22nd July 2016 Issue 11

PRINCIPAL’S COMMENTS

TERM 3
NEW PERFORMING ARTS
TEACHER

I would like to welcome all the students and families back to school for Term 3. I hope you all had an enjoyable holiday break and are eager to start the Term. Parents are asked to work with their child / children to settle them back into their homework routines, which includes Reading and Spelling.

We would like to welcome Genevieve Sathiaseelan, who will join us as the Performing Arts teacher for the remainder of 2016. We sincerely hope that Ms Sathiaseelan enjoys her time working with our students. I am sure everyone will make her feel welcome. Ms Caulfield has moved on to a full time teaching position and we wish her all the very best and thank her for her contribution to our Arts program.

PAYMENTS FOR CAMPS AND EXCURSIONS

When we seek payment for camps and, or excursions we always ask that payments are made well before. However, in reality, many students and parents come to the office on the day of the activity and ask if they can pay, sometimes without a signed permission note. We want as many students attending these camps and excursions as possible, so usually we accept the late payment and spend a large amount of time ring parents for approval. However, over the last 2 days the office staff were flooded with requests to pay late. This certainly is not the best way to ensure teachers know who have paid or not and causes a huge workload on the office personnel.

In future, I respectfully request that parents discuss with their children, any proposed camp or excursion that is being planned by the teachers and commit to make payments by the due date. There is usually about a week to pay provided to parents, which should be ample time. Too many times, the students are not committing to the excursion and wait for their friends to make decisions to attend. Parents should be aware that all excursions and camping experiences are thoughtfully planned to provide students with educational experiences that will be relevant to class discussions and activities.

If parents are struggling to meet payment deadlines, please come and discuss any issues and we will be able to support each case individually. Therefore, the school will not be able to take late payments for future excursions on the day of the activity. Thank you for your co-operation with this issue.
ROYAL FLYING DOCTOR SERVICE INCURSION

On Wednesday and Thursday of this week, most of our students attended the R.F.D.S. incursion, where they heard all about how the R.F.D.S. was established by a western suburbs gentleman, John Flynn. The students learned how the service helps people who live in remote Australia and cannot access a local doctor because of the distances involved. The R.F.D.S. has saved hundreds of lives and helped thousands of people all around Australia, landing their plane on rough landing strips on farms and allowing the doctors and nurses to treat injured patients. Students were very excited to enter the fuselage of the plane and to engage with the flight simulator and to see the equipment used by the treating doctor and nurse. Many students tried to land the plane or take off but only a few succeeded with this task. I also had an attempt to land the plane and crashed!

Bill Hunt
Principal

Mathletics News

For the month of June, the following students have achieved a Silver Certificate Award in Mathletics.

1/2 Students:
Michael Surbevski
Eric La

3/4 Students:
Lina Ng
Jaylee Ah-Kau
Andrew Nguyen

5/6 Students:
Lisa Ng

WHAT A GREAT EFFORT!

Breakfast Club News

Congratulations to all the people who applied for the Breakfast Club Volunteer positions and I am happy to announce we have ten new helpers.

I would like to give a special mention to Davina Nguyen and Jessica Tran who have been Breakfast Club helpers since the beginning of the year.

Well done girls, you did a fantastic job.

I also have to give a BIG thank you to the following people for their time and assistance:

* Simmarron who helps out every day.
* Mrs Grainger for helping every Tuesday.
* Mr Paris for helping out every Friday.
* Anthony for keeping our supplies stocked.
* Ms Cyndy for unpacking the dishwasher.

Awesome Job everyone as every little bit helps.

Ms Carmen

Breakfast Club News

It is now the beginning of Term 3, and already there is a buzz around the school as work has begun, organising and planning, and rehearsals are starting for our huge original School Production.

THE DREAM MACHINE

All the staff are working on their roles, and all the students will be working hard all term to make this a massive success. Last year’s concert was the Greatest Show in the West, and this is going to be even bigger! It has been great to see the enthusiasm of the lead characters in the show, who have made a head start and were practicing their lines and developing their characters over the holidays. This week we will also audition for understudy for all the main roles, in case a main character is unavailable to perform.

Guitar students are also busy learning a song for the concert. We will keep you updated regularly throughout Term 3 in the newsletters with school production progress reports... so stay tuned and soon we will be letting you know the date and time of the production. Kind Regards,

The School Production Committee

Mathletics News

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<td>Hanan Yusuf</td>
<td>For using the Golden Words correctly in her writing and starting to sound out some of the words.</td>
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<td>Hamda Yusuf</td>
<td>For great effort in our shared reading sessions and for trying hard to point to all of the words when she reads.</td>
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<td>1/2 C</td>
<td>John Nguyen</td>
<td>For using a capital letter for a name of a place in his writing.</td>
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<td>Alanah Phung</td>
<td>For working hard to improve her handwriting.</td>
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<td>Ryan Veljanovski</td>
<td>For his effort in improving his handwriting.</td>
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<td>Yuliana Lay</td>
<td>For her effort to improve her understanding of how and when to use the past tense during a grammar activity.</td>
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<td>3/4 P</td>
<td>Brendon Pham</td>
<td>On his efforts to identify pronouns.</td>
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<td>Nelson Owul</td>
<td>On his effort to make predictions and use inference to make meaning when reading.</td>
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<td>5/6 U</td>
<td>Chris Vassiliadis</td>
<td>For writing well structured and highly detailed explanation report.</td>
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<td>5/6 TL</td>
<td>Grace Nuumaalii</td>
<td>Excellent effort when predicting a text by noting the important information from the text.</td>
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<td>Haily Hodges</td>
<td>Great research skills with her explanation text on Golden Retrievers. Well Done.</td>
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<td>Prep/1 C</td>
<td>Beyonce Mai</td>
<td>For recognizing the differences between the golden coins and the silver coins in our math investigation session.</td>
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<td>Jackson Surbevski</td>
<td>For great effort in observing and recording the daily weather conditions on his weather chart.</td>
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<td>Tony Tran</td>
<td>For telling the time to quarter past and quarter to on an analogue clock.</td>
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<td>Chelsea Hill</td>
<td>For showing a good understanding of o'clock, half past and quarter times.</td>
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<td>Joey Truong</td>
<td>For her effort in rounding off items to the nearest 5c.</td>
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<td>Wilson Tran</td>
<td>For his effort in improving his ability to trade when doing addition and subtraction with money equations.</td>
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<td>Jaylee Ah-Kau</td>
<td>On her efforts to demonstrate to the class how to subtract money using trading.</td>
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<td>Sarisha Lina</td>
<td>On her efforts to estimate and measure objects using length, mass and capacity.</td>
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<td>5/6 U</td>
<td>Aaron Kingsada Omdara</td>
<td>For assisting others without being asked during our data and graph making lessons.</td>
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<td>5/6 TL</td>
<td>Jye Jesensek</td>
<td>Excellent effort in representing data with various graphs and finding the value of the mean.</td>
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<td>Locky Henderson</td>
<td>Fantastic data representations using a column graph. Well Done.</td>
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**TERM DATES 2016**

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Open: Mon- Fri 9.00am-5.00pm
Sat 10.00am-1.00pm
9363 8458
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**Absence Approval Form**

Dear Teacher,

My child ..........................................................
Room ..........................................................
Was absent on .............................................
Due to ..........................................................

Signed: .........................................................

Date: ..........................................................

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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**
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