From the Principal’s Desk

Reminder - Pupil Free Day this Wednesday, 20th July.
It is an invaluable time for teaching staff to work together reviewing and refining our progressive reading and writing programs. This professional learning will be led by Ms Marita Horvath, our Literacy Leading teacher. The teachers will be viewing each others’ classrooms and sharing samples of student writing and their writer’s notebooks. Conferencing and feedback is an important part of 21st Century learning and the reading and writing workshops. Students have been using iPads and the apps such as Showbie and Book Creator to seek feedback from their teacher and create responses to texts or develop notebooks to record ideas and thoughts. The specialist team will be using the day to visit other schools and educational settings.
Student engagement, with technology enabling learning, and high quality teaching and learning in Literacy and Numeracy is a part of our Strategic Plan and Annual Implementation Plan (AIP). Staff review the AIP and this is reported to the School Council.

Level 3 Flora and Fauna Program
Students in level 3 Flora and Fauna have replanted fruit trees on the east boundary of the school. These trees had to be moved last year when there was considerable drainage works. We have been able to slowly reclaim the ground for the garden program with broad beans, olive trees and fruit trees. See photos opposite of students planting, proudly showing their dirty hands and the yummy minestrone soup they cooked using vegetables harvested from the garden.

Mini Olympics
In keeping with the Rio Olympics in August, planning is underway for a whole school Mini Olympics event on Thursday, 18th August. Staff are involved in the planning of the opening and closing ceremony and the sporting activities.
I have spoken to the RCC to support this fundraiser. Students will be able to raise donations to receive incentives. Monies can be donated on-line and will contribute to the wonderful new synthetic turf, the rejuvenated oval and the fans planned for the hall.

Parent Opinion Survey
Eighty-five of our families, chosen through random selection through our Cases program will be receiving a Parent Survey form on Friday, 22nd July. This survey is conducted each year in all schools throughout Victoria to determine how best schools can support their students. If you are a recipient, please fill out this survey as soon as you get it and return it to the school office. The envelopes are sealed and go straight through to the Education Department. All forms MUST be returned by Friday, 29th July.

National Disability Data Collection
Some families will be receiving a letter from Rangeview seeking approval for their child to be included in this nation-wide data collection. All classroom teachers have allocated time to reflect on their classes and consider the level of adjustment in the learning environment for individual students and whether this student should be included in the data. This is the third year for this collection of data and Mr Ian Bunston is coordinating the program.

School Council meeting
Even though it is a Pupil Free Day tomorrow Wednesday, the School Council meeting for July will still be held from 7.00pm in the Staffroom.

Rangeview Community Committee
Students are looking forward to cup cakeday being held this Friday, 22nd July. Parent Rep’s have sent out details and if you are able to spare a little time to make cupcakes, set up or help sell on Friday, the RCC would appreciate your help. They have set up a site to leave your details or ring the school on 9874 6381 to volunteer: www.volunteersignup.org/AHRCP
A Parent Representative meeting will be held on Tuesday, 26th July 9.00am in the Staffroom.

Rangeview’s Got Talent
Preparations are well underway for this exciting event. Auditions are being held this Thursday & Friday lunchtime with the Performance Night on Friday, 27th July at 7pm in the Hall. More details on page 3 of this newsletter.
From the Library…….

Term 3 is a very busy term in the Library with our literacy and appreciation focus on the Children's Book Council of Australia’s (CBCA) shortlisted books, the annual Scholastic Book Fair and celebration of Book Week with a dress-up parade.

2016 CBCA shortlisted books
Most of the 2016 short listed books are in the library on display for everyone to read during class library time or during open hours.

Book Week Celebrations
Our Book Week celebration day will be held on Monday, 29th August. The day will begin with the annual book character parade from 9.15am - 11am.
We ask that all children come to school on this day dressed as a character from a book. So chat with your child and begin to plan their outfit for the day!
More information closer to the time!

