

The Reservoir VIEW



Thursday 23rd November

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 4, 2023

Wednesday 29th November	School Council @ 6pm
Tuesday 5th December	Grade 6 Graduation
Wednesday 6th December	Foundation Graduation
Tuesday 12th December	Statewide Year 6 to Year 7 Orientation Day
Thursday 14th December	IEP meetings 3:35 pm to 7 pm
Friday 15th December	IEP meetings 9 am to 2 pm - Pupil Free Day
Tuesday 19th December	<i>Reservoir Views Has Got Talent</i>
Tuesday 19th December	Last Day for Students - 3.30pm finish
Wednesday 20th December	Pupil free day
Monday 29th January 2024	School Staff begin 2024 school year
Tuesday 30th January 2024	Foundation Students begin 2024 school year
Wednesday 31st January 2024	Year 1 to 6 student begin 2024 school year
Tuesday 13th February 2024	Welcome Picnic
Reservoir Views Primary School is committed to creating and maintaining a child safe and child-friendly organisation, where children and young people are safe and feel safe.	

Dear Reservoir Views students, families and local community members,

It's hard to believe that there are only 18 days left of this school year! It has been a jam packed term to date.

Our 6 week kinder to orientation program concluded today and we can't wait for our new preppies to start their school journey at Reservoir Views in 2024.

I'd like to also thank our community for supporting our colour run spectacular last week, it was loads of fun and the money fundraised contributed to the cost of our amazing mural.



2024 START DATES

The start of the 2024 school year for school staff on Monday the 29th of January. On this day the school office will be open for uniform purchases and enquiries from 10am to 2:30pm.

We are mixing things up next year and instead of having our Foundation students starting a day after students in Years 1 to 6, they will be starting a day before the rest of the school. This will allow them to have their first day of school having the school buildings and grounds to themselves.

Foundation students will begin their school journey on **Tuesday the 30th of January**.

Students in **Years 1 to 6** will begin the 2024 school year on **Wednesday the 31st of January**.

VALUE AWARD WINNERS



Warm regards,

Steve Stafford
Principal.

Foundation News

Our week!

Foundation students have had another fortnight packed with learning. In Maths they have been learning about different ways that we measure time: days, months, seasons and years. In Phonics they have been adding suffixes s, es, ed and ing to base words. In Writing, students have been learning how to use conjunctions, such as but, because, after and before, to improve their writing.

Fun Run

What a wonderful way to end week 7 with the Colour Fun Run. Not only did we raise a lot of money for the school, we had so much fun doing it! Thank you to all the families that helped raise money and squirt us with the colours!!



Inquiry

For Inquiry we experimented with a variety of items to discover which would sink or float: feather, ball, coin, wooden block, spoon and rock. After testing these items, students were challenged to make something from the same material both sink and float. We used playdough and knew that as a ball it would sink, but how could we make it float? Ask your child what they discovered through this experiment!

1/2 News



This Fortnight In 1/2

To conclude our investigation of simple machines, we had an incursion where we were able to get lots of hands on experience with simple machines and see how they can make work easier. This was a really fun few sessions where we learnt a lot!

Last week we also had the colour run which was super fun and we did an amazing job of raising lots of Money for the school! Thank you to everyone that contributed to an awesome afternoon!



Reminders

- It's term 4 and that means we need a hat to play outside. Please make sure your child has a hat so they can enjoy their play time.
- Please help your child to read every night and complete their homework by Friday.

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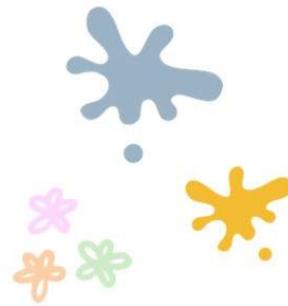
NEWSLETTER



REMEMBRANCE DAY



We commemorated Remembrance Day in 2/3/4 by learning about Australia's involvement in World War I. We read 'In Flanders Field', which was a poem about fallen soldiers in France. We then made poppies and wore them proudly to show our respect.



MATHS - AREA

We have been learning the Maths concept of Area this term. It's been lots of hands-on fun! We collaborated in small groups to make an area of paper that measured 1 square metre.



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Feel free to contact us via email or drop by the classroom. If you need to talk to us in depth please make an appointment with your classroom teacher.

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REMINDERS

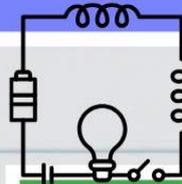
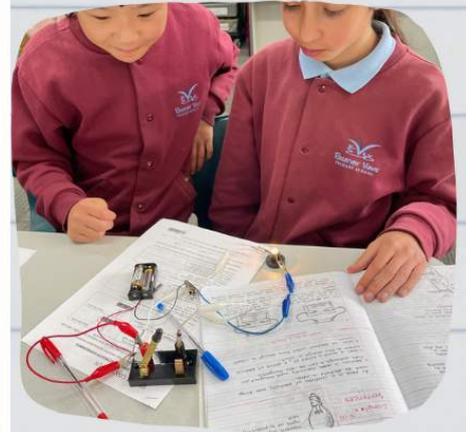
With the weather getting hotter, please make sure to bring a hat, you're wearing sunscreen, and bringing a water bottle to stay safe and comfortable..

Dates:

Grade 5 Taster Day - Friday 1st December

Graduation - Tuesday 5th December

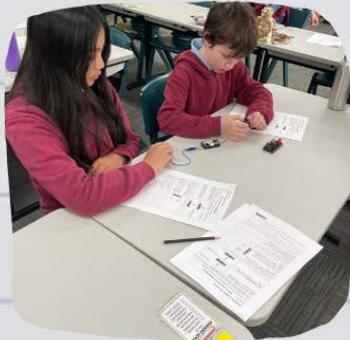
Year 7 Government School Transition - Tuesday 12th December



ELECTRICAL CIRCUITS

Throughout the last couple of weeks, we have been learning about electrical circuits. We did an experiment where the aim was to figure out how to get the light bulb to light up. It was a bit complicated, trying to figure out what wires should be connected but we had fun. This was a good way to learn about electricity and see everything that we have been learning about in real life.

