NOTE DATE CHANGE: ICAS SCIENCE

Due to the L5 & L6 Inter-school sport day on Friday, 29th May the ICAS Science sitting date has been changed to Thursday, 28th May. The Flora and Fauna program will not be affected. Please contact Mrs Margaret Goulding if this change of date is inconvenient for your child.

NAPLAN

Students have been preparing for their NAPLAN assessments. Testing started this Tuesday. Information sheets from the Department of Education (DET) will be sent home with your child with relevant information about the testing. Good luck to all students involved in this nation wide assessment during this week.

Art work in the corridors

The corridors are filling with wonderful art work by students in all levels. I have 3 framed art pieces by Level 4 students, Amali, Eleanor and Poppy hanging proudly in my office.

If you get the chance, we encourage you to come along and view your children’s work and the school, as a whole. Children love showing off their achievements to their families and friends.

Foundation 2016 Information Night

Reminder for the Foundation Information session is this Thursday, 14th May at 7pm. I do encourage our established parents with children coming in 2016 to the school to complete your enrolment forms and bring them in to the office. Please remind family and friends who are looking for schools next year that we do run weekly tours of the school. Please ask them to ring the office on 9874 6381 to book into a tour.

Mums’ Night this Friday

Just a reminder that the very popular ‘Mums Night Out’ is being run by the RCC this Friday Night. Last year over 70 mums, sisters, grandmothers attended this event. A flyer is on the last page of this newsletter if you would like to attend. To assist with catering please reply by this Wednesday.

New Mid Year Reports

This year we have moved to a new reporting format which will be available to parents in a hard copy this semester and eventually the report will available on-line through the Sentral parent portal. In Victoria, the curriculum is set out in AusVELS, the Victorian Essential Learning Standards that incorporates the Australian Curriculum. These guidelines provide schools with a framework and curriculum content which includes both knowledge and skills. The student report looks similar to last year and provides information about ‘discipline based learning’ (for example English and Mathematics) and general capabilities that is transferable across learning areas. Behaviour and effort has been assessed throughout the areas of learning, as opposed to an overall assessment unlike previous reports. We have introduced a student self-assessment of their learning in the reporting process. It is hoped that together with your child, you can discuss the report and self-assessment in a way that is helpful to them as a learner and which encourages and motivates their continued academic, social and emotional development. Reports will be distributed to families towards the end of this term.

Curriculum Day-Monday, 25th May

Just a reminder that Monday, 25th May is a designated curriculum day. OSHClub will be available if required. Please book on-line directly with them.
MUSIC NEWS

Open Night - Thursday, 21st May
On Thursday, 21st May Rangeview Primary School will be holding an Open Night for families to come and celebrate the work being undertaken by our students.
Our choirs and band will be performing on the night. The performances will take place in the school hall from 7 o'clock.
The Junior Choir will perform at 7.10pm
The Senior Choir will perform at 7.20pm
The School Band will perform at 7.30pm
If possible, we would like all students in these groups to do their best and attend this special evening. Students will need to wear school uniform unless your teacher has arranged something else.

NEVR Concert
Nineteen instrumental students from our school will be participating in this years NEVR concert “Soundtrack” at Hamer Hall on Wednesday, 27th May. All students should now have their music and should be practising ready for their two big rehearsals. Don’t forget to book your tickets ASAP for this very special event.

