Dear Parents/Carers

Last week Rowville Primary School hosted a visit for thirteen delegates from Vietnam. They were participants in the Deakin University / Vietnam Education Management Program. The rationale behind the visit was to offer a practical opportunity for participants to build on their existing theoretical knowledge gained during their Master of Education Management studies in Vietnam. Through their visit to Rowville Primary School, they aimed to strengthen their capacities in assessment and report on whole school instructional practice. At the conclusion of the program participants are encouraged to take up positions of responsibility as educational leaders.

The delegation undertook a walk through our school and observed our classes in action. They reported that our students were very friendly, confident and very focussed on their learning. We were questioned why there were very few students in each class. Members of the delegation came from schools where there were between forty and forty five students in each class! They were surprised that our students in years three to six had a one to one device. Our teacher leaders, Mr Gordon and Mr Jury shared with the group the strategies that we use to track student learning across the school. Members of the delegation marvelled at our facilities and expansive playing areas.

It was a very successful visit for the delegates. Their positive reaction and feedback to our school in action and our processes left us with a warm afterglow.

At our Monday morning assembly we congratulated three students for their recent exceptional sporting achievement: Charlize in 5A came first in the 800m at the Knox Division Athletics Competition and went on to win a Bronze medal in the same event at the Eastern Metropolitan Regional Athletics Championships.

Evie in 6A came second in the Shot Put event at the Knox Division Athletics Competition and has qualified to compete in the same event at the Regional level.

Georgia in 4B came second in the Long Jump at the Knox Division Athletics Competition and has qualified to compete in the same event at the Regional level.

Thank you to the students and their families who arrive at school on time ready for a day of learning. However, lateness to school has become a growing issue recently for some families and we need to work together to improve it. When students are late even by the smallest amount of time they begin the day on the wrong foot. Late students miss the opportunity to catch up with peers prior to school and the chance to get organised and prepared for a solid day of learning. Late students miss out on vital instruction at the beginning of the day which may place them at risk of not understanding the learning intentions for that lesson. Furthermore they may become disruptive to the learning of others and the class in general. Rare instances of lateness are understandable and unavoidable. We ask all parents and guardians to support this improvement by ensuring that their children are at school by no later than 8.45am, ready for a prompt 8.50am start in the classroom.

Anne Babich
Principal
Dear Parents/Carers

This week at assembly we celebrated the wonderful achievement of outstanding writing that has been showcased in each classroom and we saw lots of students receive awards for their writing. Well done to all our award winners this week.

Over the past couple of weeks Ms Babich had set a group of senior school students a very important and top secret collaborative writing task. The task was to produce a picture story book as a very special birthday gift for Mr Boyle. Jarrod, Jasmine, Arwa and Tyler visited each classroom in the school to get input into their story. The writing team took on this challenge and produced a fabulous book titled ‘Mr Perfect’ which they presented to Mr Boyle last week in the Nganagee building along with a lovely Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles cake! Mr Boyle was very pleased with the finished book and enjoyed listening to the students share his story in assembly on Monday. The learning that took place for this team of senior students was really wonderful to observe as it was a great example of how strong powerful writing can be produced when a group works collaboratively. When revising the book the students sat around a table analysing each word that they had chosen, having respectful conversations about how it could be improved. Here is the final chapter from the book:

Chapter 5: Mr. Perfect

We know he might have some bad habits. We know that he sometimes has bad luck. We know he sometimes gets into mischief. But Mr. Perfect is our assistant principal and we love him very much.

Well done to all students involved in this creative writing project.

Next week there will be a special writing theme throughout the school. More details will be revealed in assembly on Monday!

Have a fantastic week ahead.

Liam Jury
Leading Teacher

Commonwealth Bank School Banking

School Banking is every Friday at Rowville Primary School

Please remember to order your rewards when your child has collected 10 silver tokens. The last opportunity to order rewards in 2016 will be Friday 2nd December.

“Calling all Green Thumbs”

On Monday 28th November the following grades will be working in the Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden planting cherry tomatoes, cucumber, and endive. We are asking parents, carers, grandparents and friends to volunteer to help assist the students during this time.

1A - 11.15am
1B - 11.55am
1C - 12.35pm
Congratulations to the following students who were presented with an award at our Monday morning assembly. These awards were given to students who have made significant achievements in Writing: Engaging the audience.

