

RESERVOIR PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER No. 3 **30th March 2022**



Hello again to all our school families!

This term has seen so many wonderful events; students have settled in and all classes are working well. After two disruptive years, it's great to be able to plan and know that it will actually happen.

This week is planning time for the teachers as they organise their program for Term 2. I know that some excursions have already been booked. That's something to look forward to.

At the start of term two, we plan to have parents come into the school yard again, both before school in the mornings and after school. We would also like to re-start our "volunteer" program for parents who have some time and would like to assist in classrooms.

Our Friday assemblies should get back to normal with classes presenting at each assembly. When a class is presenting, the parents of that class will be able to attend – IF they are FULLY VACCINATED.

I shall put out more information regarding this before the end of term.

Today the staff said farewell officially to Jennifer De Silva and Sian Petricevich; they have both found employment elsewhere. Jennifer began teaching at Reservoir in 2001 and Sian started in 2015. Many of you would remember both of these outstanding teachers and acknowledge their contribution to the students at Reservoir Primary School.

Athletics

Our own School Athletics were enjoyed at Edwardes Lake on 18th February – photos of our students competing for their House Colours.



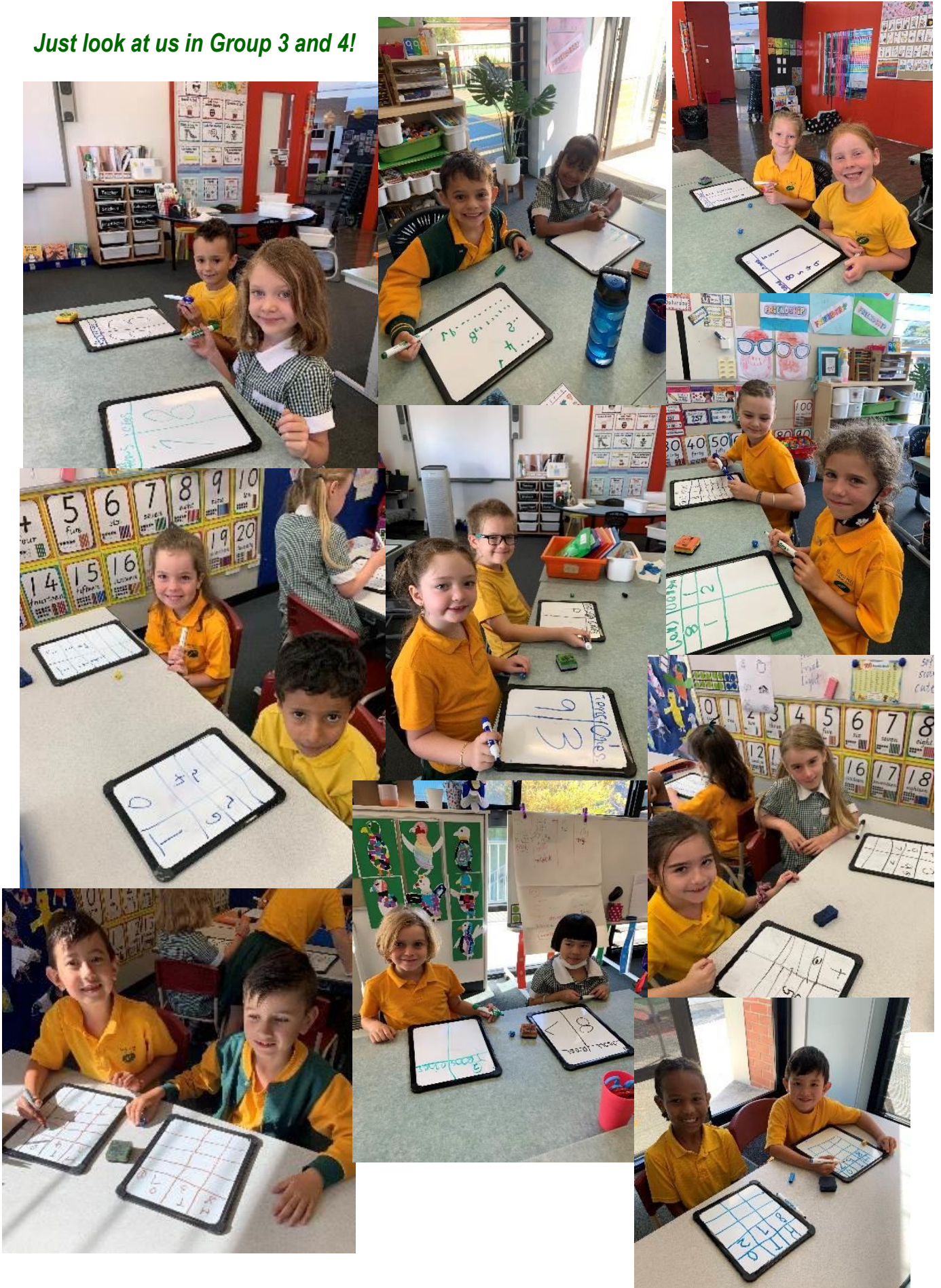
Then on March 18th we took part in the District Athletics Carnival – held at Meadowglen Athletics Stadium.