Scholastic Book Fair
This year we are trialling something different for our Book Fair - it will be held over a two week period. The first week is ONLY for browsing through the books. (The children will be able to write a ‘wish list’ of books they’d like to buy, if allowed to!) There will be no selling! The second week will be for sales.

Book Fair will be held in the Library

Browsing times:
Lunchtimes: Thurs 4th August, Fri 5th August, Mon 8th Aug & Tuesday 9th August: 1.10pm- 1.30pm
After school: Thurs August 4th, Fri Aug 5th, Tues August 9th: 3.30pm – 4.15pm

Selling times:
Wednesday 10th August, Thursday 11th August, Friday 12th August & Tuesday August 16th
Lunchtime 1.10pm- 1.30pm each day & 3.30pm – 4.15pm

If you are interested in helping at the Book Fair please fill in the form below and send it back to the Library or come to the library and let us know. Thank you!

Happy reading,
Mrs. Robyn Blythe and Mrs. Deirdree Geilings
Teacher Librarians

Scholastic Book Fair Helpers

Name: ........................................................................................................................................................
Phone: .................................................................................................................................

Child’s name and level: ................................................................................................................................................................

PLEASE TICK AS MANY AS YOU CAN ATTEND:
• I can help with setting up the Book Fair after school on Wednesday 3rd August
• I can help with sales on the following days after school from 3.30 – 4.15pm
• Wednesday 10th August
• Thursday 11th August
• Friday 12th Tuesday 16th August
• I can help with packing up the Book Fair Tuesday 16th 4.30 – 6pm
Rangeview’s Got Talent will be held on Friday July 29, 7pm at Rangeview Primary School Hall.

Entry fee – $2 per child, $5 per adult or $10 per family.
Snacks and drinks will be available to purchase on the night.

COME AND ENJOY A GREAT NIGHT’S ENTERTAINMENT!

BOOKINGS AND ENQUIRIES call/text Cindy 0403 127 190

Rangeview Primary School
### Student of the Week - Assembly 2.50pm - Monday, 25th July 2016

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<th>Student</th>
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<td>F B</td>
<td>Nicole</td>
<td>For being very responsible and caring of your iPad. Nicole you always bring your iPad in and place it in our iPad tub carefully. You are also very careful with the use of your iPad in class. You have listened well to all the instructions and routines required for our iPads. A fabulous effort, Nicole! You are a star!</td>
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<td>F H</td>
<td>Benny</td>
<td>For an outstanding improvement in his reading and writing. Benny is sounding out the words as he reads and writes them. Well done, Benny!</td>
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<td>F K</td>
<td>William</td>
<td>For a great improvement in his writing, correct size, good spelling choices and writing a recount with a great beginning, middle and end and putting how he feels about it in there too! Fantastic.</td>
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<td>F N</td>
<td>Leo</td>
<td>Being a responsible learner to improve his reading by doing his Take Home Reader at OSCHClub. Magnificent work Leo!</td>
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<td>1 DB</td>
<td>William</td>
<td>For being an enthusiastic participant in all our class discussions and activities. I like the way you do your best on all tasks. Well done, Will! You are fabulous!</td>
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<td>1 LB</td>
<td>Daniel</td>
<td>For demonstrating the school values of Responsibility and Learning. You are a conscientious worker in Level 1. You should be proud of your great efforts, Daniel</td>
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<td>1 M</td>
<td>Ella</td>
<td>For excellent work on fractions. You are a champion in all areas of maths but you still keep trying to improve. Well done, Ella!</td>
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<td>2 H</td>
<td>Mackinnley</td>
<td>For being a focused learner during maths sessions. Mackinnley has been working hard to think through harder problems. Well done!</td>
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<td>2 K</td>
<td>Jessie</td>
<td>For being a well organized and focused learner, who always challenges herself to produce work of a high standard. Very impressive Jessie.</td>
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<td>3/4A</td>
<td>Luke</td>
<td>This is a collaboration award for your positive and inclusive approach to all partner work. Also for your spot-on approach to coaching in maths games. You know exactly the language to use to offer a hint without giving too much away. Fantastic, Luke.</td>
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<td>3 J</td>
<td>Maggie</td>
<td>You always show respect for others in every aspect of your day. Well done for being such a caring, kind member of our Rangeview community Maggie.</td>
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<td>3 S</td>
<td>Rafael</td>
<td>You are an engaged and questioning student, taking responsibility for your learning by asking questions, listening attentively and tackling all tasks enthusiastically. Well done!</td>
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<td>4 B</td>
<td>Kate</td>
<td>What a great start to Rangeview Primary. You have settled in well, made new friends and enjoy learning. We look forward to getting to know you more.</td>
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<td>Liam</td>
<td>Well done on settling into Rangeview. Not only have you moved houses and schools, but also a new country. It is great to see you making new friends and sharing your ideas with us.</td>
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<td>4 L</td>
<td>Tom</td>
<td>For your fantastic effort with the enlargement maths activity in class. You showed what you can achieve if you put your mind to it. Great effort Tom.</td>
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<td>6 M</td>
<td>Amy</td>
<td>For working so well to learn Roman Numerals and the rules associated with them. Well done Amy!</td>
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<td>6 N</td>
<td>Darcy</td>
<td>For an outstanding effort using the rules to learn the Roman Numerals system. Great effort Darcy!</td>
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Visit the Rangeview Website
www.rangeview.vic.edu.au

