



Thursday 1st of June

Reservoir Views Primary School acknowledges the Wurundjeri people of the Kulin nation as the traditional custodians of the lands where we live, learn, work and play.

Important Dates - Term 2, 2023							
27th May to the 3rd of June	Reconciliation Week						
Tuesday the 6th of June	Foundation to Year 2 Online Safety Parent/Carer Workshop 7pm to 8:15pm						
Wednesday the 7th of June	Year 3 to Year 6 Online Safety Parent/Carer Workshop 7pm to 8:15pm						
Wednesday the 7th of June	School Council						
Monday the 12th of June	King's Birthday Public Holiday						
Friday the 16th June	School Disco						
Thursday the 22nd of June	Student Led IEP meetings 3:45pm - 7pm						
Friday the 23rd of June	Student Led IEP meetings 9am - 2pm						
2024 ENROLMENTS - Please cor	2024 ENROLMENTS - Please contact the school to book in a school tour with our Principal and Assistant Principal						

Dear Reservoir Views students, families and local community members,

This week our students have been celebrating National Reconciliation Week. This year's theme, **Be a Voice for Generations**, implores all Australians to use their voice and actions to create a better and more just Australia for everyone. It is an important week for all of us to celebrate Indigenous history, culture and achievements and to explore how all of us can contribute towards achieving reconciliation in Australia.

We started the week with our school choir and band's amazing performance of Paul Kelly's and Kev Carmody's remarkable song, *From Little Things Big Things Grow*



Below is a link to an SBS article all about Reconciliation Week.

https://www.sbs.com.au/news/article/national-reconciliation-week-is-here-how-did-it-start-and-why-is-it-signific ant/m1qrn9e7x

Next week there are two online safety parent/carer workshops taking place at school to assist families to help children stay safe online. I recommend an adult member from every household to attend one of these sessions.

Dear Parents and Carers.

We invite you to our upcoming face-to-face workshops on online safety and digital wellbeing for children. The sessions will be led by Bec and Steve from Evolve Education, who will provide practical strategies and resources to help you promote online safety at home.

As parents and carers, you play a critical role in ensuring your child's safety and wellbeing online. With the prevalence of technology in our lives, it's essential to equip ourselves with the skills and knowledge to navigate the digital world safely.

The workshops will be divided into two sessions - one for parents/carers of Prep - Year 2 students and one for parents/carers of Year 3-6 students. These sessions are for adults only and are not suitable for children to attend.

During the 1-hour workshop, you will learn how to model safe and healthy practices, encourage speaking up if things go wrong, communicate openly about online risks, and avoid exposure to harmful content and contact.

We believe attending these workshops will be a valuable investment in your child's future. We encourage you to sign up and join us for an informative and engaging session. There will also be a Q&A session at the end of the workshop where you can ask any questions you may have.

We look forward to seeing you there!

Best regards, Bec and Steve



VALUES CELEBRATIONS AT RESERVOIR VIEWS

Below are our values celebration recipients for weeks 4 and 5. We have focused on our school value of *Courage* over the last two weeks.





FRIDAY 16 JUNE Put on your dancing shoes...

Reservoir Views

Dress for a boogie!

REZZLE DAZZLE DISCO-2023!

Tech free fun!

JUNIOR SCHOOL

Foundation to Grade 2 6pm to 7:20pm

(sign in from 6:00pm)

SENIOR SCHOOL

Grade 3 to Grade 6 7:30pm to 9:15pm

(sign in from 7:30pm)

\$10

Includes: entry, glow stick, drink, popcorn and a treat!

The disco will be staffed by authorised parent/caregiver/ guardian helpers and school staff. No adults besides authorised helpers and staff are allowed.

Brought to you by Bop Til You Drop!

2024 FOUNDATION ENROLMENTS AND SCHOOL TOURS

To assist with workforce planning and numbers for the 2024 school year, we ask that all Foundation enrolments for 2024 are received by Monday the 19th of June.

Please come and see me, Hayriye, Mel or Maryana to schedule a tour or make an enrolment for 2024 or call the school on 9460-6995. We are incredibly proud of our wonderful school and Hayriye and myself thoroughly enjoy meeting with families individually or in small groups to talk about what makes Reservoir Views amazing and to explore our classrooms and facilities.

Reservoir Views Playgroup

Thursdays 9.10-10.50am

Facilitated by a qualified early childhood educator (and local school parent).

Casual, friendly, gently-structured play opportunities for children aged 0-5 years and their carers. Get to know the school and other local families.

Families from the school and the wider community ALL WELCOME.

Free

Starting Thursday February 16th 2023

Please come to the Hickford St school entrance and sign in at the office.

Contact the school for more information: reservoir, views.ps@education.vic.gov.au

Or (03) 9460 6995

Warm regards,

Steve Stafford Principal.



