Missing bikes and scooters
Unfortunately, 2 bikes left at school over the weekend (14th/15th March) went missing from the bike shed. The bike shed is not locked so if a bike cannot be picked up at the end of the day, please contact the school office to make other arrangements. Students can bring the bike or scooter into the main building for safety over the weekend or overnight. Mrs Hastie and myself have spoken to students who ride to school about this issue.

If you have any information about the 2 missing bikes please contact the school on 9874 6381.

Special ANZAC Ceremony
There will be a special assembly in the hall on Friday, 24th April at 9.30am to commemorate the 100th year anniversary of the ANZAC landing. All year levels will be performing a song rehearsed through this term. Extended families are invited to attend. A morning tea for parents and special guests will be provided following the performances by the classes. Please RSVP using the tear off slip over the page.

Building – Senior Hub
The Senior Hub looks transformed! What an exciting and usable space this is shaping up to be for the year 5 and 6 students and staff. The flooring is almost finished and lighting of the area will be next. Full access and the temporary fencing should be removed when students return for term 2. The doors and carpet are going to be installed early in term 2.

Whitehorse Sustainability Awards
Earlier this term I advised the community about Rangeview Primary Schools nomination for the above Sustainability Awards through the Whitehorse City Council. I have just been asked to attend the Awards Night this Thursday, 26th March. Fingers crossed, as we continue our sustainability achievements to date and our ongoing commitment to make Rangeview even more sustainable in the future!

School Photos
On Friday, lots of smiling faces and smartly dressed students captured Rangeview at its best. The school uniform is a visible symbol of our school and reflects on our students. Thank you to families for your support of the expectations of the uniform.

RCC Fundraising
What a great start to fundraising for 2015 the Rangeview Community Committee (RCC) has already made. With the help of Class Representatives and parent volunteers, Term 1 activities included the Cupcake Morning Tea, Free Dress Day, Subway lunches, Jumping Castle at SC Twilight Sports, and the weekly ‘The Range’ Pop Up Shop, which is proving to be most successful and popular with the community. We appreciate everyone’s support.

2016 School Fair Committee
Calling for expressions of interest for the 2016 Fair Committee. If you would like to be a part of the 2016 Fair Committee to help organise this great community event, please put your name and details down at the office. The format is well established and documented to help run this successful day. We are also looking at the feasibility of a twilight fair. Please ring the office on 9874 6381 to put your name down as an ‘expression of interest’. Thank you.

Final assembly-Term 1
This Friday, 27th March is the last day of Term 1. There will be a short assembly beginning at 2:00pm with students being dismissed at 2:30pm. Everyone is most welcome to attend. It has been a busy term with many highlights including the Cricket Clinics, School Council Twilight Sports, Parent/Teacher Interviews, L1 and L2 Swimming Program, building works and bringing back the green to the oval (looks amazing). There are so many varied learning opportunities for all of our students, both inside and outside the classroom. A special performance by the lunchtime Cheerleading group will cap off a festive start to the break.

Please note that the Outside School Hours Care Program (OSHClub) will begin at 2.30pm this Friday, if you require care for your child/children. They also run a fun Holiday Program, for full details visit their website: www.oshclub.com.au

Have a safe and relaxing break and I look forward to seeing everyone back at school in Term 2, starting on Monday, 13th April.

Mrs Liz Barr - Principal

**The View**

From the Principal’s Desk

**Missing bikes and scooters**

Unfortunately, 2 bikes left at school over the weekend (14th/15th March) went missing from the bike shed. The bike shed is not locked so if a bike cannot be picked up at the end of the day, please contact the school office to make other arrangements. Students can bring the bike or scooter into the main building for safety over the weekend or overnight. Mrs Hastie and myself have spoken to students who ride to school about this issue.

If you have any information about the 2 missing bikes please contact the school on 9874 6381.

