Darcy Laffan 1/2B Tia H Chay Baker 1/2C Navaeh A Nicky Grujovski 3/4A Vaniya B Karan H Sophia Moshis 3/4B Lena Alsaad 3/4C Isabella F Alexander A Tegan Veitch 5/6A Erika Hopcraft 5/6B Lochlan G

Lisa Gardiner - Art Ahnaf K and Kai G

Drew El Moussalli - PE Parsa V

Candice Vanzin - Italian 1/2B

Steve Stafford - Principal Milla G

Dear Reservoir Views students, families and local community members,

We are getting very excited about our Italian themed Reservoir Views Arts Festival happening next Wednesday the 31st of July. The rehearsals for the Italian song performances have been amazing, the art displays are all ready to be displayed in the 'gallery' (hall) and a jam packed day full of fun activities has been planned for all students.

The students will be performing afterschool in the hall during the following times:

• Foundation: 3:45 to 4pm

• Grade 1/2: 4 to 4:15pm

Grade 3/4: 4:15 to 4:30pm

Grade 5/6: 4:30 to 4:45pm

During this time we will also be holding an art show and sale. Student art work will be available to be purchased by their families with the money raised from this sale going towards supporting our whole school focus on sustainability.

NEW PLANTING AT THE FRONT OF THE SCHOOL

Yesterday Diesel, Anakin and Porsam helped plant some new native plants and grasses along the entrance path of the school on Hickford St to the main office. We are really looking forward to watching these seedlings mature. Could I please ask that families stick to the paths when entering or exiting the school.



FIRE EDUCATION FOR FOUNDATION

Educating our students about the dangers of fire and how to keep safe around any naked flame is important for everyone, especially our students in Foundation. During the week they had a special visit from the Metropolitan Fire Brigade where they not only learnt about the important role firefighters play but they had the opportunity to see and use some of their fire fighting equipment.

It was great to see the teachers getting involved too:)









CUPPA AND A CHAT

All families are invited to head to the staffroom straight after assembly on Monday for a cuppa and a chat. This is a great opportunity to meet other RVPS families and sit down with Hayriye and myself for a nice cuppa and a chat.

LUNCHTIME CLUBS

This term we are running a variety of lunchtime student clubs throughout each week. They are open to all students!

Monday - Lego Club with Ms Laura

Tuesday - Dance Club with Ms Angela

Wednesday - Grub Club with Signorina Candice

Thursday - Guided drawing with Ms Sarah

Friday - Pokemon Club with Steve

Announcements will be made at lunchtime each day so all students know when and where they will be on.

WEEKLY MUSIC CLASSES

On Friday, the grade 3/4 classes started weekly music classes for the term. These 30 minute classes are being run by Rohan Grant, parent of James in foundation. Rohan is an accomplished musician and music teacher who is currently undertaking his Masters of Education with the University of Melbourne. The teachers and students had a great time on Friday, thanks Rohan!

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SCHOOL COUNCIL AND SUB COMMITTEES

School Council and the Sub Committees of the council play a vital part in supporting me to run the school.

Even though we have elected School Members for 2019, all parents are welcome to attend our council meetings and be actively involved in our sub committees. RVPS has a Community Sub-Committee and a Buildings and Grounds Sub-Committee.

The *Community Sub-Committee* focuses on a wide range of issues relating to positive partnerships with parents, enhanced community engagement, and educational issues.

Areas of interest include:

- Annual Implementation Plan
- School promotion
- Events (eg. Grade Six Graduation, Welcome Picnic, Prep orientation, Social events, Class level get-togethers, information nights)
- Fundraising
- School/ family partnerships and communication.
- Connections with the wider community (eg. Linking in with community events, accessing funding)
- Parent surveys

The *Buildings and Grounds Sub-Committee* focuses on a wide range of matters and policies relating to the improvement and maintenance of the physical Buildings and Grounds at Reservoir Views Primary School.

Areas of interest include:

- Maintenance and functioning of the school's grounds and buildings
- Working Bees
- Improvements to the school's facilities
- Hiring of school premises

School Council and Sub Committee meeting dates and times are below:

Monday 5th August @ 2:30pm - Buildings and Grounds Sub-Committee Tuesday 6th August @ 3:45pm - Community Sub-Committee Wednesday 14th August @ 7pm - School Council

SCHOOL CROSSING AREAS

Could I please ask all families to only cross Hickford St or St Vigeons Road using the designated school crossing areas. These crossings are supervised before and afterschool by school crossing coordinators and even though they may not be the quickest route across the road, they are the safest. Thank you for your support.

STAFF CAR PARK

Just another friendly reminder that the staff car park is a space for staff to park their cars. If the gates are open, please do not enter the school through the car park or drive into the car park to drop children off or pick them up - it is not safe!

PARENT OPINION SURVEY

As mentioned in last week's newsletter, 30% of our families have been randomly selected to complete the 2019 Parent Opinion Survey.

Each of these selected families would have received an email with details on how to access the online survey. The survey will take 10 to 15 minutes to complete and is available in a range of languages other than English.

The anonymous data collected from these completed surveys plays an important role in the continuous improvement of Reservoir Views Primary School. Could I please ask for all families to complete this survey if you were randomly selected and received the email from school.

Warm regards, Steve Stafford Principal.

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Ciao!!

R.V.P.S PRESENTA....

Can't wait!!!

La festa dell'arte!



Wednesday 31 July

At 3:45pm performances will begin

Foundation 3:45 - 4

Il Pappagallo and Se sei Felice e tu lo sai batti le mani

1/2 4 - 4:15

Ci Vuole Un Fiore

3/4 4:15 - 4:30

Tintarella Di Luna and That's Amore

5/6 4:30 - 4:45

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Thursday 25th August



FREE TENNIS COACHING PROGRAM @ THE KEON PARK TENNIS CLUB

STUDENTS OF ALL AGES AND SKILL LEVEL ARE WELCOME

Are you interested in learning to play and participate in a sport that is great for good health, fitness and friendship??

Come and join the professional coaches & members of the Keon Park

Tennis Club.

The Coaching Program is FREE and is run by accredited Tennis Coaches.

The Tennis Skills Coaching Program will run each Wednesday starting:

Wednesday 31st July 2019 for 5 weeks
Time: 4.00pm – 5.00pm
At: The Keon Park Tennis Club
2A Wagga Rd (Donath Reserve)
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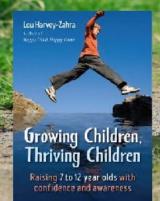


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