Mrs S Van Der Toorren & Mrs K Melitsis

Myuna Farm Excursion

Mrs Liz Barr - Principal
### Student of the Week - Monday, 18th May

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<th>Class</th>
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<td>FB</td>
<td>Evan</td>
<td>For being an enthusiastic participant in all the activities at Myuna farm. You answered Farmer Daniel’s questions well, showing your excellent general knowledge of the farm. Well done Evan! You are a star! For being an enthusiastic student in Foundation B. You always listen well and work diligently on any task. You show Responsibility and Determination and I am very pleased with your effort. You are fabulous!</td>
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<td>Zoe B</td>
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<td>FD</td>
<td>Grace</td>
<td>For your fabulous effort with your writing about our Myuna Farm excursion. I like the way you are using some common words you know in your writing. I also like the way you are using the sounds you hear in words to help you spell some unknown words. Sensational Grace!</td>
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<td>FG</td>
<td>Xavier</td>
<td>For your enthusiastic approach to all maths lessons. You are a fabulous Maths thinker and approach all new problems carefully. Keep up the amazing work!</td>
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<td>FH</td>
<td>Tennyson</td>
<td>For writing a wonderful recount about the Farm excursions Tennyson sounded out the words as he wrote them down and took his time to write neatly and accurately. Well done Tennyson!!</td>
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<td>FN</td>
<td>Charlotte</td>
<td>For being a quiet achiever who is making wonderful progress in her writing. Great work listening to the first sound in words Charlotte.</td>
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<td>1G</td>
<td>Liam</td>
<td>For trying hard to focus on his work in class and not become distracted. Liam you are making a really good effort.</td>
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<td>1H</td>
<td>Archie</td>
<td>For writing more details in his stories. I especially enjoyed your writing about the zoo, Archie. Great work!</td>
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<td>1L</td>
<td>Isabella</td>
<td>Congratulations Isabella, for being the first person in our class to complete two new Spelling pages and get all the words right. Wow!</td>
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<td>1M</td>
<td>Lily</td>
<td>For your excellent speaking and listening skills. You are able to listen carefully and retell a story in your own words in a very interesting and entertaining way. We always look forward to your presentations, Lily! You are a very engaging speaker!</td>
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<td>2B</td>
<td>Asha</td>
<td>For completing and delivering all of your oral presentations to an excellent standard. The historical records folder and original flag from WW1 were amazing additions to your ANZAC presentation. Your Power Point interview of changes in school life with your Grandmother was interesting and delivered in a nice clear voice. Fantastic!</td>
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<td>2D</td>
<td>Daniel P</td>
<td>For the amazing diary entry you wrote about your weekend. I am so impressed with the amount of detail you included. Sensational writing Daniel!</td>
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<td>2M</td>
<td>Megh</td>
<td>Congratulations on settling into your new school and making new friends with such ease. You have shown such resilience and strength of character! Welcome to Rangeview Megh!</td>
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<td>3L</td>
<td>Jessica</td>
<td>For always following our four school values. You always demonstrate respect by being a friendly and caring student. You take responsibility for your learning and are always a great team player. Keep it up Jessica.</td>
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<td>3J</td>
<td>Zac</td>
<td>You brought a double yolk egg and shared your knowledge about it. Then we cooked it in the microwave.</td>
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<td>3OC</td>
<td>Chloe</td>
<td>For always being dependable, ready to learn and kind to others. You strive to do your best in all activities and are a pleasure to teach. Well done Chloe!</td>
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<td>3/4S</td>
<td>Michelle</td>
<td>Writing a simple, engaging text entitled “What a Mess!” about going out to feed her chickens. Her author’s voice was clear and her accurate spelling and punctuation made the text easy to read. Well done!</td>
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<td>4A</td>
<td>Rory</td>
<td>For deciding to make a chart at home showing Addition Using Jump Strategy and sharing it with the class. Your many, many, many examples on the chart show your commitment to mastering this concept. Keep up this great GRIT, Rory!</td>
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<td>4B</td>
<td>Morgan</td>
<td>Move over Bill Gates and Mark Zuckerberg, grade 4B are learning to program with Scratch! I was in awe of the program you created that had a Sprite explain the mathematical concepts of a square and draw one. It was brilliant work—I look forward to buying your gaming apps in the app store!</td>
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<td>4H</td>
<td>Chloe</td>
<td>For always displaying an excellent attitude to all her work and completing it to an excellent standard. Fabulous work and learning attitude, Chloe</td>
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<td>5E</td>
<td>Marisa</td>
<td>For her wonderful help in all aspects of class learning. Not only are you a conscientious learner, you're great at sharing your ideas and reminding us of things along the way. You're an asset to the class.</td>
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<td>5W</td>
<td>Liam</td>
<td>For writing an exciting narrative entitled “Zoo Madness” Brilliant effort Liam!</td>
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<td>5M</td>
<td>Darcy</td>
<td>For excellent engagement and contribution during our cyber-safety incursion! Well done!</td>
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<td>6K</td>
<td>Katelyn</td>
<td>For wonderful explanations and understanding of what GRIT is. Also, by showing your perseverance with the skill you are mastering.</td>
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<td>6M</td>
<td>Dale</td>
<td>For demonstrating the value of ‘Learning’ by creating inquiry questions about the formation of the colony of Queensland and finding answers to those questions.</td>
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<td>ART</td>
<td>Archie B</td>
<td>Your focus and determination when creating your ‘Pear Star’ imaginary creature in Art. You have created an outstanding piece of work! Excellent effort, Archie!</td>
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<td>MUSIC</td>
<td>Brooke P</td>
<td>Your positivity and perseverance when exploring different features on Garage Band. Your composition skills are continuing to improve each week. Well done on coming up with some unique sounds using Audio Sampler. Well done, Brooke.</td>
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Rangeview Primary School Working Bee
Sunday, 17th May 9.00am-11.30am

Please come along on the 17th May to help get Rangeview Primary School looking fabulous before the Open Morning, Open Night & Official Opening Ceremony of the Senior Hub. Any help you can offer would be most appreciated.

