Congratulations to the Book and Science Parade costume winners!!

From the Principal’s Desk

Daly Dates 2014

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Book Fair
The book fair finished on Monday due to the pupil free day on Tuesday. It was well attended by families. Thank you to Mrs Blythe and all the helpers involved at lunch times and after school. It was a great success.

Book and Science Week
The school was alive with the colour of costumes for the annual Book and Science Week parade in the hall on Monday. It is always amazing to see the creativity shown and the ‘buzz’ continued into the well organised rotation of activities. Thank you to Mrs Blythe and all staff for the smooth running of the rotations on the day.

First Aid Survey results
Thank you to everyone who completed the First Aid survey in hardcopy and electronically using the ‘Survey Monkey’ through the school website. The data was easily extracted using the ‘Monkey’ and this will be the preferred way of surveys in the future. All data and comments collected will be reviewed at the next school council meeting.

A summary of data collected:
Has your child used the services of the first aid officer? (From 141 replies)
- Yes 129 (91%)
- No 12 (8.5%)

How would you rate the care? (137 responses)
- Very Good 74 (54%)
- Good 45 (33%)
- Satisfactory 15 (11%)
- Poor nil

Would you like the service to remain? (141)
- Yes 140
- No 1

How much would you be prepared to pay for the service? (129 responses)
- $0 - $60 80 (62%)
- $61 - $80 40 (31%)
- $81 - $100 8 (6.2%)

Thank U Know
A parent/carer/teacher cyber safety information night - Think U Know will be held on Tuesday, 2nd September at 6-7.30pm. I urge all families to consider this valuable information session to help guide your children to make good choices and be safe on the internet. See reply flyer on page 5 of this newsletter.

Combined Band Workshop
Rangeview P.S. and Vermont P.S. students joined forces for a combined band workshop and performance last Thursday. Both schools had nominated 2 songs each to be practiced separately prior to the day. It was a valuable day – no school uniform with students playing music together. Well done to all the children performing and staff, Mrs Melitsis and Mrs Van der Toorren, who have supported this event. It was also great to see many parents there to cheer them on.

Staffing
Ms Melissa Sala in Foundation S has been working at Rangeview over the last 4 years and is a valued staff member and dedicated teacher. She started her career here as a student teacher and was employed as a graduate teacher in 2011. The skill set of any good educator can transfer to other occupations and Melissa has taken an opportunity to pursue a career away from teaching. On behalf of the school community, I wish Melissa all the best in the future. Melissa’s last day will be this Friday, 22nd August.

Celebrate National Science Week at home
To celebrate Science Week there are activities you can do at home with younger children.

THANK YOU to the following families who attended Sunday’s Working Bee:
Many families joined us on Sunday for the term 3 working bee. Branches mulched, holes dug for the kiwi and passionfruit plants, drains cleared, paths swept, garden beds weeded, grass mowed and a general tidy up. Indeed many hands make light work! We finished off with a barbeque. Families attending were: Collins, Wilson, Slater, Begley, McCrohan & Hagihara, Boler, Laur, Davies, Woolard, Powell, Bouly, Powell, Stacy, Keith, Kennedy, Watson & Temple, Rossi, Roe, Watson, Dixon, Frostick, Betts, Hobson and Roach.

During the working bee the wet area near the Munro Street entrance was noted, so we are on the lookout for ‘wet loving’ plants to add to the garden there. If you have a clump of reeds or lillies that you can spare for the school please feel free to drop them off. They will be put to good use.
**Program Update**

**Reminders:** On Tuesday the 26th of August Mad On Music will be having a concert in the Hall so that afternoon OSHC will be held in the Library. If your child/ren is attending please let them know of the change of venue, an announcement will be made on the day to remind children of the change as well.

**This Week’s Activities**

This week’s art activities will be based around Books and Science. We will also be keeping active with organised games such as soccer, basketball, netball and football. Zac Parr will be running an Active Program on Mondays and Thursdays.

MUSIC NEWS

**Cinderella**

We now have only two weeks until our Cinderella performance on Monday 1st September. Please don’t forget to pay $7 per child (or maximum $14 for 2 or more students in same family) to see this high quality show.

**Band Workshop**

A big thank you to Mrs Melitsis who organised the Combined Band Workshop with Vermont Primary School last Thursday. The students really enjoyed making new friends, playing their instruments together and performing in the afternoon. We hope to make this an annual event for our band students.