**Special ANZAC Ceremony**

There will be a special assembly in the hall on Friday, 24th April at 9.30am to commemorate the 100th year anniversary of the ANZAC landing. All year levels will be performing a song rehearsed through this term. Extended families are invited to attend. A morning tea for parents and special guests will be provided following the performances by the classes. Please RSVP using the tear off slip over the page.

**Building – Senior Hub**

The Senior Hub looks transformed! What an exciting and usable space this is shaping up to be for the year 5 and 6 students and staff. The flooring is almost finished and lighting of the area will be next. Full access and the temporary fencing should be removed when students return for term 2. The doors and carpet are going to be installed early in term 2.

**Whitehorse Sustainability Awards**

Earlier this term I advised the community about Rangeview Primary Schools nomination for the above Sustainability Awards through the Whitehorse City Council. I have just been asked to attend the Awards Night this Thursday, 26th March. Fingers crossed, as we continue our sustainability achievements to date and our ongoing commitment to make Rangeview even more sustainable in the future!

**School Photos**

On Friday, lots of smiling faces and smartly dressed students captured Rangeview at its best. The school uniform is a visible symbol of our school and reflects on our students. Thank you to families for your support of the expectations of the uniform.

**RCC Fundraising**

What a great start to fundraising for 2015 the Rangeview Community Committee (RCC) has already made. With the help of Class Representatives and parent volunteers, Term 1 activities included the Cupcake Morning Tea, Free Dress Day, Subway lunches, Jumping Castle at SC Twilight Sports, and the weekly ‘The Range’ Pop Up Shop, which is proving to be most successful and popular with the community. We appreciate everyone’s support.

**2016 School Fair Committee**

Calling for expressions of interest for the 2016 Fair Committee. If you would like to be a part of the 2016 Fair Committee to help organise this great community event, please put your name and details down at the office. The format is well established and documented to help run this successful day. We are also looking at the feasibility of a twilight fair. Please ring the office on 9874 6381 to put your name down as an ‘expression of interest’. Thank you.

**Final assembly-Term 1**

This Friday, 27th March is the last day of Term 1. There will be a short assembly beginning at 2:00pm with students being dismissed at 2:30pm. Everyone is most welcome to attend. It has been a busy term with many highlights including the Cricket Clinics, School Council Twilight Sports, Parent/Teacher Interviews, L1 and L2 Swimming Program, building works and bringing back the green to the oval (looks amazing). There are so many varied learning opportunities for all of our students, both inside and outside the classroom. A special performance by the lunchtime Cheerleading group will cap off a festive start to the break.

Please note that the Outside School Hours Care Program (OSHClub) will begin at 2.30pm this Friday, if you require care for your child/children. They also run a fun Holiday Program, for full details visit their website: www.oshclub.com.au

Have a safe and relaxing break and I look forward to seeing everyone back at school in Term 2, starting on Monday, 13th April.

Mrs Liz Barr - Principal

RESPECT TEAMWORK RESPONSIBILITY LEARNING
HOUSE CROSS COUNTRY - Thursday, 16th April

In the first week back in Term 2, the House Cross Country Sports day will be held. As per every year, only students in Levels 3 to 6 take part in the day. Please ensure students dress according to the weather (bring sun screen warm clothes if cold etc.). Students can dress in their house colors.

Approximate time table of events:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Session 1</th>
<th>Session 2</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>9.45am – Boys 9/8 years</td>
<td>11.45am – Boys 11 years</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1000m (2 laps)</td>
<td>3000m (5 laps)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10.00am – Girls 9/8 years</td>
<td>12.00pm – Girls 11 years</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1000m (2 laps)</td>
<td>3000m (5 laps)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10.15am – Boys 10 years</td>
<td>12.15pm – Boys 12/13 years</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2000m (3 laps)</td>
<td>3000m (5 laps)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10.30am – Girls 10 years</td>
<td>12.30pm – Girls 12/13 years</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2000m (3 laps)</td>
<td>3000m (5 laps)</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Thank you, Mr Sacchetta - P.E. Coordinator

Anzac Day 2015

To commemorate the 100th year of Anzac Day, our school will be having a special assembly on Friday, 24th April. The assembly will be held at 9.30am in the school hall. Parents, grandparents and special friends are invited to attend.

