

Issue No. 26

22nd August, 2024

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| Book Week activities | Friday 23rd August |
| Grade 6 BEAT performances | Tuesday 27th and Wednesday 28th August |
| Father's Day stall | Friday 30th August |
| Mini Olympics | Wednesday 4th September |
| Somers Camp | 10th to 18th September |
| Gr 2 sleepover & P.1 and 2 dinner | Thursday 12th September |

"Every Day Counts"

If your child is absent from school we must have a note, phone call or you can also enter the reason directly onto COMPASS to explain the absence.

This is required by the Department for our records.

Contact School Council: rceps.schoolcouncil@gmail.com

This week assembly will be run by Prep. It will be starting at 9.05 am.

Book Week Parade - 23rd August

Tomorrow we will be holding our annual book week parade followed by fun activities. The parade will be held at the end of assembly which will **commence at 9.05am.**

Students and staff are encouraged to dress up as a book character for the day. Traditionally this has been a great day with book activities throughout the day and lots of fun costumes.

Every year it is difficult to come up with new ideas. Below are some costumes from previous years that might help you......











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School Cleaner Required

Alternative Cleaning Enterprise, your School Cleaning

contractor, is looking to employ a Permanent Part-time cleaner at the school. Immediate start for the right person.

The job is every weekday 2.75 hours per day (2:45-5:30), 13.75 hours total per week.

You must have or be willing to get a Working With Children Check

(Employee) card and abide by the current Covid requirements as set by the Department of Education.

Please send Resume and or introduction letter to patch65@bigpond.net.au



Swimming

All students will have the opportunity to attend swimming lessons at the First Stroke Swimming complex. The lessons will be 30 minutes in duration for all year levels this year. The lessons will be conducted by trained swimming instructors.

This year we will be conducting the program over three weeks.

Dates for the programs:

Monday 16th to Friday 20th September – **Prep & Gr 1** (payment/note due by Wednesday 11th Sep) Monday 14th to Friday 18th October – **Gr 2 and Gr 3/4** (payment/note due by Wednesday 9th Oct) Monday 21st to Friday 25th October – **Gr 4/5 and Gr 5/6** (payment/note due by Wednesday 16th Oct) The lessons will be conducted in two parts so while your child is not swimming they will have something to keep them busy at the pool.

Please send extra food with the students each swimming day as their appetite seems to increase with the extra exercise.

Please return the Medical Information sheet given to students.



Grade 6 BEAT Performance—27th and 28th August

The Grade 6 students have been busily rehearsing their dance for the 2024 BEAT performance.

The Grade 6 students will be performing 3 times over 2 days—one matinee and two nights. They will not need a ticket if they are just performing, although if they are going to enter the audience after a night performance, they will need a ticket.

"If Grade 6 students want to watch the night performance, they will need to purchase a ticket. Parents will have to collect their child from the backstage door and return with the student through the foyer entrance."

Beat Co-ordinator (Mildura Arts Centre)

Students from Prep to Grade 5 will be attending the matinee performance on the 28th August. Notes have been sent home and are due back by Monday 26th August with the \$5 payment.



OHSC

Good afternoon families,

Over the last week we have had our Mini-Olympics which have been so popular that children asked to do them again (so we did on Tuesday). The children were eager to participate in the different events and went home very proud with their winning medals. On Monday we played down ball (suggested by Maddison) whilst Benjamin finished the Lego Motorbike – Great Job Benjamin! We have cleaned up the table tennis ping pong table and have already hosted some very interesting matches. We will also host another one of our famous treasure hunts – this will happen on Monday next week (26/8). Yesterday we held our very own Pool Noodle games. We have had 5 different games including: Pool Noodle Limbo, Pool Noddle Soccer, Pool Noodle balance, Pool Noodle throw as well as standing Pool Noodle game. The children fought hard for their medals which they displayed proudly. Until next week have a great weekend everyone, stay safe and look after each other. Alina