**Hamer Hall Performance - DVD**

I now have a copy of the NEVR concert at Hamer Hall. I will be playing the choir performance at 8.30am on Tuesday, 26th August in the music room. All students Who were involved are most welcome to attend.

**Level Two Performance**

The level two classes will be performing a song at assembly on Monday, 25th August. They will be opening the start of Literacy week. Please come along and support these students.

**Mad On Music**

Just a reminder that Mad On Music lessons will be on Thursday, 21st August this week instead of Tuesday, 19th August. Students need to bring their music and instruments to school on Thursday.

**Principals Report Continued**

Children can explore how to filter water so that it becomes pure and clear. This experiment involves constructing a water filter using 2 plastic drink bottles and scissors. The challenge is to experiment with different materials to find the one that filters water the best. Try using sand, gravel, pantyhose, cotton balls, elastic bands or charcoal to see which one works best. Or how about constructing a roller coaster from whatever is available around the home to deliver a ball bearing or marble from table height to the floor in the longest time possible? The challenge is to include a series of obstacles such as loops, slides and a change in direction.

For more ideas see National Science Week [www.scienceweek.net.au](http://www.scienceweek.net.au)

**The Kidsafe Victoria ‘No Helmet No Ride’ competition**

Does your child like to draw, make videos or ads? Kidsafe is running a competition to help promote the importance of wearing helmets. ‘No Helmet No Ride’ is an initiative of KidSafe Victoria and is a state wide competition promoting the the importance of wearing helmets when riding a wheeled device. The competition is free and entries close on 12 September.

Your child can enter the competition in one of the following categories:

- Make a video: Foundation – Level 3
- Make a video: Level 4 - 6
- Make a radio ad: Foundation – Level 3
- Make a radio ad: Level 4 - 6
- Create an illustrated story: Foundation – Level 3
- Create an illustrated story: Level 4 - 6


Mrs Liz Barr - Principal
Best Wishes & Happy Birthday to the following students!

August
20th Aug Krishna
21st Aug Blake
22nd Aug Oliver
23rd Aug Alia
24th Aug Riley
25th Aug Mia
26th Aug Tori

21st Aug Rex
22nd Aug Dhairya
23rd Aug Oliver
24th Aug Mia
25th Aug Benedikt
26th Aug Edwin

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Wednesday August 27th
Wear Red & Be Well Read!
Cuddle Up & Read!

We will celebrate our hard work in literacy and numeracy by wearing a touch of red to show we are well read.

You could wear a red top, socks, ribbon etc. This is not a free dress day. If it is not red please wear school uniform. All students are encouraged to bring a book and a soft toy on this day. There will be opportunities throughout the day for students to cuddle up with their soft toy and read.

Remember to wear red on Wednesday August 27.

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## Student of the Week - for Monday, 25th August assembly