Written by Jonathan and Jett



COLOUR FUN RUN

Last Friday we had our whole school Colour Fun Run. The Colour Fun Run is when you run through a range of colours that are getting thrown at us by teachers and families. We had to wear black or white t-shirts so the colour would stand out when you are running. This year's total we would have to raise was \$10,000 to be able to slime Steve. We didn't quite make that much but we were very close and we are thankful for all the support from our RVPS families. We raised \$8,929 and we still got to slime Steve. It was such an enjoyable time raising the money for the mural and able to slime Steve.

Written by Bryan, Angela and Jacob



Music

Don't miss us!
F-2 Choir will perform at assembly next **Monday 27th November.**



In Foundation, we are saying and playing our “ta” and “titi” rhythms on instruments.



In grades 1/2, we are learning to represent pitch patterns on pitch lines.



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Music

In grades 2/3/4, we have been writing, creating and sharing rhythm patterns with our new rhythm “tikatika”.

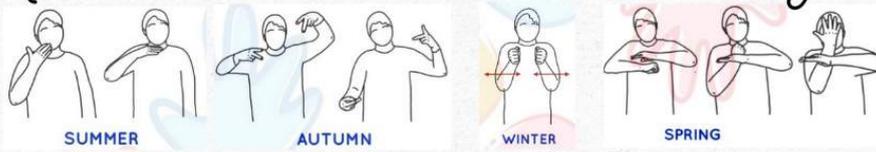


In grades 5/6, we are independently practising our skills on the ukulele and drum kit.



Auslan

In Auslan we have been learning about the Seasons



We have also been listening to and telling Auslan stories through mime and depicting signs.

Storytime



Students have been having a go at acting it out as a way of communicating



They have been working with their peers to present scenarios to their classes.



Foundation students have enjoyed playing games such as Slow motion animals this week.





ART

Look what we are working on!



ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

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A Glimpse of Week 7 & 8

This fortnight, we have had a chance to show our respect to Remembrance Day and celebrate Universal Children's Day. Children enjoyed participating in wide variety of arts and crafts. This gave them an opportunity to express their opinions, emotions, and aspirations empowering them to have a voice in their community. We ran some indoor and outdoor activities promoting various skills contributing to children's development. Moreover, children have been exploring and engaging with our new games/ activities collection. We cannot wait to add more to our program.

What's Next?

- Festive Season Week
- Santa's Workshop Week

Holiday Program is open for booking NOW!

Visit theircare.com.au for more information!

IMPORTANT

Bookings are essential prior to attendance. We cannot guarantee a place for your children without bookings.

Visit theircare.com.au for bookings.



Snacks served this week:

- Pasta, Burritos, popcorn, nachos, rice crackers, sandwiches, dips

-Fresh fruits & vegetables served with every meal



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Sessions:

Before School: 7:00am – 9:00am

After School: 3:30pm – 6:00pm



Group Guitar Lessons at Reservoir House

Learn how to play the guitar with simple and approachable steps in a fun group atmosphere.

Reservoir local Justin Bernasconi is a highly regarded guitar teacher who has been working in music education for almost two decades.

His work spans Primary and Secondary schools (private & state), music therapy for adults with special needs, and Guitar Masterclasses.

Thursday Class Times

3:30 – 4:15pm (45mins) – High School Students \$25 per student

4:15pm – 4:45pm (30mins) Primary School Students \$25 p/s

4:45pm - 5:15pm (30mins) Adult Beginner \$25 p/s

5:15 – 6pm (45mins) Adult Intermediate \$35 p/s

Bookings are limited

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Working With Children Check

GIRLS FOOTY CLINICS
U10, 12, 14, 16 & YOUTH GIRLS
ALL CLINICS ARE FREE

NEW AND EXISTING PLAYERS WELCOME. BRING A FRIEND. BUILD CONFIDENCE. DEVELOP YOUR SKILLS. COME TO HAVE FUN!

WHEN: WEDNESDAY 22, 29 NOVEMBER AND 6 DECEMBER, 5PM – 8PM

WHERE: HP ZWAR RESERVE, CNR JESSIE & CRAMER STREETS, PRESTON (ENTER VIA BRUCE STREET)

TO REGISTER FOLLOW THE LINK [HTTPS://FORMS.GLE/P10WdQZZVYMKXLP9](https://forms.gle/P10WdQZZVYMKXLP9) OR USE THE QR CODE

CHANGE THE GAME **VICTORIA**



JOIN WITH FRIENDS PLAY TOGETHER

Join Woolworths Cricket Blast
 For girls aged 5-10
 Darebin Falcons Women's Sports Club
 Sundays 11am-12pm
 8 weeks
 26 November, 3, 10, 17 December, 4, 11, 18, 25 February
 AH Capp Reserve, Halwyn Crescent, Preston
 Registration: \$98
 Contact: Emma Sampson 0408 567 957, cricket@falcons.org.au



REGISTRATIONS NOW OPEN SUNDAY 3 DECEMBER 2023

A FAMILY FUN DAY FULL OF T-BALL & SOFTBALL AT FAWKNER PARK, SOUTH YARRA



FOR KIDS AGED 5-12
 ENTER YOUR
 SCHOOL TEAM OR AS AN INDIVIDUAL PLAYER
 (& BE PLACED IN A TEAM)
 COACHES & SUPPORT PROVIDED FOR SCHOOL TEAMS

