

Newsletter

Term 3 – Week 10

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Diary Dates

Every Day: Don't forget our Heskett PS is a NUT AWARE School

September

21st: School Concert

22nd :

- Last Day of Term
- No Canteen
- Early dismissal at 2.30

October

9th: Term 4 Commences

11th : Bug Blitz

16th: Life Ed Van

13th Subway

20th Canteen

24th: School Council

27th Subway

November

7th: Melbourne Cup

14th: School Council

December

12th School Council

22nd: Final School Day—1.30pm dismissal

Dear Parents/Caregivers,
Tomorrow is our Annual School Concert Day



Australiana

Please remember that all students are to be dropped off at the Romsey Mechanics Hall between 8.30am and

9.00am tomorrow morning. They will require a packed lunch and a drink bottle for the day. Please collect all students at 3.30pm and have them back at the hall at 6.15pm ready for a 6.30pm start.

Friday is the final day of Term 4. School finishes early so please collect students at 2.30pm. A reminder to those parents whose children travel on the bus that the bus will also be running one hour earlier than normal time on Friday.

From the beginning of Term 4 School Hours will be as follows

Session 1: 9.00am – 11.00am
11.00am – 11.10 am Supervised eating (Whole School)

Recess: 11.10am – 11.30am

Session 2: 11.30am – 1.30pm (12.30 Healthy or Fruit Break)
1.30pm – 1.40pm Supervised eating (Whole School)

Lunch: 1.40pm – 2.30pm

Session 3: 2.30pm – 3.30pm

There is a casual vacancy (parent category) available on School Council. The vacancy extends until March 2019. If any parent is interested in filling this position please contact me at the school.

I hope everyone has an enjoyable holiday break and we look forward to a very busy Term 4.

Kind regards
Glenda Miller
(Acting Principal)

Senior and Middle News

Learning Summary

Literacy

In literacy this week the middles and seniors have continued the topic of explanation writing. Students have been learning how to set out explanation pieces and the different features that can be incorporated into this particular writing style including diagrams and flowcharts. Students have been covering a variety of topics and explaining how certain things work.

Numeracy

In numeracy this week the middles and the seniors have been revising all maths concepts that have been covered throughout the term. They have been working hard illustrating what they have learnt.

Student of the week

Middle

The student of the week for the middles this week goes to **Holly**! Holly has received the student of the week award for her comprehension skills with her reading. Well done Holly!

Seniors

The student of the week for the seniors goes to **Ella**! Ella has received the student of the week award for her hard work with choreography for the upcoming concert. Great job Ella!

Junior Unit News

It is full steam ahead with our concert tomorrow. There are some 'butterflies in stomachs' for some but I know that with all the fantastic preparation our students have put into practising they will all shine on the night. I am so proud of the way all the Foundation and Grade 1's students have dedicated themselves to the numerous practices we have had. They have also been very adaptable when we have had to change our daily timetable to accommodate practising with the older students.



This week the Responsible Pet Education Program visited Heskett Primary School. We remembered a lot of the safety messages from previous visits at either school or kindergarten. Everyone said hello to Chester, the beagle. We have also come home with some information for parents from the program. It has given us a writing prompt this week as well. We had many stories we wanted to share with Sharon, the educator, so we have written them and sent them to her.

Wishing everyone a restful and enjoyable holiday!

Student of the Week

All of the Foundation and Grade 1 students – For all your hard work over Term 3. You are a great bunch of learners!!