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<td><strong>F B Paddy Ryan</strong></td>
<td>For your excellent effort in our Maths session. You were thinking and counting accurately and sharing your ideas about the number extremely well. You are fabulous, Paddy! Well done! For your excellent effort in reading and writing workshops. You settle down to your work quickly and take pride in presenting your best work and always accompany your work with very colourful, neat drawings displaying very good detail. I am very impressed with your fabulous effort Ryan. Well done! You are a super star!</td>
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<td><strong>F D Jamieson</strong></td>
<td>I am so impressed with the way you are working very hard to be a good friend and cooperate with others. Keep up the great work Jamieson!</td>
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<td><strong>F H Jayde</strong></td>
<td>For working so hard to improve your reading. It is wonderful to see you sounding out the whole word and using the pictures to help. Fabulous work!</td>
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<td><strong>F S Kacee</strong></td>
<td>For your excellent maths thinking when working on your Measurement Project! You worked carefully and accurately when measuring the length, circumference, volume and weight of your favourite toy! Well done Kacee!</td>
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<td><strong>1G Arjan</strong></td>
<td>For making an effort to join in class discussions and for working hard to complete learning tasks in the classroom.</td>
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<td><strong>1 H Caitlin</strong></td>
<td>For writing an informative journal during her holiday abroad last term. We enjoyed reading about your adventures so much. Fantastic recording Caitlin.</td>
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<td><strong>1 L Paras</strong></td>
<td>For making an effort to complete writing tasks. Keep it up, Paras!</td>
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<td><strong>2B Charlie</strong></td>
<td>For using your reading strategy of ‘finding the main idea’ and then writing an excellent report on pollution. Terrific work Charlie!</td>
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<td><strong>2 H Evie</strong></td>
<td>For working hard to develop her writing skills. Evie has increased her writing stamina and is including more details. Well done!</td>
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<td><strong>2 G Luke</strong></td>
<td>For speed and accuracy in telling both digital and analogue time. You are an enthusiastic learner and a great mathematician. Keep up the great work, Luke!</td>
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<td><strong>3M Abbey</strong></td>
<td>For using the wordle website to create a word cloud with her spelling words. Well done Abbey.</td>
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<td><strong>3L Abigail</strong></td>
<td>For a wonderful costume from, ‘Where the Wild Things Are,’ for Book Week. You have put in a lot of time and effort, and you looked fantastic.</td>
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<td><strong>3/4 S Sean</strong></td>
<td>For making your own outfit for Book Week—Lief from the Deltora Quest. The belt of Deltora with all the jewels was terrific but I’m still wondering why he wears gloves! Great to see you read through a series, Sean. Well done!</td>
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<td><strong>4A Thomas V.</strong></td>
<td>For keenly exploring and solving the class’s formatting challenge of working out how to place lines over a faded photo in Microsoft Word. The rest of the class were then able to make personalized writing paper for their camp project. Wonderful!</td>
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<td><strong>4B Harvey</strong></td>
<td>You followed the directions well in creating a QR Code to link to your online story on StoryBird and even created a great paragraph of writing using persuasive language and hyperbole to hook readers into your work. A great effort Harvey!!</td>
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<td><strong>4H Will</strong></td>
<td>For showing great initiative and responsibility on the Level 4 Weekaway camp. What a great team member and an active participant in all the challenging camp activities. Fabulous effort Will.</td>
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<td><strong>5W Isabella</strong></td>
<td>For your cheerful and enthusiastic approach to learning, always doing your best to complete tasks to an exceptional standard.</td>
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**Foundations students have enjoyed creating many different structures at their Lego excursions this term!**
ThinkUKNow is an internet safety initiative which aims to raise awareness of the issues which young people face online and whilst using mobile phones. It is a partnership between the Australian Federal Police (AFP) and Microsoft Australia, and is now proudly supported by ninemsn and Datacom. We are lucky to have two passionate volunteers, one from the AFP and the other from Microsoft, giving up their evening to speak with us.

Parents, carers and teachers are encouraged to attend.

Topics covered will include:

- Social Networking
- Cyberbullying
- Inappropriate content: accessed and self-created
- Instant messaging and chat
- Your child's digital reputation

Attendees will also take home an information pack, including a thinkuknow mousemat.

We’ll also provide you with a brief update of Rangeview’s journey.

**DATE:** Tuesday 2nd September 2014

**TIME:** 6:00-7:30pm

**LOCATION:** Rangeview Primary School Hall

We are able to offer some child care on the night – please book in for this by Thursday 21st August. We kindly request that attendees make a gold coin donation on the evening to help cover the cost of childcare.

To register your attendance, please return the slip below completed to the school office as soon as possible.

Tea and coffee and provided!

For more information, you can visit [www.thinkuknow.org.au](http://www.thinkuknow.org.au) or contact Ms Alex Box (Year 4 Teacher, eSmart Coordinator).

Door prizes also up for grabs!

We look forward to seeing you there!

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ThinkUKnow Presentation Night – Tuesday 2nd September 2014

Name: ____________________________

Child’s Name & Grade: ____________________________

Yes, I will be attending this night and there will be ____________ people (adults) attending.

I need child care for the night 6:00 – 7:30pm yes or no. Please list names/ages of children needing child care below.
Dear Rangeview families,

The Rangeview Community Committee is currently organizing a Silent Auction that will run on ‘Rangeview Party Night at the Manhattan’. The date of this event is Saturday, 25th October. We are looking for donations of items big and small from individuals and or businesses.

You may not have an item to donate but you may know a company willing to donate to the Auction. Please contact Nicola Shaw by emailing nicola.shaw@live.com.au with any contact details or information on items you can donate.

You can also hand in any items to the office and mark them for Rangeview Community Committee Silent Auction. All money raised by the silent auction goes towards items such as school programs, books, playground improvements etc.

Please contact Nicola Shaw by emailing nicola.shaw@live.com.au for more information.

Thanks - Your Rangeview Community Committee

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