The choirs and school band will be performing, along with a number of level/class items. Please put this date in your diaries and help to make this a very special day for our students.

If any parent is a member of the armed forces, and would like to wear their uniform, or if anyone would like to wear anything special belonging to past members, please feel free to do so.

There will be a special morning tea after the assembly for all of our visitors.

We expect quite a few families and visitors to our school that day. Please fill in the form below so we can organize seating. If you can assist with morning tea, please let us know.

Anzac Day Assembly – Friday, 24th April RSVP slip

Family Name: .................................................................

Number of family members attending: .................

(please circle)  Yes / No  I can bring a plate of food to share for morning tea (optional)

Mobile no.: .................................................................
Facebook is a social networking website for people aged 13 and over where you can socialize, post images and videos, talk with others and view your friends' posts. But I am sure that children under the age of 13 should not have a Facebook account.

To begin with, Facebook has heaps of rude material. Older people post rude words, pictures, even videos! If a young child sees the vile material they would think, "If they do it, I should do it", and they will become just like them. They will be rude in the real world and could lose friends due to being rude. Do you want this to happen to your child?

In addition, Facebook has people of all ages. So even though the person who you are talking to says they are your age doesn't mean they are. If you get tricked by someone they might text you compliments to get them to like you and then they start asking for personal details. If you give them the details you are at risk. Do you want your child in danger?

Finally, Facebook can have a harmful influence on young children. If someone starts cyber-bullying the young child might want to join in because someone else is doing it. Also if someone posts inappropriate pictures, videos or messages the young children might think that it is 'cool' and will start posting those. Also it will develop into a bad habit. Do you want a cyber-bully in your family?

Without a doubt, Facebook isn't for children under the age 13 because it has a lot of rude material, you can meet strangers and it can have a terrible influence on young children. So that's why I surely think Facebook is inappropriate for children under the age of 13, don't you agree?

By Markus, 5M
Children have great fun playing chess!

Chess is a wonderful game which enhances skills such as: Problem Solving, Pattern Recognition, Analytical, Visualisation, Concentration and Social Skills.

Term Two chess classes commence on **Friday 24th April** with tuition provided by **Dark Horse Chess**. Players of all ages and levels are welcome, and prior experience with chess is not necessary. Certificates will be awarded to all players, and trophies will be awarded to the tournament winners. Players may also gain the opportunity to participate an interschool chess competition during the term!

**Class Times:**  
Fridays 1:10pm – 2:00pm

**Class Dates:**  
24/04, 01/05, 08/05, 15/05, 22/05, 29/05, 05/06, 12/06, 19/06.

**Price:**  
$9.00 per lesson × 9 lessons = total cost of $81.00.

**Enquiries:**  
admin@darkhorsechess.com

Registration is due at the school office by 9am on Friday April 24th. We endeavour to make intercom announcements before each lesson, but responsibility for attendance lies with students.

**Details for bank transfer:** Dark Horse Chess, BSB: 063182, Account No. 11100482. Please put “RPST2 name of child” in the description, and please notify admin@darkhorsechess.com.

---

RANGEVIEW PRIMARY SCHOOL CHESS  
CHESS REGISTRATION – TERM TWO, 2015  

I give permission for my child …………………………………………………. in Class ………. to participate in the above activity at Rangeview Primary School. I authorise the teacher in charge to consent, where it is deemed impracticable to communicate with me, to my child receiving such medical treatment as considered necessary.