What a great day that was; so many of our students put in a tremendous effort – and that is all we expect. Many ribbons were won and overall, our school came second. We competed against Our Lady of the Way, Kingsbury, Thomastown, Maharishi, Reservoir Views and William Ruthven.



In Maths this term the Year 1 and 2's enjoyed exploring Place Value through activities that have been engaging and effective for developing number sense and conceptual understanding.

Just look at us in Group 3 and 4!





<p>1st April Year 5 students visit Reservoir High</p> <p>8th April Last Day of Term 1 School Finishes – 2:30pm</p> <p style="text-align: center;">2022 UPCOMING EVENTS</p> <p>2nd – 4th May Year 3/4 Lake Dewar Camp</p> <p>15th – 17th June Year 5/6 Anglesea Camp</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">2022 TERM DATES</p> <p>Term 2: 26th April – 24th June</p> <p>Term 3: 11th July – 16th September</p> <p>Term 4: 3rd October – 20th December</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>
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NAPLAN ONLINE

We have successfully completed a school readiness test and coordinated practice test. This was held across the state and nationally to establish whether the school servers could cope with the amount of data and input at one time. There are no results from this test run. Official NAPLAN online will take place in May.

Reservoir Primary School is on Facebook.



Please 'Like', 'Follow' and 'Share' us on Facebook -
<https://www.facebook.com/reservoirprimaryschool> and watch out for our upcoming Instagram page.

REMINDERS
UNIFORMS

Full school uniform should be worn every day. Our school uniforms can be purchased at the main office between 8:30am – 9:30am Monday to Friday.

Timetable

Gates will be open at 8:45 every morning. Students can play in the grounds until the bell rings at 8:55; music will then be played for five minutes. This is the time when they move into their classrooms. The final bell will ring at 9:00 by which time students should be in their classrooms ready to start their learning. Students can access only two gates at the moment: the new one in Barton Street down near the playground equipment, and opposite that in O'Connor Street. When the Gym is finished, there will be a new gate in O'Connor Street adjacent to the gym building.

All students are dismissed at 3:30pm – when the bell goes. **It is very important that your child knows which gate to meet you at.**

Students **should not have mobile phones/smart watches** at school. If there is a specific reason why you feel your child needs to bring a phone/smart watch, you need to speak to Connie Williams or myself. If we agree that the phones can come to school, they must be brought to the office in the mornings. WE will keep them safe during the day and they can be collected at 3:30 before the students goes home.

CAMPS

The Camp for Years 3 and 4 takes place during the second week of next term; 2nd to 4th May. Students will be enjoying Lake Dewar. This “away from home” experience is extremely valuable but also really enjoyable as the activities provided are terrific fun.

ASSEMBLY

At assembly last week our 2022 Young Leaders were presented with their badges in front of their parents and of course the whole school.

Years 1 and 2 students also presented some ideas and messages about their Harmony Day celebrations. Ramon and Afreen explained that Harmony Day is part of the much bigger Neurodiversity Week – and presented some very interesting facts.



