The ‘Homework Club’ has started. The first 2 sessions were held on Wednesday and Thursday this week. Only invited students may attend and parents will need to sign a permission form. The aim of ‘Homework Club’ is to provide a place and resources for student to get support to complete their homework. Teachers are volunteering their time to assist the children and a huge thank you to those doing so.

The weather has turned into Winter very quickly. Please make sure your child has a suitable warm jacket or coats to wear. Make sure your child’s name is clearly written on the inside of the collar so we can return lost clothing to students.

Thank you Aisha for helping out in our very popular Breakfast Club. Our Breakfast Club operates every morning from 8.30am There is a menu for children to choose from. We welcome volunteers to assist in the serving of food. If you are able to assist please contact Miss Carmen.
The mobile dental service Teeth on Wheels, has been at our school most of the week. Students have had their teeth checked and cleaned. Filling done where necessary. Detailed written reports will be given to the parents of those children who made use of this service. Dental hygiene is so important. Please ensure your children clean their teeth regularly each day.

The Australian Mathematics Competition will be held on Thursday 28th July 2016 and is suitable for students in Grades 3–6. The AMC has been held annually since 1978 and is one of the largest annual events in Australia, with more than 30 countries participating each year.

Entry forms can be collected at the school office. The cost per student entry is $6.00 and is payable by Friday 10th of June. The competition involves 30 questions that are designed to be fun for the students with an emphasis on problem solving. Time allowed for the competition is 60 minutes. Around 50% of participants qualify to receive a Certificate of High Distinction, Distinction or Credit. All participating students are provided with a detailed report showing how they performed on each problem.

Also, in order to prepare students for the AMC, there is an online GetSet Training program for students to practise a range of questions and improve their knowledge of problem solving. This will be at a cost of $2.00.

Parents are asked to help their child achieve the following little maths targets to help them in class.

**Prep** – Recognise and count numbers to 20. Make bundles of object up to 10.

**Grade 1** – Recognise, write and count numbers to 50. Make bundles of objects to 30 and match with correct number. Complete simple addition to 20.

**Grade 2** – Recognise, write and count numbers to 100. Make bundles to 100 and match to correct numbers. Complete simple addition and subtraction of numbers to and from 100. Counting by 2s, 5s and 10s.

**Grade 3** - Recognise, write and count numbers to 500. Complete simple addition and subtraction to and from 500. Counts by 2s, 3s, 4s, 5s and 10s. Knows 2x, 3x, 4x, 5x, 10x table facts.

**Grade 4** - Recognise, say, write and count numbers to 1000. Can add, subtract and multiply numbers up to 1000 using appropriate strategies. Can divide from 100 by 2, 3, 4, 5, 10. Knows times table facts to 10x and can use this information to solve multiplication and division problems.

**Grade 5** - Recognise, say, write and count numbers to 100,000. Can add, subtract, multiply and divide numbers up to 100,000 using appropriate strategies. Can divide from 1000 by 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10. Knows times table facts to 12x and can use this information to solve multiplication and division problems.

**Grade 6** - Recognise, say, write and count numbers to 1,000,000. Can add, subtract, multiply and divide numbers up to 1,000,000 using appropriate strategies. Can divide from 10,000 by any number between 2 and 12. Knows times table facts to 12x and can use this information to solve multiplication and division problems.

The parent information session held last Thursday regarding the ESL report card was a success. Many parents came to gain a better understanding of what being an ESL student means, and why there is a different reporting system for children identified as ESL students.

Parents & guardians who attended, gained insight into the demands of learning the English language and applying it to different situations. They were able to understand how English is taught and how it is assessed for reporting. We would like to thank all those who attended the session.

If your child receives an ESL report this June, and you would like to speak to a teacher about the report, please feel free to discuss your questions or concerns with your child’s classroom teacher, Ms Gavran or Mrs Graham.

Thank you.

