From the Principal’s Desk

Summit Camp
The countdown is on for the level 6 camp due to begin next Monday, 6th June. Staff attending the camp will be: Ms Faye Natoli, Mr James Roche, Ms Kate McLeod, Mr Ian Bunston, Mr Khay Le, Mrs Karman Melitsis, Mr Michael Sacchetta, Mrs Deirdree Geilings and myself. For more information about The Summit, please visit their website: www.thesummit.net.au/schools. We wish our campers well and may the weather be kind (yes, it is June)!

Hamer Hall Performances
Congratulations to all the students who performed at the NEVR Youth Concert at Hamer Hall last Tuesday night. It was a wonderful showcase of primary and secondary schools across the North Eastern Region and highlights the excellent opportunities in government schools. Rangeview students performed in the combined primary schools choir, String Orchestra, Concert Band and Rookie Band. I thank Mrs Karman Melitsis for her organisation and support of the students and for taking them to their rehearsal last week. Report and photos over the page.

May School Council Meeting - Facilities
School Council has approved the resurfacing of the old asphalt area with a synthetic turf, to be provided by Gecko. It is anticipated that the works after approval from the Victorian Education Department (DET) will be completed over the next term holidays.
There remain concerns about drainage in substantial rain over the school site. Many pits and pipes have been repaired or replaced over the last 12 months but the sheer volume of water in a heavy down pour is difficult to manage. We are waiting for a report back from the engineers and consultants employed by DET.

OSHClub
During 2014, we negotiated with OSHClub as the provider of the Out of School Hours Care Program. The School Council OSHClub Sub Committee meets regularly with the representatives of OSHClub.
By all accounts the program is flourishing and well run and the usage during term 1 was: After School Care 55 students, Before School Care 47, and Average Daily Attendances 103 students per day. The overall fee structure and an earlier start time for OSHClub during the Vacation Care Program is currently under review.

Internship – Shirley Allison, AP
Rangeview PS and I have the honour of being selected for an Internship for Future Leaders through Bastow Institute. I will be mentoring Shirley Allison who is the Assistant Principal at Ringwood North PS. The internship will include Shirley shadowing myself over 20 days and my mentoring her through term 2 until the end of the year. Mentoring is an invaluable resource for schools and leaders to learn about practice across educational settings. Shirley brings to Rangeview many skills and talents to the table with Ringwood North being another NPDL school, and we are both eagerly awaiting the first official meeting on June 9 at Bastow.

Pupil free days for term 3
Our recent school council meeting approved the 2 remaining pupil free days for 2016.
• Wednesday, 20th July will focus on the Writing Workshop and feedback in line with 21st Century Learning.
• Friday, 19th August will focus on 21st Century Learning, Mathematics and the new Victorian Curriculum working with educational consultant, Lyn Watts.

Foundation students enjoyed their visit to Myuna Farm last Friday

Diary Dates

June
Fri 3rd CSEF Applications close
Mon 6th - Fri 10th June - Level 6 Camp
Tue 7th L3 & L4 Market Stall 2.30pm
Wed 8th L5 Taskworks Excursion
Thu 9th Chess Tournament
Fri 10th L6 Camp returns
Mon 13th Queens B’day Holiday
Tue 14th ICAS Writing
Fri 17th Reports on-line

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Reporting to Parents

Monday, 30th May was a pupil free day for assessment analysis and report writing time for teaching staff. Staff value this time to reflect on their students’ learning progress. Last Wednesday classroom teachers were moderating on their writing samples across all levels to ensure a consistency in writing assessment for all students.

MID YEAR REPORTS will be available to view online through the Sentral Parent Portal on Friday, 17th June.

Most classes will have their PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS for students over 2 days:-
Wednesday 22nd June from 3.40pm to 5.50pm AND Thursday 23rd June from 3.40pm to 6.00pm & 6.30pm to 7.50pm (letters will go home if there are other times to these).

The purpose of this meeting is to give parents the opportunity to meet with their child’s teacher, to discuss any relevant information that may be helpful in supporting your child in the classroom, including the student’s self assessment and their learning progress in 2016. Access to the Sentral Parent Portal to book an interview will be from 9am on Friday 10th June and close at 5pm Monday 20th June, 2016. To book an interview time please log on to https://sentral.rangeview.vic.edu.au/portal/login

Remember, your login is your email address and use the same password when you initially registered (if you have forgotten your password follow the prompts to reset). Should you experience difficulties please contact the office for assistance.

Foundation and new families in Level 1 to 6 will receive a letter which will include your Access key so you can register and access the Sentral Parent Portal.

PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS – SPECIALIST TEACHERS - Thursday, 23rd June from 3.40pm to 6.00pm, 6.30pm to 7.00pm

The Specialist Teachers (Art, Library, German, Music, Physical Education) will be available to speak to parents in the library at the above time. There is no need to make a booking just visit the library either before or after your classroom teacher interview and wait until the specialist teacher is free.

Mrs Liz Barr - Principal

Level 3 and 4’s Upcoming Market Place - by Ms Alex Box

Students in Level 3 and 4 are engaged in deep learning through an authentic, collaborative challenge - working towards holding a Market Place to fundraise further for the Just One Day cause.

They have been working collaboratively and industriously, even at home, in preparation for the new date, Tuesday 7th June, at 2:30-3:15pm, on the lower asphalt (weather permitting). There will be a range of hand-made crafts on sale for a gold coin donation, along with second hand items as well as some food items.

Students have been considering the rules and limitations of setting up and holding a market place and are having to utilise the skills of negotiation, decision-making and problem-solving to work together on common goals. It’s the perfect opportunity to develop tolerance and teamwork.

An authentic project needs an authentic audience, in this case, customers! Classes and family members are invited to attend, browse and make a purchase. The students goal is to send some more children to school for a year with this project.
**Student of the Week - Assembly 2.50pm - Monday, 6th June 2016**

| F B | Luke Merindah | For making a fabulous iMovie about your holiday to Queensland and presenting this to the class when you returned. Thank you for working so hard on your holiday, Luke! It was great to see your movie. You must have had a wonderful time! |
| F H | Charlie B | For working hard to improve his letter sound knowledge. Charlie is beginning to sound out the words as he reads and writes. Keep up the hard work Charlie. |
| F K | Ethan | For being a very interested and enthusiastic learner on our excursion to Myuna Farm. You tried to do and see everything, you even helped the farmer to milk the goat. A fantastic attitude Ethan. |
| F N | Owen | For great counting when measuring in maths. Your reliability to count the number sequence to ten is improving. Fantastic work Owen! |
| 1 M | Holly | For a great improvement in your writing. I loved your choice of words and punctuation to express your feelings in the story about your special bike. Well done, Holly! |
| 2 H | Grade 2H | For terrific scientific work during our investigation of water during the Water Works incursion. Well done everyone. |
| 2 K | Eloise | For a great improvement in settling to task quickly. You have proved that you can stay focused on activities. A mighty effort Eloise. |
| 3/4 A | Emma | For great contributions during classroom discussions and making mathematical connections between a village of 100 people, 100 centimetres and 1 metre and the pie graph you are creating. It is wonderful to see your enthusiasm in the classroom as we continue to work on developing an infographic. |
| 3 S | Laura | For being an enthusiastic participant in our Flora and Fauna session on recycling. You had lots of knowledge to share with your group. Well done, Laura! |
| 4 L | Zac | For your wonderful piece of writing about, “Sam and his Lucky Money.” It was well written and it captured the audience when you were reading it loud. Fantastic Zac. |
| 5 M | Josh K | For writing an appealing character poem for his reading assignment. Fantastic effort, Josh! |
| 6 M | Tyler | For an outstanding iMovie presentation to the class about Aja, a child living in poverty in India, and for then comparing his life to that of Ambrew, a child living in a wealthy family in New Zealand. A very informative and moving presentation. Excellent Tyler! |
| LOTE | Mitchell | For always listening attentively, participating well in all German activities and for demonstrating a very good ability to respond appropriately to a variety of questions in German. Fantastisch, Mitchell! |

**Music News......**

**NEVR Concert**
We had a fantastic evening performance at the NEVR concert at Hamer Hall last Tuesday. Rangeview Primary School students performed in the Primary School Choir section, String Orchestra, Concert Band and Rookie Band. It was a fantastic experience for the students to perform at an amazing venue with over 80 other schools. I’m so proud of all the students for their hard work this term in the lead up to the performance.

Beau our Choir Captain has made an iMovie to share our incredible experience. We will be showing this on the final Monday assembly of the term.

A special thank you to Mrs Barr, Mr Sacchetta and parents: Geeta, Helene, Wendy, Juliet, Genevieve, Megan and Jenny for assisting during our soundcheck and performance. Thanks to all other families who offered to assist with supervision and carpooling.

**JOD and Open Night Performances**
Well done to the Junior and Senior Choir students for performing at the JOD closing ceremony and assembly. It was great to see so much support from staff and families. Congratulations to the soloists in the Junior Choir – Hamish, Seb, Hamish and Mia for their beautiful performance of ‘A Better Place’. Thank you to piano teacher Cathy Cossey for accompanying the Senior Choir.