Rangeview now has a P.E. & Sport Blog:
http://perangeview.global2.vic.edu.au

Here you will be able to keep up to date on the events that are taking place during P.E. and Sport at Rangeview throughout the term.

- **Mr M Sacchetta**

*We also have an Art, Library & Music Blog for students and families to view!*
German News - LOTE FOR LIFE

On Wednesday, 22nd June nine students from Levels 4, 5 and 6 represented Rangeview Primary School at the Regional Final Germany Poetry Competition held at Vermont Secondary College.

Students were required to recite a poem by heart to a panel of judges (from a choice of two selected poems). They were scored according to their pronunciation, intonation, and how well they were able to express the meaning of the poem using their facial expressions, voice and gestures.

Congratulations to each of the following students for their outstanding effort at the Regional Final:

Klasse 4 - Abby S-W, Emily B-R und Caitlin T
Klasse 5 – Lamisse B, Isaac G und Eva L
Klasse 6 – Raven F, Ginger P und Keeley Z.

The results from Level 4 were: Caitlin (first place), Emily (second place) and Abby (third place). Fantastisch, Kinder!

Students who receive a first place from Levels 5 and 6 at the Regional Final go on to compete at the State Final German Poetry Competition. I am delighted to announce that two students will be representing Rangeview at the State Final to be held on 20th August, 2016 at the Austrian Club in Heidelberg. Congratulations to Ginger P and Eva L who both received a first place from their year level! They will be required to recite their selected poem at the State Final, where students from all over Victoria come together to participate in this exciting annual event and celebrate their love for German language learning.

We wish Ginger and Eva a wonderful day at the State Final and the very best of luck (viel Glück)!
Danke schön!
Frau Ulrike Lindner and Frau Helga Shaw

Congratulations to the students opposite who won trophies for last terms Chess sessions with Dark Horse Chess. This is a lunchtime group that runs during the term for interested students (cost involved).
**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.

**School Car Park**

We remind parents that the car park is for staff only. We do not want parents coming into the car park at busy times when families are actually walking through there as well. No entry to the school grounds after 8.15am. We have had cars that have entered the car park extremely quickly, if it is a rainy afternoon this is obviously a dangerous situation for any families that have toddlers or young children walking around.