If numbers permit, my child would like to enrol in the following class: (Please tick)

- [ ] **Novice** (Friday)  
- [ ] **Intermediate/Advanced** (Friday)

**Payment Method** (Please tick):

- [ ] **Cash** → I have enclosed money to the amount of $81.00.

  or

- [ ] **Cheque** → I have enclosed a cheque for $81.00 made payable to Dark Horse Chess.

  or

- [ ] **Bank Transfer** → Please also notify admin@darkhorsechess.com. *[Preferred]*

**SIGNED Parent/Guardian:** …………………………………………..  
**Child’s Date-Of-Birth:** …………………………………………..

**Email:** ………………………………………………………………..  
**Phone:** ………………………………………………………………..
Thank you to those families that have already donated recyclable materials for our holiday program. We are still collecting, and any donations would be greatly appreciated. Some things we need are plastic bottles and bottle caps, cardboard boxes/tubes, socks, buttons, egg cartons, newspaper and other things similar to those already mentioned. They can be dropped at the OSHClub office in the Hall between 7am-9am and 3pm to 6pm.

Reminder: Please make sure your child has a hat in their bags at both Before and After School Care otherwise they will not be able to go outside to play.

If your child suffers from allergies, asthma or any other ongoing medical condition that we will need some paperwork filled out. If you have not already completed the forms please get in contact with Hannah Ambrose as soon as possible.

OSHClub Program phone: 0428 882 764
Coordinator: Hannah Ambrose
Assistant: Chloe Tomkins, Zac Parr, Randy Senn, Penny Low, Stephanie Burns and Stephanie Porteous

OSHClub Head Office: 03 8564 9000
All families must be enrolled to attend the program, remember this is free!! Please create an account online at www.oshclub.com.au
All bookings and cancellations can also be managed via your online account. For on the day bookings please contact the Coordinator direct at the program.

Best Wishes & Happy Birthday to the following students!

March
25th Mar
Abtin
Mairead
Seb
Sascha
Charli
Adam
Miranda
Ruby
14th Apr
Matilda
Leah
Kevin
Ashleigh
Bianca
Bree
Sienna

April
3rd Apr
Amber
Eloise
4th Apr
Rhett
Lachlan
Tara
Charlotte
Kacee
Daisy
Tianna
10th Apr
Ruthvik
11th Apr
Sisley
Arabella
Jack
Kaela
13th Apr
Joshua
Kingston

School Holiday Bike Skills Program

The Bike Skills School Holiday Program is a free bicycle confidence, skills and awareness training program for children aged 8 to 12 years.

The course teaches a range of skills including preparation for riding, riding safely, emergency stopping, using gears, scanning, signaling, riding on different surfaces, road rules & signs, riding on paths and basic repairs and maintenance.

The skills are taught through instruction, demonstration, practice, games and challenges.

The course is run in a safe, traffic-free area by professional instruction from BikeSafe Work. Day two is optional after completion of Day One and includes a component of instructed on-road training on low traffic quiet roads.

Participants need to:
- Have basic bike riding skills
- Not need to use training wheels
- Bring their bike in rideable condition and their helmet.

When
Thursday 9 April
9.30am-2.30pm (5 hours)
and
Friday 10 April (optional)
9.30am – 2.00pm (4.5 hours)

Where
Mont Albert Reserve, Melbourne Street
Mont Albert

Suitable for children aged 8 to 12 years

To register or for more information, please contact Justine Giglin

Email
justine.giglin@whitehorse.vic.gov.au

Phone
9862 7662 (Tuesdays and Thursdays)

Bookings Essential
Neighbourhood Watch Rangeview

Come along to the Neighbourhood Watch meetings, held at Rangeview Primary School and help support your community and local area. Meetings commence at 7.30pm and go for approximately 1 hour.

14th April 2015
9th June 2015
11th August 2015
13th October 2015
8th December 2015

Hope to see you there!

PET ROSTER

Levels on Duty:
Term 2 - For the week 13th to 24th April 3/4S (Mrs St Ruth)
Level 2 is on duty

Families on Holiday Duty:
28th March - the Siu Family are on duty
1st April  - the Low Family are on duty
6th April - the Wilson Family are on duty
10th April - the O’Connor Family are on duty
Term 2 - 18th April - the Bird Family are on duty
Next week will include the School Holiday/Easter roster.