It has been a big couple of weeks. We participated in National Simultaneous Story-time and acknowledged and celebrated both Sorry Day and Reconciliation Week. Foundation classes talked about how the important dates in our history have impacted the Indigenous community and the importance of celebrating the culture and traditions of the traditional owners of our land. We have finished our Inquiry Unit on maps and our world and look forward to learning about weather and the seasons!

National Simultaneous Story-Time

National Simultaneous Story-time book 'The Speedy Sloth' was an enjoyable book with an important message about perseverance, determination and trying our best. We learnt lots of new facts about sloths and enjoyed working with our buddies on a sloth activity.











It is an exciting time in our classrooms. Foundation students are becoming writers! We know that sentences need a subject (noun/who) and a what doing (verb). We are practising using capital letters to start a sentence, full stops at the end and finger spaces between our words.







In Numeracy, Foundation students are adding and subtracting numbers. We are also learning about number lines.









1/2 News



The 1/2s have been writing their own Fables in literacy. We've seen amazingly creative stories with colourful characters and thoughtful morals.

Now that we've completed our Geography unit, and with our excursion to Scienceworks on the horizon, we've also started our Inquiry unit learning all about the sun, the moon and the stars!

For National Reconciliation week, we have revisited the importance of coming together to bring about positive change for all Australians. Our classes have learned about the history behind significant dates including Sorry Day as well as the 27th May and 3rd June which commemorate important steps along the journey toward reconciliation.

Reminders

Our excursion to Scienceworks is coming up on Friday 9th June in week 7. If you haven't yet, please give consent through compass.





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2/3/4 AREA ***

NEWSLETTER



CYBERSAFETY - EVOLVE EDUCATION

We have been working with the dynamic team from Evolve Education, Steve and Bec, to learn different ways to stay safe online. The students learnt ways to protect their identity and their privacy by creating an avatar and username that did not contain any personal information. The importance of creating a strong and memorable password was also a focus. We also emphasised how to be kind to others online and how to respond if others are unkind toward you.



















NATIONAL SORRY DAY

Last week we commemorated National Sorry Day on Friday 26 May, with various learning experiences. We read the book 'Sorry Sorry', that retold the story of the colonisation of our country and how this has impacted First Peoples. The students also learnt to consider others' perspectives about important issues and try to see situations from a point of view that might be different from our own by watching 'My Place: 1788 Waruwi'.

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COURAGE

This week the 5/6s and the whole school have begun to focus on the new school value of 'Courage'. We have learnt about what courage means and how to be courageous in the yard and with our learning. The 5/6s have been doing a range of activities that include courage such as group activities and a wide range of partnering up! We are aiming for the 5/6s to do more courageous activities which include interacting with people, talking in front of audiences, and being brave with our learning.

By Lucy, Allairha and Sofia





YEAR 6 ANTI-RACISM WORKSHOP

On the 22nd of May, the year 6's had the privilege to attend a 'Anti-Racism VVorkshop' hosted by Kid Enterprises and the City of Darebin at the Preston Town Hall. We all travelled by train from Reservoir to Preston which was a fun experience. We learned how to act inclusively and to create an environment where we all feel safe and that can lead to better learning. We all enjoyed having the company of the other schools in the area. Our favourite part of the day was learning about our personal experiences of racism and discussing it with the host.

By Paige, Salma and Will (Diversity Leaders)

CYBER SAFETY

In the 5/6 classrooms, two members from 'Evolve' came to teach us about online safety and cyberbullying. It was very informative and told us not to be rude or unkind to people online. Students were also very honest with the questions, and answered with their true feelings. The class was very focused during the session as well! Overall, it was a very interesting session and the classes enjoyed learning about the topic. They are quite excited for the next sessions and the 5/6s hope to learn more about the virtual world and its boundaries.

By Pavlos, Anakin and Lauchlen





Jun 4

Darebin Creek Community Planting and Wurundjeri Woiwurrung Welcome

Friends of Darebin Creek community habitat planting and Welcome to Country.

When and where



Date and time

Sun, 4 Jun 2023 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM AEST



Location

Kingsbury Bowls Club - Aroh Gibson Reserve (walk to creek from ear park) Dunne Street Kingsbury, VIC 3083

The Friends of Darebin Creek are holding a community planting and cultural connections event on World Environment Day - Sunday June 5.

The day will involve a range of community activities, including a Welcome to Country from a Wurundjeri Woi-wurrung Elder, water bug discovery, a tour of the area including inaturalist instuction and tree planting for small woodland bird habitat as part of establishing a biodiversity corridor in the stretch of Darebin Creek from Nangak Tamboree near Plenty Road to the Ring Road.

A free lunch will be provided at the Kingsbury Bowls club after planting.