Well done to the Rangeview Band for their fantastic performance at Open Night. The night was well attended and we appreciate all the support for the Music Program.

**Senior Choir Rehearsals**
There will be no Senior Choir rehearsal next week as Mrs Melitsis will be on Level 6 camp.

Please remember that choir rehearsals will be back to our usual 8.15am starting time on Monday. If choir rehearsal falls on a public holiday/curriculum day, we will rehearse on a Friday instead. It is important for students to make a good habit of attending rehearsals every week.
PET ROSTER

Term 2 - Levels on Duty:
23rd May to 3rd June - Level 5E is on duty.
6th to 10th June - Level Foundation H is on duty.

Term 2 - Families on Duty:
For the weekend 4th June the Alder Family are on duty.
For the weekend 11th June (including Queens Birthday) the Wilson Family are on duty.
Beth Joyce (3J) - Animal Welfare Co-ordinator

Best Wishes & Happy Birthday to the following students!

June
1st June    Skylar
2nd June    Maeve
3rd June    Liam
4th June    Thomas
5th June    Zeb
7th June    Sarah

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OSHClub

OSHClub Program phone: 0428 882 764
Coordinator: Hannah Ambrose
Assistants: Chloe Tomkins, Stephanie Burns and James Carfax-Foster
OSHClub Head Office: 03 85649000

All families must be enrolled to attend the program, remember that the enrolment process 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.

Note: Some afternoon sessions are full. You must receive confirmation of your ‘on the day’ booking for your child/children to attend.

FOUND - 3 ladies rings. Please ring office on 9874 6381 if you think they belong to you.

AN EVENING WITH MICHAEL GROSE

Don’t miss this amazing opportunity!

A trailblazer in the parenting education scene Michael is the founder of Parenting Ideas, Australia’s leader in quality parenting education for parents and schools. Come and join us to share in his insights and ideas.

Raising well-behaved kids that other people rave about (for the right reasons)

Getting co-operation from your kids is one of the biggest challenges modern parents face. As you know, they have easy kids then getting co-operation is usually straight forward. But with some children you need to know what you are doing if they are going to fall into line.

In this fantastic presentation Michael reveals road-tested tried and true techniques and strategies that’ll make the life of every parent easier.

Michael will also reveal:
1. Why your children are different despite the fact they came from the same gene pool and received the same parenting.
2. How to get more co-operation without reprimanding yourself, raising your voice or resorting to tears.
3. Great ways to promote self-control and self-discipline even in highly wild kids.
4. The ISO question to ask yourself when kids repeatedly misbehave that will quickly lead to improvement.
5. How to work out behaviors to worry about and those that kids will grow out of.
6. A simple definition of misbehavior that you can use in any situation.
7. Ideas to can bring emotional intelligence into your everyday parenting so that you can help your kids to recognise and regulate their emotional state.

Tickets $15 - May Earlybird and Group discounts available.

7.30pm - 9pm Wed 15th June 2016
VENUE: PERFORMING ARTS CENTRE,
PARK ORCHARDS PRIMARY SCHOOL
BOOKINGS: www.trybooking.com/LLBJ

Learn music here at school

Come and join in the fun of learning to play keyboard, guitar, here at Rangeview Primary School.

Creative Music for Schools conducts a music program here at school each week.

Small group classes or one-to-one lessons of up to 30 minutes give children an excellent grounding in music where they will learn to read music and play their chosen instrument.

Tuition costs from $16.00 per lesson and enrolments are now being accepted for limited places in term 2, 2016.

Interested parents should call Swee during office hours on 9818 2333

www.creativemusic.com.au
Okka Pies have been owned and operated by Ken and Lynda Hultgren since 1991. They use fresh premium meat in the meat pies, fresh eggs in their quiches and fresh vegetables in their vegetable lines. Their pastry is made from scratch on their premises in Bayswater. Customers are guaranteed excellent products every time.

Pies are delivered fresh on collection day – if you are unable to collect your pies during that time, please contact us via email and we can arrange another suitable time. All pies not collected on the collection date will be placed in a freezer.

LAST CHANCE to order Okka Pies (due Friday, 3rd June)
Lost Property

LOTS OF LOST PROPERTY!

Please check the LOST property bucket as soon as possible.
Please ensure ANY/ALL clothing and other items brought to school are clearly named.

Rangeview Uniform Clothing Exchange

NEW DAY - Every Tuesday morning 8.45am to 9.15am

SCHOOL DATES

School Term Dates 2016
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

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