Dear Parents and Students,

This week’s Gazette has some fantastic photos of parents and students taking part in the showcase day. We also expect some great shots of our book week parade last Friday in coming weeks.

‘FATHERS DAY STALL’:
A reminder that is will take place tomorrow morning so please ensure you bring your order/money with you. Thank you to Michala and her team of volunteers - and happy Father’s day too!

‘HOOPTIME’:
I am sure there will be a full report from Rob about the event, but as Principal and coach I would like to once again congratulate all our students for their sportsmanship and enthusiasm - we are all really proud of your efforts.

‘INFORMATION FOR THE NEXT TWO WEEKS’:
I will be away on Long service leave over the next two weeks. My wife and I are tackling the deserts of S.A. (including the ‘Simpson’) in our 4wd. In my absence, please see Rob Ferguson or Sharyn in the office for any enquires. In advance I also wish everyone a happy holiday and look forward to seeing you all in term 4.

‘HOT LUNCH PROGRAM’:
Only two hot lunch days left in this popular program. Thank you to our amazing group of parents who have volunteered to run this event each Wednesday throughout term three.

‘OCTOBER ‘WALK TO SCHOOL’ MONTH’:
Once again we are encouraging everyone to support their children to walk or ride to school where possible. Of course, we’d really like to reduce the number of cars at pick up times and encourage children’s fitness as well. To celebrate this idea, we hold a special walk to school day and this will be on Friday 30th October. Even if you live far away we have ideas for your family to take part so watch out for information in the first week’s of term four.

‘BUILDING NEWS’:
Over the next month we will see the building of our covered way commence. This structure will join the new art room to the main building and provide a dry undercover area for the Prep/One outdoor space.

‘HEADLICE’:
We have had a few cases of head lice reported to the school, could you please check your child’s hair on a regular basis to help prevention of head lice.

Regards Chris & Staff

More news over the page>>>>>
Congratulation to the 21 grade 5/6 students who participated in hoop time last week. They proudly represented our school and did a terrific job in terms of both behaviour and effort. Our future stars team qualified for the grand final where they lost to a very good Nilma team. A very big thank you to the many parents who transported and supported the children. Your help is very much appreciated.

We wish good luck to Will Battley, Xavier Muir, Alex Kerr, Zak Kenny, Lara Steenholdt, Charlie Attwell, Reilly Mills, Steven Summerfield, Jaxson Smith, Liam Ancilleri, Halle Wouters, Ruby Davie, Abby Battley, Elise Kerr and Maddy Mullen who will be representing our school and sports association in the division athletics at Newborough next Thursday.
Hi everyone,
It has been awhile since our last newsletter, I am pleased to be running on Wednesdays again, and welcome our new friends Kate and Matthew. We have been very busy at ASC, our friends have been making some beautiful water coloured butterflies and flowers which we have displayed as well as making clay items, such as bowls and other shapes. We have been very lucky to have been given some fantastic new games and craft items. We have had a lot of fun using them, so thank you for the donations. Our friends have taken advantage of the great weather and have been playing outdoors. Our indoor popular play has been: Building cubbies - Leggo - Dvd’s - Card games - Drawing /Painting - Clay. Our menu items have been: Chocolate sponge cake for our birthdays - Chicken 2 minute noodles - Jelly and Custard - Raisin toast - Dips with vegetable sticks and rice crackers - The popular steamed dim sims - Hot dogs - Vanilla yoghurt - Salada biscuits with cheese and vegemite.
We would like to wish all our Dads and Granddads and special persons in our lives a very Happy Father’s Day.
Have a great weekend everyone. Ange.
I like After School Care because we cook things and make clay things! I have lots of fun!
By Kate.
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Poems are hard
Poems are really tricky
I’m going to say farewell
Because my hands are getting sticky!

**Limerick Poem by Melissa Kennedy**

A lioness wakes in her cave to her cub gnawing on her ear. She opens her eyes and the sandy cub looks at her with mischievous eyes. He wants to play. So she runs with him through the dry brown grasses of Arica. Alone and free there’s not a living thing in sight. Getting now hot and bothered, she takes him to a shallow pool near Acacia trees. They wade and drink the cool clear water where their surroundings are a shiny reflection. They jump and splash like there’s no tomorrow. After a while they grow tired. They settle down to rest in the shade of a tree. Slowly they fall into a calm relaxed world where there are no animals to stop them and no world that’s going to end. They dream on and on, their quiet bodies glittering with sunset sun. Suddenly the lioness wakes with a start it is now midnight black. She senses something sour in the air. An unknown smell comes to her sensitive nose. Quickly she takes him by the gruff of his neck in her jaws. As she lay’s in down in the cave, she grows hungry. They had not eaten for a couple of days. Careful and alert, she runs to a clearing where animals of all sorts graze. She crouches low and waits for a long time. Then a group of hyenas pass the through the clearing. She spots a hyena struggling behind the group. Then suddenly she pounces. The odd looking creature is soon firmly in her jaws its limp body now lifeless. As she turns to leave a shot rings out. She has no clue where it came from or what it is. Frightened she bolts for cover. The hyena is flopping around like a headless chicken. Suddenly a figure looms into view. She dodges it and is propelling her legs faster and faster. Another shot rings out. It is close but not close enough. Finally she reaches home all in one piece. She drops the hyena to the floor. The cub starts biting with gnashing teeth to get the tough skin off. As she lies down to rest she now’s the hunter is gone but gone forever.

**Imagery Narrative by Olivia Muir**
In the plane ready to fly up so very high.
Engines revving like a fierce lion,
Ready to go from Melbourne to Mumbai.
Here I am in Mumbai, hot and great
Big blue skies, while I’m here I might grab a pie,
But no time I have to get to Dubai.
In Dubai, deserts dunes pleasant noons and just to soon
Need to go to London.
In London from the county to the cities.
It’s a pleasant sight it may have gave me a little smight.
No time to waste got to go to Tokyo.
In Tokyo, large skyscrapers and beautiful mountains.
It may just blind your eyes!
Look at the time, need to go to Rio De Jeniro.
In Rio, colourful, festive, neon streets, there’s no place I would rather be.
But soon I have to go to Bangkok.
In Bangkok tasty food and nice people.
It may just hypnotise you!
Breathtaking are the sites but there is no place I would rather be than
Home Sweet Home…….Travel

Free Verse Poem By Jay Jay Radford

Big Write,
it’s not the best sight.
Pencils are getting less and less,
however the books are getting more of a mess.

The scorching heat you may say,
it will never go astray.
Pink, purple, orange and red,
the candles are kept in a dwarf like shed.

Miniature pyramids are about,
they are here to shout.
Use us use me,
but sometimes that cannot be.

The teacher orders you write this and that,
but not anything to do with a bat.
You get given one topic after another,
while you get help from your mother.

Free Verse Poem By Elyse Kerr

One little bird up in a tree
Two little birds sat on me
Three little birds sat on a cat
Four little birds pick a cap
Five little birds kick a ball
Six little birds crash into a wall
Seven little birds made a store
Eight little birds went through a maze
Nine little birds had a gaze
Ten little birds had a killer lazer.

Limerick Poem By Tyler Vagana
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