

# The Reservoir VIEW



Thursday 15th 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

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
Monday the 10th of July	First day of Term 3
<b>2024 ENROLMENTS - Please contact the school to book in a school tour with our Principal and Assistant Principal</b>	

Dear Reservoir Views students, families and local community members,

It's hard to believe that we are only one week away from the end of Term 2, this year is absolutely flying by. There could not be a more fitting way to celebrate the wonderful term that we've had at Reservoir Views than a student disco. A big thank you in advance to all of the adult volunteers who will be ensuring this event can take place tomorrow night.

Last week we held two incredibly informative and successful parent/caregiver/guardian online safety workshops. I'd like to thank Jackie Mansourian, Community Development Officer at Darebin City Council for working in partnership with our school to support these sessions taking place.

Last week we also celebrated the release of the **Sound Makers** videos on ABC Education. These were filmed at Reservoir Views and star our multi-talented Anna! Please have a look, they are brilliant!



<https://www.abc.net.au/education/digibooks/sound-makers/102444256>

## 2024 FOUNDATION INFORMATION SESSION AND ORIENTATION DATES.

Our dates for our parent/carer/guardian/caregiver information session next term and our 6 week orientation session have been confirmed.

We will be running an onsite parent/guardian/caregiver information evening here at school at

- **6pm on *Tuesday the 29<sup>th</sup> August*** for all of our 2024 Foundation families. During this evening session we will discuss our orientation program in more detail and be able to answer any questions families may have.

We are currently planning our 2024 Foundation Orientation Program, which will consist of:

- 6 sessions for your child to attend school
- During these session times there will be a number of parent/caregiver/guardian information sessions as well as time to have a cuppa and a chat each week.



**SAVE THE DATES!!!!!!**

### Dates:

Session 1	9:00 – 10:00am	Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> October
Session 2	9:00 – 10:30am	Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> October
Session 3	9:00 – 10:30am	Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> November
Session 4	9:00 – 10:30am	Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> November
Session 5	9:00 – 10:30am	Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> November
Session 6	9:00 – 10:30am	Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> November

The parent/caregiver/guardian and child sessions occur at the same time.

### STUDENT-LED IEP MEETINGS, TERM 2 PLANS AND SEMESTER 1 REPORTING

Student Term 2 Individual Educational Plans and teacher judgement reporting against the Victorian Curriculum for Semester 1 will be sent home on Monday the 19th of June.

Student-led IEP meetings will take place after school on Thursday the 22nd from 3:45pm until 7pm and from 9am to 2pm on Friday the 23rd of June, please make sure you make a booking through Compass.



## BOOK FAIR

A huge thank you to all of our volunteers for the Book Fair, we can't have these special events and fundraisers without your help.

We sold a total of \$4,711 worth of books, WOW! There should be lots of reading happening. This gives the school \$1,392.50 to spend on new books. Hayriye will be asking some of the children their recommendations for our next purchase.

## VALUES CELEBRATIONS AT RESERVOIR VIEWS

Below are our values celebration recipients for weeks 6. We have focused on our school value of *Courage* over the last two weeks.



## OUR STAFF

We just received the digital copies of this year's school photos and I thought I'd share our 'wacky' photo.



DISCO TIME - GET EXCITED EVERYONE, IT'S TOMORROW NIGHT!!!!

Put on your  
dancing shoes...

**FRIDAY  
16 JUNE**

  
Reservoir Views  
PRIMARY SCHOOL

**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)*

ENTRY FEE

**\$10**

PER STUDENT

**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!***



## CROSS COUNTRY LEGENDS!

I'd like to congratulate three of our students, Poppy, Bella and Lorraine for competing in the Northern Metropolitan Region Cross Country event held in Kilmore yesterday.

Progressing to this event is an incredible achievement that has been the culmination of lots of training and commitment. We're all incredibly proud of you!



As announced this week through Compass, I will be on long service leave for all of Term 3 and Hayriye has been appointed as the Acting Principal for the term. I am off with my wife and three children on a camping journey around Australia.

Warm regards,

Steve Stafford  
Principal.



**CASUAL  
CLOTHES  
DAY**



**RAISING  
MONEY FOR  
MND**

BRING \$ 1 , \$ 2

**22nd of June 2023**

**Feel free to wear a blue Big  
Freeze beanie if you have one**

Fundraising Leadership Team - Linden, Mia, Ethan, Alex and Bryan



# Foundation News

## Our week!

What a Term! Foundation students have worked hard, shown courage and grown in so many ways. They are becoming readers and writers. It is a very exciting time!