AWARDS

Congratulations to the following students, who were presented with **Student of the Week** awards:

On the 4th March 2022:

- Group 1: Declan N**
- Group 2: Claudia Y**
- Group 3: Alfie C**
- Group 4: Hasan R**
- Group 5: Rafael V**
- Group 6: Eli P**
- Group 7: Razan Al A**
- Group 9: Zane T**
- Group 10: Elliot W**
- Group 12: Jacob W**
- Group 13: Stella R**
- Group 14: Samuel B**

On the 11th March 2022:

- Group 1: Chloe G**
- Group 2: Alastair C**
- Group 3: Rasa M**
- Group 4: Rose B**
- Group 5: Natalie C**
- Group 6: Rafael V**
- Group 7: Zahra A-S**
- Group 9: Macy A**
- Group 10: Lucas M**
- Group 12: Mia F**
- Group 13: Anvi S**
- Group 14: Raihan V**

On the 25th March 2022:

- Group 1: Adhira M**
- Group 2: Anwah A**
- Group 3: Maddison S**
- Group 4: Lotte T**
- Group 5: Emily L**
- Group 6: Sophia P**
- Group 7: Adam Al N**
- Group 9: Juke S**
- Group 10: Jayden Y**
- Group 12: Novia D**
- Group 13: Omar H**
- Group 14: Aminata D**

Congratulations to the following students, who were presented with **Achievement** awards:

On the 4th March 2022:

- Group 1: Anna R**
- Group 2: Amina N**
- Group 3: Keira P**
- Group 4: Lujain A**
- Group 5: Owen M**
- Group 6: Aniya K**
- Group 7: All of Group 7**
- Group 9: Aylin S**
- Group 10: Rueben U**
- Group 12: Koichiu S**
- Group 13: Shaan S**
- Group 14: Daniel McL**

On the 11th March 2022

- Group 1: Joh S**
- Group 2: Eric H**
- Group 3: Abigail P**
- Group 4: Lucy G**
- Group 5: Nethmi S**
- Group 6: Catalina T**
- Group 7: Layla L**
- Group 9: Florenzo F**
- Group 10: Sultan A**
- Group 12: Toby M**
- Group 13: Sameeha A**
- Group 14: Osama H**

On the 25th March 2022

- Group 1: Partap S**
- Group 2: Rueben E**
- Group 3: Matteo P**
- Group 4: Hattie C**
- Group 5: Lior M**
- Group 6: Arnav k**
- Group 7: Amos S**
- Group 9: Donna D**
- Group 10: Mabel P**
- Group 12: Leo L**
- Group 13: Rokea R**
- Group 14: Suliman H**

'You Can Do It' Award

4th March – Group 12 For quickly picking up the rules and organising themselves in a modified game of T-Ball /European Handball during P.E.

11th March – Group 7 For showing friendship and support to a new student in his first AUSLAN lesson.

25th March – Group 1 For being well organised, getting drink bottles, lining up and getting along amazingly whilst skipping in P.E.

SUBWAY LUNCH ORDER FORM 2022

- Subway lunches are available **FRIDAYS ONLY**.
- All orders MUST be in **THURSDAY morning**. **No late orders will be accepted.**
- Place completed **ORDER FORM** and **CORRECT CHANGE** (no change will be given) in envelope and return to classroom teacher **Thursday morning**.
- Separate orders are required for each child.

STUDENT FULL NAME **GROUP**

- **Indicate which "Sub" and "Salads" with ✓**

<u>SUBS</u>		
	Six inch: Vegetarian Delight	\$4.70
	Six inch: Ham	\$6.00
	Six inch: Chicken Pieces	\$7.50
	Six inch: Roast Beef	\$6.70
	Six inch: BMT (Salami & Ham)	\$6.60
	Six inch: Turkey	\$7.00
	Four inch: Ham	\$5.00
	Four inch: Turkey	\$5.50
	Four inch: Roast Beef	\$5.00
	Four inch: Chicken Pieces	\$6.00
	Cookie	\$1.20
	Total Money Enclosed	\$

<u>SALADS</u>	
	Cheese
	Lettuce
	Tomato
	Cucumber
	Carrot
	Salt/Pepper
	Mayonnaise

- * Please note that Subway do not put butter on their rolls
- * Only listed subs are available through School Lunch Orders. If you wish to purchase outside this list, you must do this through Subway directly and then deliver to the school office.