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<th>Name</th>
<th>Achievement</th>
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<td>Chloe G</td>
<td>Creating a wonderful and descriptive piece of writing about her experiences at Werribee Open Range Zoo. Her writing continues to grow each term.</td>
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<td>2A</td>
<td>Olivia N</td>
<td>Including exceptional detail and word choice when writing to engage and entertain her reader.</td>
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<td>2C</td>
<td>Nate M</td>
<td>Writing interesting and engaging articles for his Inquiry project.</td>
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<tr>
<td>3B</td>
<td>Allegra H</td>
<td>Using interesting and engaging words to write very creative poetry when writing her poetry anthology.</td>
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<tr>
<td>4A</td>
<td>Christian J</td>
<td>Showing great use of his learning time in Writing and completing an engaging story based on Diablo.</td>
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<td>4B</td>
<td>Disha A</td>
<td>Captivating her audience’s attention by writing an engaging and descriptive opening sentence to her expository piece. Disha included important, researched information to ensure her writing piece matched her intended purpose and audience.</td>
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<tr>
<td>5A</td>
<td>Jessica T</td>
<td>Consistently producing outstanding writing pieces using sophisticated language and detailed description that engages the reader.</td>
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<td>5B</td>
<td>Liam M</td>
<td>Using descriptive language that brings his writing to life. Liam’s writing is captivating and engaging to listen to and allows the reader to visualise what he has written.</td>
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<td>5C</td>
<td>Heath L</td>
<td>Using a range of interesting vocabulary in his writing, and ensuring the reader is engaged at all times.</td>
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<td>6A</td>
<td>Dante V</td>
<td>Working hard during writing workshops. Dante used personification to make his poetry more engaging.</td>
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<td>6B</td>
<td>Devontae K</td>
<td>Using a range of strategies in poetry such as personification and metaphor to engage her audience. Devontae writes poetry that creates vivid images for her readers.</td>
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**Student of the Week**

**Sports Awards of the Week**

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<td>Georgia S</td>
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<td>Charlize R</td>
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<td>Charlize R</td>
<td>Winning the Bronze medal in the 800m at the South Eastern Metropolitan Region Athletic Championships on Thursday 13th October 2016. Congratulations on an absolutely amazing achievement!</td>
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<td>Ayana O</td>
<td>Winning the Rowville District Softball Summer Round Robin and coming 3rd in the Knox Division Championships. Congratulations on an outstanding achievement!</td>
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If your son/daughter has or may have measles, mumps, chickenpox or slapped cheek it is requested that you do not send them to school during this period and notify the school office immediately.

Children with Chickenpox must not attend school and need to remain at home until all blisters have dried which is usually at least 5 days after the rash appears. Children with Measles must not attend school and need to remain home for at least 4 days after the rash appears.

**Student Library Loans**

The last day for student borrowing (Foundation to Year 5) will be Wednesday 30th November 2016. **Year 6 students only** - your last day for borrowing is this Friday 25th November, 2016.

Could all students please return your overdue books as soon as possible. Please don’t leave it until the last minute to try to locate missing books. All library books will be due back by Monday 5th December, 2016.

Reminder letters will be sent to all students with outstanding loans in the weeks ahead. If you have any enquiries about missing books please come and see me or send an email to the school. Thank you.

**Jackie Hicks – Library Technician**

**2016 Whole School Twilight Christmas Concert**

Monday 12th December

On the basketball court - Concert starts at 6.30pm

All students are to meet their teacher on the basketball court by 6.15pm

Students are required to sit with their grade for the duration of the concert.

Free BBQ will be available from 5.30pm or please bring along a picnic dinner, picnic blanket and chairs to sit back, relax and enjoy the entertainment featuring the School Choir, a performance by each grade and the much anticipated staff performance.

The canteen will be open for the purchase of snacks and drinks.

All school gates will be open.

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**Upcoming Events**

The following event is on Compass for your approval, please log in to Compass http://rowvilleps.vic.jdlf.com.au to pay for and consent to your child attending.

**Year 6 Graduation Evening - Student attendance:** - $80 payment and consent due by 2nd December

**Parent and Family Supper Tickets for Year 6 Graduation**

Supper tickets for parents and family members over the age of 18 years are now available to purchase via https://www.trybooking.com/NSMS

Tickets are $20 each and include tea/coffee and a cheese platter. There is a limit of 6 tickets per family.

Bookings close on 2nd December at 9am.

This year the graduation is being held at 1330 which is located at 1330 Ferntree Gully Rd, Scoresby. Further information regarding the parent tickets is available when booking via the Trybooking website.

**Curriculum Day**

Please note that Friday 9th December is a Curriculum Day. Students do not attend school on this day.

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Congratulations to the following students who earned Mathletics Certificates from the last week.

