5th August 2016 Issue 12

PRINCIPAL’S COMMENTS

CARE IN THE CAR PARK PLEASE

Parents are urged to drive extremely carefully in the parent’s car park. With the heavy rains and puddles that have emerged, along with the road works that is happening on Gum Road, people are dodging the puddles and obstacles and may stray into moving traffic. Therefore drivers need to be alert to this behaviour.

Students and parents are reminded to wait for Mr Nelson to direct traffic, rather than just walk out of the gate, or from your cars into school.

PARENTS ARE NOT ALLOWED TO PARK IN THE TEACHER’S CARPARK BEFORE OR AFTER SCHOOL.

CANTEEN MENU REVIEW

At a recent meeting of the student leaders and the principals, student raised suggestions to change the canteen menu. We are currently pricing certain items and seeking out suppliers. The next step is to present the suggested menu to School Council for approval.

PARENT OPINION SURVEYS

In the last 2 weeks, many parents / carers were randomly selected to complete the ‘Parent Opinion Survey.’ We really want and respect your opinions on all matters to do with the school and how we may be able to improve. Surveys were due back today the 5th August, but there are still a few to be returned. If you haven’t completed the survey and returned it to school, could you do so by Monday the 8th August at the latest. It is important to get as many surveys returned as possible, as it makes the results more valid. Thank you to those families that were selected for your opinions.

GRADE 3 / 4 GARDENERS

Congratulations to the students and staff of Grade 3/4s for the work they have been doing tidying up the garden beds. Thursday the student worked with Mr. Paris and Mr Hunt. They planted peas and pruned the fruit trees and grape vine. It was an interesting experience and everyone worked really co-operatively. Well Done!

DATES TO REMEMBER

12th Aug Prep 2017 Transition Program
15th Aug School Assembly School Gym 2.45pm All Welcome
19th August District Athletics Carnival Grades 3 - 6
31st Aug Till 2nd Sept Grade 3/4 Camp Mill Valley Ranch
1st and 2nd Sept Fathers Day Stall
5th Sept Happy Fathers Day
9th Sept Curriculum Day No Students at school
3rd Sept Room 1 and Room 2 ANIMAL LAND

Rehearsals for ‘The Dream Machine’ are currently well underway, with the main cast working hard with Mr Turner and Mrs Graham, while the rest of the school have been learning their songs and dances in Performing Arts. The students are improving every session and there is a real sense of excitement about the production around the school! A big thank you also goes out to Mrs Capruciu (Prep/1) who has been working hard creating and fitting the cast with their costumes.

Keep an eye out in the next newsletter for further updates on ‘The Dream Machine’.
Thank you so much to everyone who has supported our current Cadbury chocolate fundraiser. The chocolate drive always is a great success. Several families have sold 3 or 4 boxes already – Well done! If families can’t sell all the chocolates in their box, please return any unsold chocolate and any money raised to the office, so we can redistribute boxes to other families who are requesting more boxes. Remember, money and unsold chocolates are due back at school by the 19th of August. All money raised will be spent on playground works for the younger students. We will inform parents of how much money was raised in the next newsletter.

2017 PREP STUDENTS—TRANSITION PROGRAM STARTS NEXT

Parents / carers are reminded that day 1 of 8 transition days will start next Friday the 12th August. The program will begin at 9am and operate until 10:30am. It is an essential part of settling in new students to Movelle Primary School. The children will be engaged in a range of fun literacy, numeracy and social activities. Children attending the program MUST bring a snack to enjoy. This is also a reminder to parents who are intending to enrol their son or daughter into Movelle next year, to do so quickly, as places are filling quickly. Enrolment enquiries can be made at the office.

MOVELLE ATHLETICS DAY

Today our school held its annual athletics carnival to select students to represent our school at the district athletics competition, where our students will compete against students from many of our neighbouring schools. Mr. Yamabe and the staff set up areas for the students to compete in our own mini-Olympics. Students competed in High, Long and Triple Jump, Discus and Shot Put, 100 and 200metres running races and the 800m race was held at lunchtime. Several parents came to enjoy watching their children compete and everyone enjoyed the day. It was a day where everyone was encouraged to participate and have fun. All students are to be congratulated for their great sense of sportmanship.

Thanks you to the staff for assisting in making the day a success.

Mathletics News

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

1/2 Students:
Devon Gerhard
Jayden Hill
Emily Nguyen

3/4 Students:
Jasminka Trpovski

5/6 Students:
Amanda La
Chanel Trpovski

The Gold Certificate Award goes to Eric La from 1/2S

Congratulations Eric
What a great effort!

Today is Principals’ Day

School Council and Staff arranged a “Surprise morning tea” for Mr Hunt to show their appreciation of his leadership. The Student Leaders made a video of student interviews about Mr Hunt and presented him with certificates of his achievements. It was enjoyed by all. I would like to take this opportunity to wish Mr Hunt a wonderful Principals’ Day! Mrs Brooks Assistant Principal and Movelle Staff.

Bill Hunt
Principal
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<td>Hanan Yusuf</td>
<td>For learning how to write the red words and for trying to use them in her writing.</td>
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<td>Dielora Redzebi</td>
<td>For continued effort in trying to use her letter and sound knowledge, in reading and writing activities.</td>
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<td>1/2 S</td>
<td>Anisha Diallo</td>
<td>For showing good knowledge about Coral Reefs during our Guided Reading session.</td>
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<td>Isaac Chaarani</td>
<td>For his effort in writing a brief summary about what he had read.</td>
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<td>Maria Vakaloa</td>
<td>For her effort in taking notes and drawing pictures during our cooking activity.</td>
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<td>Julian Rowsell</td>
<td>On his efforts to complete his spelling and punctuation activities.</td>
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<td>Sapphire Lambert</td>
<td>On her efforts to improve her understanding of prefixes and suffixes.</td>
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<td>Chloe Muriwai Hathaway</td>
<td>For writing a highly detailed newspaper report.</td>
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<td>Grace Nuumaalii</td>
<td>For excellent effort and achievement when predicting a text. Well Done!</td>
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<td>Alex Eddy</td>
<td>For showing what full capacity and half capacity looks like when filling containers with different types of materials.</td>
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<td>Dominic Nguyen</td>
<td>For a super effort in creating a timeline to show the events in the story ‘How The Birds Got Their Colours’.</td>
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<td>Devon Gerhard</td>
<td>For using metal strategies to help him add up amounts of money.</td>
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<td>Eleka Shih</td>
<td>For her effort in using unfix to assist her in completing division equations.</td>
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<td>Benjamen Kalala</td>
<td>For his effort in completing short division equations using 1 into 4 digits.</td>
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<td>Brodie Lyons Jones</td>
<td>On his efforts to improve his ability to multiply vertically (traditional method).</td>
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<td>Jasminka Trpovski</td>
<td>On her efforts to improve her ability to tell the time.</td>
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<td>Innocent Kento Kalala</td>
<td>For working diligently during our angles lessons and for making great reflections.</td>
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<td>Madison Zvezdakoski</td>
<td>For showing excellent effort in measuring.</td>
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Mr Larkin, Mr Logan and Mr Upton are please to announce that we have reached our minimum target number of 5/6 students, and our camp to Canberra is going ahead! The Grade 5/6 team would like to say a big thank you to our school community and our School Council for supporting us with our Canberra camp. It’s not too late if you wish to join us, we have 8 spots still available. For any questions please see Mr Upton.
TERM DATES 2016

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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

Absence Approval Form

Dear Teacher,

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

Signed: ..................................
Date: ..................................

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

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Head Office Number
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