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**PET ROSTER**

**Term 3 - Levels on Duty:**
- 11th to 22nd July - Level 5M (Mrs Mehta) is on duty.

**Term 3 - Families on Duty:**
- The Temple (Watson) Family are on duty for the weekend - 23rd July
- The Barnes-Read Family are on duty for the weekend - 16th July

Beth Joyce (3J)
Animal Welfare Co-ordinator

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**SCHOOL DATES**

**School Term Dates 2016**
- 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

The first day of Term 1 is a student-free day in all government schools to allow for appropriate planning to take place for the arrival of students. Each year government schools are provided with four student-free days for professional development, school planning and administration, curriculum development, and student assessment and reporting purposes. The remaining three student-free days are determined by each school.

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**Best Wishes & Happy Birthday to the following students!**

**July**
- 21st July
  - Nikhil
  - Jaidyn
- 22nd July
  - Matilda
  - Keanah
  - Liliana
- 24th July
  - Hamish
- 25th July
  - Darcy
  - Ryan
- 26th July
  - Jaymie
Interschool Gymnastics 2016

Monday 5th September to Wednesday 7th September

Please note that the following school events are also planned on the same dates.

- Foundation & L3 Swimming Program (daily)
- LS & L6 City Walk Excursion-6/9/16
- Maths Olympiad 7/9/16

Location: BTYC, 360 Springvale Rd., Manningham Disc, Donvale

This event is organised and initiated by volunteer parents. Please be aware that this is not a Rangeview Primary School event.

Primary Interschool Gymnastics is an annual event delivered by Gymnastics Victoria that is open to all Victorian Primary schools. The aim of the event is to expose gymnastics as a fun and rewarding sport for school aged children of all abilities.

Primary Interschool Gymnastics enables students of all abilities to participate at their own level and to achieve success. The event has been carefully developed to cater for beginner gymnasts with no experience through to club gymnasts that may train and compete regularly.

Registration Form

Child’s Name: _____________________________________________ Level: _____________

Parent/Guardian Name: _______________________________________________________

Parent/Guardian Contact mobile: ______________________________________________

Will your child/ren be competing in Legends (    ) (Experienced competitive gymnasts) OR Champions (    ) (Non competitive gymnasts)

Reminder - it is the parent/guardian responsibility to transport and supervise their child/ren at the event. We will endeavour to have a group of volunteer parents who can work together to transport and supervise the students.

- Are you available to help supervise and/or transport children to and from the event? YES / NO (If yes, please supply your current Working With Children Check card to the office)

- Parent Transport YES / NO (if yes, please fill out a Parent Transport Form, available at the office)

- Parent Supervision at event YES / NO (If yes, please supply your Working With Children Check card to the office)

Please enclose payment of $16.00 (CASH only)

Please return form and payment to the school office by Tuesday, 19th July

If you have any further questions, please contact Cindy Hamilton on 0403 127 190

Next step: We will be advised which session day/time our teams are in by mid-late August and will advise you.

Care is offered for the 2 upcoming Pupil Free Days tomorrow: Wednesday, 20th July and Friday, 19th August.

Please book on-line as soon as possible.

OSHClub Program phone: 0428 882 764
Coordinator: Hannah Ambrose
Assistants: Chloe Tomkins, Stephanie Burns, Courtney Abblitt, Rebecca Park and Zahn Hobson

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 directly 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.

Last term the office sent home order forms for families to order photos in the Miscellaneous Group section. These include: House captains / Band / ISC / Choirs etc. If you have misplaced your named form come to the office for another one.

CUTOFF to order through the office will be Friday, 29th July, 2016. Sample photos are displayed in the school foyer.

1st Mitcham Joey Scout Mob Invites You To
“Come and Try Joey Scouts Fun Night”
Monday, 25th July 2016

Joey Scouts is for kids aged 6 to 7 years.
2nd Mitcham Scout Hall
Cochrane St, Mitcham 6 - 7pm
Free trial, RSVP Jo Davis 0419 717 394

Limited vacancies are currently available for Joeys, Cubs and Scouts.