Beth Joyce (3J) - Animal Welfare Co-ordinator

RCC Calendar Dates

Fri 24th April - Anzac Cookie Morning Tea
Tues 28th April - RCC Hot Food Day - Pizza
Wed 6th May - Mother’s Day Stall
Fri 15th May - Mums Night Out 6.30pm at school
Wed 20th May - Okka Pie notice going out
Fri 22nd May - Walk-a-thon & hot lunch day
Wed 10th Jun - Pie order due
Wed 10th Jun - Pie morning tea
Wed 17th Jun - Okka pie delivery

WANTED

If you have a clean-up in the holidays, please don’t throw out old bikes, wheels, handles etc...... anything that could be used to make a billy-cart. We are collecting items and will be storing them at school. Please bring items to the outside of the front glass office doors next term. Thank you!

Art Room News

First Art Blog post is up! Be sure to pop in and send us a Message:
http://artrangeview.global2.vic.edu.au

Happy Easter

Rangeview Primary School does not endorse the service or product of any advertisements, paid or unpaid, printed in this newsletter.

SCHOOL DATES

School Term Dates 2015
Term 2: 13 April to 26 June
Term 3: 13 July to 18 Sept
Term 4: 5 Oct to 18 Dec

School Term Dates 2016
Term 1: 27 Jan to 24 March
Term 2: 11 April to 24 June
Term 3: 11 July to 16 Sept
Term 4: 3 Oct to 20 Dec

Free Dental Treatment for Children

Your child’s dental treatment up to $1,000 can now be bulk billed for eligible children through the Medicare Child Dental Benefit Scheme.

No Waiting, No GAP, No cost of pocket expenses

Other children may also receive dental treatment at Carrington Health

Carrington Health offers a range of dental services -
• Examinations
• Extractions
• Cleanings
• Fillings
• X-rays

Guaranteed school holiday appointments if you book before 20th March 2015

Call us on 9897 1792 to make an appointment or visit our website www.carringtonhealth.org.au

Late afternoon/early evening appointments NOW available

Dental Services 9897 1792 | Fax 9898 8010 | 43 Carrington Rd Box Hill 3128
What is Character?

We are learning about ‘Character’. This is one of the 21st Century skills preparing children for their future. All children need to be able to positively meet the challenges and solve problems they face in learning and life. These skills also link to our Rangeview values of Respect, Responsibility, Teamwork and Learning. This is part of a global project which is called ‘New Pedagogies and Deep Learning’. The traits of Character are: grit, determination, perseverance and resilience. Grit is defined as the disposition to pursue long term goals with passion and perseverance. The ability to make learning an essential part of our daily lives is also an integral part of Character.

These are big concepts, especially for our Foundation students, so they have been exploring these concepts through superheroes! Superheroes show grit, determination, perseverance and resilience! We want the children to be superheroes when they learn. Rangeview Primary School has its own very special Superhero called “Captain AB.” He comes into assembly to remind us of our values. He also congratulates us when he sees that we have been doing a great job.

*It is time for Captain AB to have a new look.* It was decided that it was a good idea to hold a competition to design a new costume for the Captain. All Foundation children will be designing a costume for Captain AB in class (they may like to do another one at home using this template). If your child would like to design a costume, please use the colouring in sheet over the page and below. There will also be some printed sheets on the community notice board (opposite office). The winning design will be made into a costume for Captain AB and it will be revealed at a special assembly next term!

---

**Hi, I’m Captain AB.**

I stand for ANTI BULLYING and I’m looking for a new superhero costume and name. Can you help me by designing me a new costume & giving me a new name?

Just draw your design on this sheet and put it into the competition box outside the office.

---

**Captain AB Costume Competition**

Name of Student: ………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………

Level (Grade) of Student:……………………………………

The winning entry of the competition will be announced at assembly in term 2.

Competition entries to be placed in the competition box outside the office.

Competition closes on Friday, 17th of April, 2015
Colour me in and design my costume!