## Buddy Program

The Buddy Leaders recently ran a session to introduce Foundation students to our school value of "courage". Together, we read the book "We Don't Lose Our Class Goldfish". The book is about facing your fears. We talked about things that we find scary with our buddies and brainstormed ways to overcome our fears.



## Numeracy

In Numeracy, Foundation students have been learning about repeating patterns.





# 1/2 NEWS

It's been an exciting few weeks in the 1/2 area. In literacy, we started learning about procedures, helping us follow sequences and steps in order to make something, such as delicious fairy bread. In maths, we began using tools and informal units (like textas, paperclips or blocks) to measure and estimate the length of different things around our classrooms.

We also had our long-awaited excursion to Scienceworks. After a long bus trip, we began our day by looking through the general viewing exhibitions. We saw and felt our way through 'Beyond Perception', skipped and jumped into sporting science at 'Sportworks' and looked into the technology of the future at 'Think Ahead'. Next, we went to the planetarium to watch 'Tycho to Mars' and learned all about the red planet as well as the constellations we can see in the night sky. It was a fantastic experience for all!



## Reminders

- IEP meetings will be running after school on Thursday 22nd June and all day on Friday 23rd. Please book a time through compass at your earliest convenience.

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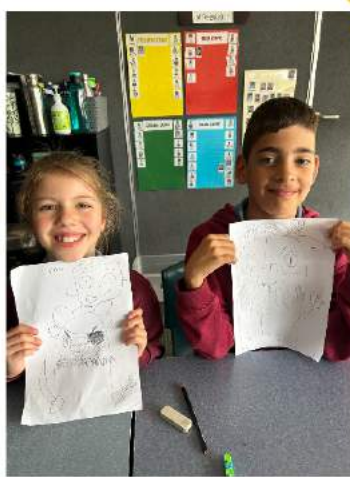
# 2/3/4 AREA NEWSLETTER



## WRITING



Our grade 2/3/4 students have been busy learning how to write a letter. Students have used the facts they learnt about what life was like for convicts who travelled on the First Fleet.



## MEET THE ILLUSTRATOR

On Tuesday the 2/3/4 area got to participate in a Zoom meeting with Matt Cosgrove. Matt is a talented illustrator who did the drawings for Macca the Alpaca and Epic Fail Tales. Our students loved learning how to draw his famous characters!



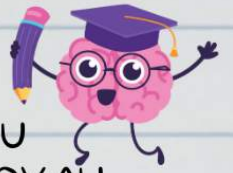
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# 5/6 AREA



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## YARD LEADERS

Throughout this term, the yard leaders have been working a lot on the program they created. Next week we will be teaching and training the rest of the 5/6 students through our own created slides on how to do the yard leaders program. The yard leaders job is all about making sure the whole school has an enjoyable and safe time out in the yard.

By Aydin, Jett, Jonathan, Ali and Diesel (Yard Leaders)



## INTER-SCHOOL SPORTS

Inter-school sports was a blast. Our sports were tee-ball, netball, football and soccer. We all showed lots of great sportsmanship, learnt new skills and used plenty of teamwork.

It was so much fun making new friends from many different schools and everyone did a great job even when they didn't win. Everybody has been so positive and we are looking forward to playing our last game for the season.

By Ana, Elli and Kailey (Art Leaders)

## RELAXATION CLUB

As Wellbeing club leaders we have been helping to run the 'Relaxation' Lunchtime Club every Wednesday. We organise and run activities that are based around allowing students from all years time to wind down in a quiet space such as mindful colouring. A lot of preps and 1/2's love this club and enjoy it every time.

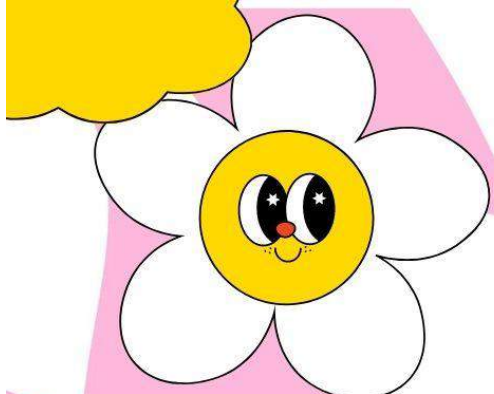
By Jacob, Ava B, Kobe and Maki (Wellbeing Leaders)

## PARLIAMENT PRIZE

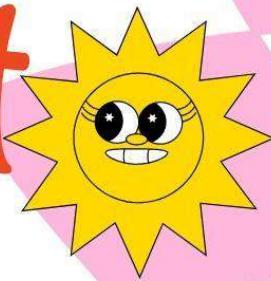
Over the past two weeks, the 5/6's have been working on the 'Parliament Prize' project. We have brainstormed and each chosen a problem in our local community to address through the process of a 'Members Speech'. Some topics we have chosen are not enough seats on the train's platform, large trucks driving through narrow streets and free weekend sport opportunities just to name a few. We all wrote a 90 second members speech and recorded ourselves delivering it, in hopes to win a prize!