**Gold Certificates**
- Ashley H
- Grace C
- Isabel P
- Mahit R

**Silver Certificates**
- Adialdo W
- Akil B
- Elizabeth H
- Jenna C
- Olivia N
- Zac B
- Adrian S
- Ebony G
- Farah O
- Lara G
- Tia C
- Zara K

**Bronze Certificates**
- Adam O
- David S
- Joshua S
- Simone R
- Aditya W
- Dhruti S
- Kate H
- Steven B
- Alesha M
- Dylan L
- Leen J
- Tayla K
- Alyssia B
- Eloise R
- Mackenzie N
- Tilly M
- Bailey H
- Ethan V
- Maddison M
- Tyler P
- Cedric C
- George S
- Madeline R
- Tyson G
- Charlize R
- Hailey S
- Michael M
- Wyatt S
- Chloe P
- Hanna E
- Neha C
- Xavier V
- Christian L
- Jackson G
- Rena N
- Ximing Dong
- Christie B
- Jasmine S
- Sebastian D
- Zarah M
- Claire S
- Jessica T
- Shaun R
- Zavier T
- Curtis O
- Jessie L
- Shiyao H

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The second hand uniform shop is open every second Wednesday from 3:00pm – 3:30pm. It is located adjacent to the Foundation class rooms.

Our in-house second hand uniform shop sells donated second hand school uniform items. If you have uniform items you would like to donate please forward them to the school office. The shop is staffed by a parent volunteer; thank you.

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<td>Hat</td>
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<td>Track &amp; Bootleg pant</td>
<td>$5.00</td>
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<td>Shorts &amp; Culottes</td>
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<td>Waterproof jacket</td>
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Please make regular checks to ensure your child has all absences and late arrivals to school approved on Compass. This week, we have sent home letters to follow up on unexplained absences. You can either complete the form and return it to the school office or log into Compass and explain your child’s absence. This is a Department of Education requirement.

Parents are notified on the top right section of the Compass home page in the new feed if there are late arrivals or absences to be approved.

Absences can be entered in advance on Compass by Parents.

Once an absence is entered, there is no need to telephone the school to notify us that your child is absent for the day.

We thank you for your assistance in this matter and ask you to telephone the school should you have any queries regarding this process.

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Term 4 2016 opening dates:

- **23rd November**
- **7th December**
**Rowville Kids Café News**

**Specials Menu**

**POPCORN MONDAY**
Freshly Popped Popcorn $1.00

**SUSHI HANDROLL TUESDAY**
Lunch order only
- Crispy Chicken $3.20
- Tuna and Avocado (GF) $3.20
- Avocado & Cucumber (V, GF) $3.20
- Teriyaki Chicken $3.20

Soy Sauce will only be provided on request—please note on order.

**Wacky WEDNESDAY**
Lunch order only
- Chicken Chippies (bag of 6) $3.00 a bag

Thank you to our helpers for Term 4
- Monday 28th November K. Hopkins
- Tuesday 29th November L. McConnochie
- Wednesday 30th November S. Fahraji
- Thursday 1st December S. Macdonald
- Friday 2nd December K. Forster

A copy of the full café menu is available on the website: rowville.ps.vic.edu.au

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**ROWVILLE KID’S CAFÉ MENU**

**TERMINOLOGY**
- **Green Food**: Choose anytime
- **Amber Food**: Choose sometimes
- **Red Food**: Choose once or twice a term
- **Vegetarian Option**: GF Gluten Free Option

**SPECIAL DAYS**

**MUNCHY MONDAY**
- Freshly Popped Popcorn $1.00

**TASTY TUESDAY**
Lunch order only
- SUSHI HANDROLLS
  - Crispy Chicken $3.20
  - Tuna and Avocado (GF) $3.20
  - Avocado & Cucumber (V, GF) $3.20
  - Teriyaki Chicken $3.20
- Soy Sauce will only be provided on request—please note on order.

**WACKY WEDNESDAY**
Chicken Chippies (bag of 6) $3.00

**HOT FOOD**
Lunch order only
- Cheese Toastie
- Corn on Cob (V)
- Hot Chicken Roll
- Hot Chicken Roll with Cheese
- Traditional Lasagne
- Macaroni Cheese
- Vegetarian Fried Rice (V, GF)
- Mini Garlic Bread Roll
- Delish Fish Burger
- Chicken Nuggets-Bag of 3
- Chicken Nuggets-Bag of 6
- Large Pasta
- Large Meat Pie
- Mini Meat Pie
- Large Shepherd’s Pie
- Large Sausage Roll
- Mini Sausage Roll
- Hot Dog
- Hot Dog with cheese
- Pizza Slice Ham & Pineapple
- Noodles in a Cup-Chicken