AUSLAN



Last week in Auslan we learned the signs for Sea Animals.
The students had fun playing a game 'Guess the Sea Animal' and signing along to a poem about sea animals.
In 5/6, students had a go to listen to and retell the key elements of an Auslan story about sea animals.

Octopus





I am so proud of the Auslan leaders and how they have showed courage to run an Auslan club.

They created, organised and ran games 'Auslan hangman' and 'Auslan BINGO'.

Auslan club is running every Tuesday at lunchtime for this term.







PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Results are out!

ATHLETICS

144.5 points Reservoir PS

134 points Our Lady of the Way

113.5 points Reservoir Views P S

67 points William Ruthven P S

58.5 points Thomastown P S

45 points Kingsbury P S

38 points Reservoir East P S

33.5 points Maharishi

CROSS COUNTRY

531 points Our Lady of the Way

494 points Reservoir P S

394 points Reservoir Views P S

261 points Thomastown P S

243 points St Joseph the Worker

153 points William Ruthven P S

109 points Kingsbury P S

ROUND 4

TEE BALL	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS
William Ruthven	3	3	0	0	84	34	50	9
Reservoir Views	3	2	0	1	105	69	36	6
Kingsbury	3	2	0	1	81	56	25	6
Reservoir	3	2	0	1	71	61	10	6
Our Lady of the Way	3	2	0	1	55	45	10	6
St Joseph the Worker	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Thomastown	3	0	0	3	36	86	-50	0
Reservoir East	4	0	0	4	59	140	-81	0

FOOTBALL	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS
Reservoir	3	3	0	0	121	48	73	9
Reservoir Views	3	2	0	1	207	45	162	6
St Joseph the Worker	2	2	0	0	138	13	125	6
William Ruthven	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Our Lady of the Way	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kingsbury	2	0	0	2	26	111	-85	0
Thomastown	2	0	0	2	13	129	-116	0
Reservoir East	2	0	0	2	7	166	-159	0

NETBALL A	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS
Reservoir East	4	4	0	0	32	9	23	12
Thomastown	4	3	0	1	42	32	10	9
St Joseph the Worker	2	2	0	0	37	13	24	6
Our Lady of the Way	3	2	0	1	31	22	9	6
Reservoir	3	2	0	1	35	29	6	6
Reservoir Views	3	0	0	3	19	35	-16	0
William Ruthven	3	0	0	3	9	36	-27	0
Kingsbury	4	0	0	4	31	60	-29	0

NETBALL B	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS
Reservoir East	4	3	0	1	41	21	20	9
Kingsbury	4	3	0	1	38	28	10	9
Thomastown	4	2	1	1	15	18	-3	7
St Joseph the Worker	2	2	0	0	27	6	21	6
William Ruthven	3	1	1	1	4	10	-6	4
Reservoir Views	3	1	0	2	16	23	-7	3
Our Lady of the Way	3	0	0	3	5	21	-16	0
Reservoir	3	0	0	3	8	27	-19	0

SOCCER	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS
Thomastown	4	3	0	1	50	5	45	9
Our Lady of the Way	3	3	0	0	31	3	28	9
Reservoir	3	3	0	0	28	2	26	9
Kingsbury	4	2	0	2	14	26	-12	6
William Ruthven	3	1	0	2	12	9	3	3
Reservoir East	4	1	0	3	11	24	-13	3
St Joseph the Worker	2	0	0	2	0	30	-30	0
Reservoir Views	3	0	0	3	2	49	-47	0



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RESERVOIR VIEWS PRIMARY SCHOOL

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A Glimpse of Week 5 &6 Term-2, 2023







Last week, our theme was "construction Week"! Children thoroughly enjoyed participating and exploring in wide variety of constructions and building activities over the week. These allowed them to nurture their brain and cooperate with each other to complete tasks. The added benefits of blocks and construction play include the development of concentration, spatial awareness, shape recognition, problem solving skills, social skills and more.

This week is the "National Reconciliation Week"! Children got opportunity participating and exploring in wide variety of artworks that allow them to be involved in process of bringing people with differences together and helping them understand each other. Children truly loved to be engaged in drawing Australian maps, aboriginal flags, dots paintings, harmony beads creation, handprint trees, Clay animals etc. over the week.

What's Next?

- Accessories Arts
- Brainstorming
- Sustainability

Snacks served this week:

Corn Chips with Salsa, Tomato Pasta,
 Vegetables Spring Rolls with sauce, Rice
 Crackers with cheese and salad, Pumpkin
 Soup

-Fresh fruits served with every meal

Contact Head Office

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OUR TEAM NASIMA Ellie NICOLE

Sessions:

Before School: 7:00am – 9:00am After School: 3:30pm – 6:00pm

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