By Phoenix, Santos, Ava H and Harry





# Art



## HIGHLIGHTS





# AUSLAN

Octopus

This term in Auslan we have been practising to 'turn and sign' with our class mates to communicate without our voice.

We have been signing greetings, asking 'how are you?' and signing how we are feeling today. We have also had a go to ask and answer questions about our family and our like and dislikes.

Last week we all presented this conversation in front of our class.

Well done to everyone for being courageous and having a go - you did a fantastic job!



This week we have been learning some signs for rooms and things Around the House.

Students have had lots of fun playing 'Pictionary' to draw and guess by signing one of our learnt signs.





# Music



## Highlights from Term 2





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**WEEKLY RECAP**

DATE: 5<sup>th</sup> June – 9<sup>th</sup> June



**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY**

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**ATTENDANCE: TERM - 2 WEEK -7**

DAYS	BEFORE CARE	AFTER CARE
Monday	11	25
Tuesday	13	36
Wednesday	9	36
Thursday	14	26
Friday	13	24

**ACTIVITIES HIGHLIGHTS: TERM - 2 WEEK -7**

**THEME: Accessories Arts Week**

Monday

*Beads Jewellery*

Tuesday

*Pasta jewellery*

Wednesday

*Loom bands Jewellery*

Thursday

*Friendship bracelet*

Friday

*Rainbow wall décor*

**MEALS**

**Breakfast Time: 7.30am – 8.30am**

**Menu:** Toast with butter, honey, vegemite, jam  
Cereal, weetbix, rice bubbles with milk

**Afternoon Tea: 3.30pm – 4.00pm**

**Monday:** Tomato Pasta

**Tuesday:** Noodles with peas and corns

**Wednesday:** Corn Chips with Salsa

**Thursday:** Rice crackers with cheese and salad

**Friday:** Pizza rolls

All meals served with fresh fruits.



This week we have enjoyed variety of Accessories Arts! Children loved the process of creating jewellerys and other handmade items out of pompoms, beads, loom bands, color papers etc. and their finished creations are often made for excellent gifts for loved ones. Along with accessories arts and crafts, they enjoyed participating in their regular indoor and outdoor free play with their peers or group of friends. Activities involving bead crafts and jewellery provide learning opportunities for children, from counting, sorting, and differentiating shapes, colours, and textures, to developing fine motor skills and encouraging creativity.

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# WINTER SCHOOL HOLIDAY SPORTS PROGRAM

Join us for a multi-sport holiday program with Basketball, Soccer, Tennis and other fun sports games and activities!

**Narrandjeri Stadium**  
281 Darebin Road, Thornbury 3071

Week 1 - Mon 26/06 - Fri 30/06

Week 2 - Mon 03/07 - Fri 07/07

**Darebin Community Sports Stadium**  
857 Plenty Road, Reservoir VIC 3073

Week 1 - Mon 26/06, Wed 28/06 & Fri 30/06

Week 2 - Mon 03/07, Wed 05/07 & Fri 07/07

## Time

Mon-Thurs 9.00am - 3.30pm; Fun Fridays 9am-1pm\*

## Cost

Mon-Thurs \$85 p/child OR \$99 with lunch;  
Fun Friday \$60 p/child or \$74 with lunch included.  
Book 2 or more full days and pay only \$80 p/child.



Scan QR code and  
book online today

\*Drop off period 9am-9.30am,  
activities start at 9.30am.

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# THE DAREBIN FRUIT SQUAD NEEDS YOU!

Are you a Darebin resident with a fruit tree (or vine) and extra harvest to share?

Would you like to help improve food security in your local area?

## Join the Darebin Fruit Squad!

**The Darebin Fruit Squad have teams that can harvest your fruit or collect it from your home, and share it with the community through food relief.**

For more information or to organise a visit from the Squad, scan the QR code, call 9480 8207 or email us at: [fruitsquad@divrs.org.au](mailto:fruitsquad@divrs.org.au)

DIVRS is a volunteer-powered community organisation that provides free services, programs, information and support for people in Darebin.



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FRUIT SQUAD**