Ms Gavran (ESL co-ordinator)
Mrs Graham (Literacy Coach)
## EXCELLENCE AWARDS

### LITERACY

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<td>Tumlai Zaathang</td>
<td>For participating in the classroom discussions about our families and writing his name.</td>
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<td>Prep/1 H</td>
<td>Rabet Zaathang</td>
<td>For her fantastic effort in reading and writing sessions and for using her letter-sound knowledge to spell words.</td>
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<td>1/2 C</td>
<td>Kenny Duong</td>
<td>For writing sentences, using the correct tense. Well—Done Kenny!</td>
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<td>1/2 S</td>
<td>Sandy Nguyen</td>
<td>For always making valuable contributions to our classroom discussions and being our 30 second summarising champion.</td>
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<td>3/4 P</td>
<td>Julian Rowsell Sam Hang</td>
<td>On their efforts to make predictions before they read.</td>
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<td>5/6 U</td>
<td>Mercy Nuumaalii</td>
<td>For writing a very engaging and well structured narrative.</td>
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<td>5/6 TL</td>
<td>Stefanie Stojanovska</td>
<td>For trying her best during work during summarising a text during reading. Well Done.</td>
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<td>5/6 BL</td>
<td>Jessica Tran</td>
<td>For completing an excellent ANZAC ceremony recount.</td>
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### MATHEMATICS

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<td>Hanan Yusuf</td>
<td>For starting her work promptly and making a beautiful girl out of 2 D shapes.</td>
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<td>Kevin Nguyen</td>
<td>For a great effort in our maths sessions and for great counting by 10s, forwards and backwards.</td>
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<td>1/2 C</td>
<td>Randy Ichsan</td>
<td>For using ‘groups of’ when working out problems with multiples of 2. Eg 4 groups of 2=8</td>
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<td>1/2 S</td>
<td>Eric La</td>
<td>For showing a great understanding of multiplication and groups of.</td>
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<td>3/4 P</td>
<td>Darren Tran Sarah Mai</td>
<td>On his effort to create fractions using 1/4s and 1/8s. On her effort to create equivalent fractions.</td>
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<td>5/6 U</td>
<td>Chloe Muriwai Hathaway</td>
<td>For demonstrating a very good understanding of perimeter and area.</td>
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<td>5/6 TL</td>
<td>Danny Do</td>
<td>For excellent effort in finding equivalent fractions. Well Done!</td>
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<td>5/6 BL</td>
<td>Amanda La</td>
<td>For her great work in our fraction Investigation.</td>
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**APPOINTMENTS WITH CARMEN DIMECH Welfare Officer**

Due to the growing demand for service through our Welfare Officer, we ask that you book an appointment at the front office or by calling 9366 - 8892. Your appointment will be confirmed by office staff or Carmen as soon as possible. 

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**New Store Location**

PSW Deer Park has a new Retail location opening Tues 15 March 2016.

Old Store: Trading until Sat 5 March
58 Westwood Drive, Ravenhall (03) 9768 0337

New Store: Trading from Tues 8 March
Unit 2, 51-53 Westwood Drive, Ravenhall (03) 9768 0337

Trading Hours:
Mon to Fri 9:00am - 5:00pm, Sat 10:00am - 1:00pm
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PREP ENROLMENTS 2017
Do you have a child who will be turning 5 years of age by 30th April 2017
Please ask at the Movelle Office for an Enrolment form.

Outside School Hours Care Program

BEFORE SCHOOL CARE PROGRAM
6.45am to 8.45am

AFTER SCHOOL CARE PROGRAM
3.15pm to 6.30pm

Located at:
Resurrection Primary School

Enrolments
www.oshclub.com.au

All enquiries call
Program Contact Number
0408 477 328

Head Office Number
03 8564 9000
(8am-6pm Mon-Fri)

Absence Approval Form

Dear Teacher,

My child

Room

Was absent on

Due to

Signed:

Date:

UNIFORM SHOP

PSW
Unit 2, 51-53 Westwood Drive, Ravenhall
Open: Mon- Fri 9.00am-5.00pm
Sat 10.00am-1.00pm
9363 8458
Order Online: www.psw.com.au

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