Jobs include the planting around the recently completed senior hub in readiness for Education Week. Please bring your gardening gloves, clippers and brooms and come along to the second Working Bee for 2015!

What to bring: Rakes, brooms, shovels, pruning gear & any other tools you may need

At the conclusion of the Bee a light BBQ and drinks will be available. To assist with catering, please complete the below tear-off slip and return it to school by Wednesday, 13th May. Hope to see you there!

Yes, we are able to attend this Working Bee and will stay for the BBQ.

Level 5/6 Production Working Bee Dates
The confirmed Production Working Bee dates are as follows:

- Tuesday 19 May 4.00-7.30pm
- Tuesday 26 May 4.00-7.30pm
- Wednesday 10 June 4.00-7.30pm
- Tuesday 23 June 4.00-7.30pm
- Tuesday 14 July 4.00-7.30pm (Term 3)
- Wednesday 21 July 4.00-7.30pm (Term 3)

We hope to see as many parents and Level 5 ad 6 students’ help out with making props and basic sewing. It doesn’t matter if you can’t attend for the whole evening, please come along even if it’s for a couple of hours!

Mrs. K Melitsis

Entertainment Books are again available from Rangeview Primary School.

Please be aware of the NEW procedure:

- Please visit the below website or click on the below link to go directly to the Entertainment Book site and order & pay online:

  Click HERE: www.entbook.com.au/1877g29

- Have book mailed to you (at a cost) OR bring your payment confirmation to the school office to pick up your book
PET ROSTER

Levels on Duty:
For the week 11th May to 22nd May Level 6N (Ms Natoli) is on duty.
For the week 25th May to 5th June Level 5E (Mr Evans) is on duty.

Families on Duty:
16th May - the Coombes Family are on duty
23rd May - the Begley Family are on duty

Beth Joyce (3J) - Animal Welfare Coordinator

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

School Term Dates 2017
Term 1: 30 Jan to 31 March
Term 2: 18 April to 30 June
Term 3: 17 July to 22 Sept
Term 4: 9 Oct to 22 Dec

Community Notice Board

Please take the time to view the school notice board. It is located on the wall outside the library (opposite the office). There is a wide and varied amount of information from Support Groups, Sports groups, Secondary School open dates and a lot more.

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.

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

Hope to see you there!

RcC Calendar Dates

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

Reminder-Mums Night Out this Friday. It will be another very enjoyable evening. Complete & pay using the form over the page and we hope to see you there :-)
Rangeview Community Committee invite you to

Dinner and Dessert on Friday, 15th May 2015 for

A Mums’ Night Out

From 7.00pm -11pm in the Library, Rangeview Primary School

$17.00 per person (mums, sisters, friends, grandmothers welcome). Price includes a welcome drink on arrival, Buffet Dinner and Dessert (vegetarian & gluten free options will be available). BYO all other drinks (glasses & ice provided).


Please bring some cash on the night as not all stalls will have credit card facilities.

To purchase tickets fill in the slip below and return it to the school together with your payment, no later than Wednesday, 13th May 2015.

You will receive a text and/or email confirming your payment when it is processed. Your name will be on a list on the door.

Any questions please contact Alex Campbell on 0425 783 980 or alexhamish@hotmail.com or Andrea Boully 0407 050 624 or boullya@optusnet.com.au

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Rangeview P.S. Mums’ Night Out

Names of those attending: __________________________________________
Contact phone number: ______________________ AND/OR Email: __________________________
Child’s Name: ______________________________ Child’s Class: ___________________________
Number of tickets required: __________ @ $17.00 per ticket = $_____________ total

Payment type (please circle) Cash / Cheque / Credit Card/EFTPOS (only available at office)/Direct Deposit
Name on Card: ______________________________ Type Visa / Mastercard
Card Number _____ / _____ / _____ / _____ Expiry _____ / _____
Signature_______________________________

OR Direct Deposit to Rangeview Primary School Account BSB 063 146 Account: 10082965 (in details please put your Surname & ‘MD’ (Mother’s Day) as the identifier.

EFTPOS available at the school office

Please return by Wednesday, 13th May with payment