

## **Mac News**

Friday 22nd November

#### DATES TO REMEMBER

Friday 29th November Friday 29th November Monday 9th December Tuesday 10th December Wednesday 18th December Casual Clothes Day for the Bushfire Appeal Book Club orders due Staff Planning Day - no school Grade Up Day Grade 6 Graduation



BREAKFAST CLUB EVERY FRIDAY 8.15-8.45AM

Dear Parents and School Community,

School Roof: The School Council has been liaising with the Department of Education (DET) and the Victorian

School Building Authority (VSBA) over a long period of time to have the school's roof replaced. SPACES Design, contracted by the VSBA, have been designated as the project managers for this significant undertaking. Building contractors are currently putting documentation together to be submitted to the project manager by mid December. Roof works are expected to commence by the end of the year and the staged project will continue into the 2020 school year. Completion dates and time frames have not yet been determined but the end result for our school will be just fantastic: a complete new roof with new facia, spouting and storm water as well as extensive internal works to address damage to ceilings caused by leakage over the years. Our unreliable concrete tiles will be replaced with a new slate grey Colorbond roof that will have a lineal profile in keeping with the school's original roof which was slate.



Architects impression of what the completed roof will look like

<u>Catherine King Service to the Community Award</u>: Each year, we acknowledge a member of the community who has made significant contributions to the Macarthur Street Primary School community. If you have someone in mind, please let me know by next Wednesday November 27. The award is presented at the school's Final Assembly which is held on Thursday December 19 in the Library.

<u>School Disco December 6:</u> This year's school disco is being held during school hours on Friday December 6 between 1:45 and 3:15pm. Refreshments will be available. Students who do not want to go to the disco can enjoy a movie and popcorn. Students need to choose one of these activities as they will not be able to go between the two.

<u>Final Assembly.</u> An important milestone in the Macarthur Street Primary School year is the Final Assembly on Thursday 19th December at 2.45pm. This acknowledges the end of Primary School for our Grade Six students and a celebration of the achievements of everyone at school this year.

With kind regards,

Andy Backwell ~ Principal



**Responsibility – we are inclusive** - Theo Schrader, Raj Singh, Cerey Booker, Caden Hill.

**Principals Award** - Rory Jones-Mullen.

# Australian Bush Fire Appeal Casual Clothes Day



On Friday 29th November, the JSC is holding a casual clothes day to support the Australian Bush Fire Appeal. Remember to be sun-smart on the day and please bring along a gold coin donation.

## **QUELCH ICY TUBES**

The JSC will be selling Quelch Icy Tubes after Assembly each week this term. Please bring along \$1 to buy an Icy Tube to support the JSC fundraising.



### **SCHOOL TERM DATES FOR 2020**

29 January - 27 March (preps start 30 January)

14 April - 26 June

13 July - 18 September 5 October - 18 December



## Soft Drink Cans—only 60 cents per can



We have lots of left over soft drinks from the Fair and the Bunnings BBQ. Come in and see Fiona if you would like to take advantage of the 60 cents per can offer.

