



Rendelsham Primary School Newsletter

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL



THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS

Our most sincere thanks goes to each person who volunteers in our school to provide the best place and conditions for our students to learn and our staff to teach. Whether it is as a Governing Council or Parent Club member, Leanne who organises the canteen, mums who help in the canteen, assisting in a classroom, attending working bees or sport, your dedication to the school is recognised and appreciated.

Visit by Author

The Millicent Public Library arranged for South Australian children's author, Phil Cummings to visit us. He entertained the students with tales of his life adventures and how he uses that as inspiration for books and songs. The students asked wide ranging questions that will lead them to write themselves.

SRC Pet Day

The students have arrangements in place for Pet Day on Thursday 9:00 to 10:00. We are looking forward to meeting Dr Charlotte from the Millicent Vet Clinic who will decide which pets win the various categories organised by the SRC. Please note - students may choose to bring a toy pet or photo instead of the real thing.

Pupil Free Day

Remember that this Friday 27th there is no school for students as staff are attending the STEM conference in Mt Gambier. Keep in mind the free events on Saturday and Sunday in Mt Gambier that are part of the STEM event

Sporting events

Congratulations to Zavier and Adeline who competed in the South East Cross Country run at Naracoorte. Both finished their race and were amongst over 1000 students who competed. We also had students participate in the Millicent Netball and Football Carnival. Adeline, Sidney and Ayrle joined Beachport students in a Junior netball team while Jack and Zavier played in the combined Beachport, Kangaroo Inn, Rendelsham football team. This was a good opportunity to learn some new skills and meet students from other places. Thankyou to the Beachport and Kangaroo Inn parents who coached and umpired the teams.

Building work

Work has been completed on Classroom 3 to remove rotting timber and re-clad with Colourbond panels. Whilst undertaking the work, insulation was installed and electrical wiring upgraded so overall now our facility is in excellent condition.

Regards

Sandy

REMINDER: Pupil Free Day. Friday 27th May

PRINCIPAL

Sandra Stewart

GOVERNING COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON

Billie Bellinger

PARENT CLUB PRESIDENT

Kathy Rasmussen

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DATES TO REMEMBER

May

26th SRC Pet Show
27th Pupil Free Day

June

13th Queens Birthday
Public Holiday

TERM DATES

Term 2 2016

2nd May – 8th July

Term 3 2016

25 July – 30th September

Term 4 2016

17th October – 16 December



School Notices



Phil Cummings visits RPS



Descriptive writing pieces inspired by Phil Cummings. They are going on display at the Millicent Public Library in the coming weeks.

The wind blows in my hair.
The storm went bang while
I played. I imagine that
Lightning McQueen made
the lightning. The white
clouds went black. The wind
went twirly like a tornado.

By Cohen

I sat down on the grass and I
saw butterflies. They were
flying around in circles. One
was orange. It was big.

It went in the bush. It flew
out of the bush. It flew
around and around. It flew
on the ground.

By Charlotte

I saw a dog. It was brown. It
had short hair and looked
scruffy. He doesn't really
like eating things except for
bones. He likes hiding the
bones in the grass and in the
bushes. His name is Max
and he likes to have cuddles.

By Henry

1. I saw the grass waving in
the breeze. It was so soft
and it was a bright green.

2. When I sit on the grass I
imagine that a unicorn is
running up the hill. It is blue.
I see a rainbow. It is
beautiful. I imagine that I
can fly.

By Lacey



Well done
to our
week 3
award
winner

Liam



Term 2 Canteen Roster

THURSDAY	26th May	Anna Thomas
FRIDAY	3rd June	No canteen - Swimming
FRIDAY	10th June	Nat Chambers
FRIDAY	17th June	Sam Bennett
FRIDAY	24th June	Leanne Carlson
FRIDAY	1st July	Kathy Rasmussen
FRIDAY	8th July	Anna Thomas



Classroom 3's new look

REMINDER

A reminder that all swimming consent forms are due back to school by the tomorrow 25th May.

We are also asking if Parents can help out by driving to provide transport. (See swimming return notice for days.)

Pet Day

The SRC members have organized a pet day in week 4 on Thursday the 26th of May for students to bring a pet(s) to school. It will be on the tennis court and will start at 9am and finish at 10am. The categories are the largest, smallest, funniest, cutest, loudest, fluffiest and most unique or unusual. There will also be a 2 dollar coin donation to enter the competition.

Our guest judge is Dr Charlotte from the Millicent Veterinary Clinic she is glad to be able to come.

Pets cannot come on the bus so parents, family or friends may have to bring them in the car or find another way to travel and take them home afterwards please. Also pets need to be on a leash and under control.

There will be healthy snacks, tea, and coffee for all parents, family and friends to come and enjoy.

Everyone welcome

Lexi
SRC member



Community Notices

#STEMfun16

FREE FAMILY FUN EVENTS
OVER 2 DAYS AND 3 SITES
SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY
ENGINEERING MATHS

SATURDAY 28.05 MAIN CORNER COMPLEX 10am-3pm

Video Blogging Workshop with Marcus Jones
City Hall 10am - FREE - Bring mobile device

Ruben Meerman - Surfing Scientist
Dress Circle 11am - FREE

Kalyna Micenko & Bob Daly
Artists in the community
Dress Circle - 12noon - FREE

LEGO Australia - 10am-3pm - King's Floor

Robotics & Coding Workshops
11.30am & 1.30pm - FREE - City Hall

Plus GEAR VR demonstrations
(BYO Samsung Phone)

SATURDAY 28.05 MOUNT GAMBIER LIBRARY 10am - 3pm

Escape from the Puzzle room
First session 10.20am - FREE
Your team has 15 minutes to solve a series of challenges to escape the puzzle room

Star Dome - FREE
10am, 11am, 12noon
1.10pm & 2.10pm*

*Numbers are limited
Book at the Library on
87212540

SUNDAY 29.05 THE RAILWAY LANDS 1pm - 5.30pm

Food and drink available for purchase on the day

Nature & Creek Play

Mud & Clay Play Stations

Play on Wheels play trailer

Double Helix Science Club

Teepee Build & Decoration

Billy Cart build & Speed Trials

HPV Pedal Prix Carts on display

Mii Let Steam Engines & Machinery

"5 Senses in Nature" activities by DEWNR

Community Artists creating Art Work on site

Activities by City of Mount Gambier Sustainability team

Artwork and Vlogging Projections at approx 5pm

Lantern Creation & Lantern Parade at approx 5.30pm

City of Mount Gambier

Government of South Australia
Department for Education and Child Development

Once Upon A Wish

PROUDLY HELPING TO
MAKE A WISH
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2016
MAKE WISHES COME TRUE

Presents Our
**Make A Wish
Charity Concert**

7pm Saturday 4th June 2016
Sir Robert Helpmann Theatre
Adults: \$20
Concession: \$15
Under 17: \$12
Tickets available from the Box Office

Guest Appearances by:
Mount Gambier Concert Band
Gordon Education Centre
Dance Troupe

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All proceeds to 'Make A Wish'
We grant the wishes of children
with life threatening medical conditions
to enrich the human experience
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