

DATES TO REMEMBER

Mon 23rd August—Fri 27th August	Book Week—Old Worlds/New Worlds/Other Worlds
Tues 24 August—Wed 25th August	Sovereign Hill—Grade 5 & 6
Friday 27th August	Book Week Dress up Day
Friday 27th August	Finance Meeting Via Webex 9.15 am
Tuesday 31st August	School Council Via Webex 5.00pm
Friday 3rd September	Father's Day Brekky
Friday 10th September	Celebration of Learning/School Photo Day

Thanks for supporting this quick transition to remote and flexible learning.

We miss you all! We miss seeing parents and guardians and being able to have a chat at the gate. We miss seeing our students and engaging in learning with them. Wellbeing and learning are important to us. Our priority is attendance even if not onsite. Attendance will be marked as present if you have at least attempted the learning and/or have contributed to class meetings on WebEx. Good luck and of course... just call out to let us know how things are going. Our community is so important to us.

Enrolment

We are starting our planning for 2022 and need to know enrolment numbers as soon as possible. Please let anyone you know, who might be considering our school to get in touch as soon as possible. Also stay tuned into the website for the upcoming release of our school virtual tour! Very exciting and thank you to Ms Osman for dedicating her time and efforts.

Assembly

It was lovely to see everyone at assembly today gathering as a community of learners. Congratulations Mrs Reyntjes who won the big joke competition.

What's worse than finding a worm in your apple?

Half a worm.

Parent Opinion

Our school is conducting a survey to find out what parents/caregivers/guardians think of our school. The Parent/Caregiver/ Guardian Opinion Survey is an annual survey offered by the Department of Education and Training that is conducted with our parents/caregivers/guardians (previously known as the Parent Opinion Survey). It is designed to assist schools in gaining an understanding of families' perceptions of school climate, student behaviour, student engagement and experiences of remote and flexible learning. Our school will use the survey results to help inform and direct future school planning and improvement strategies. All responses to the survey are anonymous. This year, the Parent/ Caregiver/Guardian Opinion Survey will be conducted from Monday the 9th August to 27th August. The survey will be sent out randomly to 30 lucky families. Please look out for this and return it as soon as possible.

Take care

Kim Carey ~ Principal



Students of the week.

Responsibility:

Tom Kirby, Ajan Rasaratnam, Oscar Clifton, Jefferson Fernando

Principal's Award – Enthusiastic & excited about school:

Caleb Fort



Let's celebrate Book Week and our love of reading at Macarthur Street Primary School.

Friday 27th August come to school dressed as a character from your favourite book. Bring along the book if you have a copy and share it with your class.

Here are some ideas:

- New worlds: NASA Astronaut.
- Old worlds: A mystery in Ancient Egypt.
- Other worlds: Bilbo Baggins – The Hobbit.
- Very old world: Dinosaurs.
- Other worlds: Under the Sea.
- Other worlds: Monsters!
- Other worlds: the world of wizardry and magic!

JOIN US TO TAKE OUR READING TO ANOTHER WORLD!

We're registered to WIN a \$20,000

Play-Based Learning Village for our School!



And if we WIN, so could YOU!

For the chance to win a \$2,000 cubby for home simply register at www.castleandcubby.com.au/pages/competitions



Canteen Orders Friday 6/8/2021

All Canteen Orders purchased for Friday 6/8/2021 will be held over when the canteen is open for operation on Friday 20th August, 2021 (Subject updated DET guidelines)