**MEAL DEALS**
- Oodles of Noodles Meal Deal $5.50
  - Noodles in a Cup
  - Cookies
  - Choice of the above drinks
- Tasty Toastie Meal Deal $5.50
  - Toasted Cheese Sandwich
  - Cookies
  - Choice of the above drinks
- Luscious Lasagne Meal Deal $6.50
  - Traditional Lasagne
  - Cookies
  - Choice of the above drinks
- Happy Hot Dog Meal Deal $4.50
  - Hot Dog in roll
  - Cookies
  - Choice of the above drinks
- Chicken Little Meal Deal $6.50
  - Chicken Nuggets (bag of 6)
  - Cookies
  - Choice of the above drinks
- Delish Fish Burger Meal $7.00
  - Delish Fish Burger
  - Cookies
  - Choice of the above drinks

**DRINKS**
Lunch Order or Over the Counter
- Big M Milk (long life) $1.00
- Chocolate or Strawberry
- Just Juice - Orange, Apple, OrangeMango, Paradise Punch AppleBlackcurrant
- Bottled Water 600ml $1.50

**FROZEN TREATS**
Lunch Order or Over the Counter
- Frozen Big M (M) – Chocolate or Strawberry
- Frozen Fruit in Season
- Frozen Juice Blocks
- Paddle Pop – Rainbow, Chocolate, Banana or Tropical Yogurt
- Fruit Tube
- Calippo
- Icy Twist
- Frozen Yoghurt in a tub – Strawberry
- Sunnyboys

**SNACKS**
Lunch Order or Over the Counter
- Crunchy Carrot Sticks (each) $0.05
- Weetbix Bites (each) $0.05
- Savoury Crackers (each) $0.05
- Crackers & Cheese $0.50
- Fruit (in season) $1.00
- Classic Popcorn – Cheese, Butter or Salt & Vinegar
- LL Noodle Snack – Chicken
- Red Rock Deli Chips – Honey Soy Chicken or Sea Salt

**SANDWICHES & ROLLS**
Lunch Order only
- Wholesome tyre specified
- Bread
- Tomato
- Lettuce
- Cheese
- Pineapple
- Cucumber
- Chicken
- Carrot
- Beef
- Toast

**COOKIES**
Lunch Order Bags 5 cents each
- Cookies
- Banana Bread Slice
- Muffin

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Bronwyn Richards & Cindy Gardiner
Canteen Team
ESSENTIAL STUDENT LEARNING ITEMS (per child in Foundation to Year 6)
Parents/Carers are requested to pay for all Essential Student Learning Items for their child, which includes the stationery materials distributed in the classroom for all curriculum areas, eg classroom consumables for English, Mathematics, Information Technology, Visual Arts, LOTE, Italian Kitchen/Garden Program, Inquiry Units, Physical Education and Performing Arts.

($195 per child not including the cost of the book pack).

VOLUNTARY WORKING BEE CONTRIBUTION (per family) - assists to provide mowing services and garden bed maintenance. Parents are encouraged to pay the contribution in lieu of attending working bees.

VOLUNTARY REVEGETATION CONTRIBUTION (per family) - assists with tree planting and revegetation of the school grounds.

VOLUNTARY GROUNDSMAN CONTRIBUTION (per family) - assists with the employment of a Groundsman for litter control, daily upkeep and enhanced safety of school grounds.

VOLUNTARY ROWVILLE PRIMARY SCHOOL BUILDING FUND DONATION (per family)
Parents are invited to donate to the Rowville Primary School Building Fund which accepts tax deductible donations from families and the wider community. Proceeds will be used to enhance and develop the school buildings. A receipt will be provided for use with your 2016-2017 tax return.

Book Packs
When parents order book packs there is an option to purchase a complete pack, the table enclosed lists the complete book pack price. To order online, log on to staplesbacktoschool.com.au and enter the unique code 126869. Alternatively, parents may select the items they would like to purchase. The cost of those items will be calculated on the Staples website.

Payment for Essential Student Learning Items and Voluntary Contributions can be paid online at the same time.

Both these options are available to parents who choose to place and pay for their book pack orders at the office.

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<td>Extended trading hours at Klad Sport for uniform purchases</td>
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<td>Last day of Term 4 – students dismissed at 2.30pm – Office closed from 3.00pm</td>
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<td>Wednesday 18th January 2017</td>
<td>Last day to order online for guaranteed delivery prior to start of 2017 school year</td>
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<td>Wednesday 25th January, 2017</td>
<td>Office Re-Opens – from 12.00pm to 4.00pm</td>
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<td>Office open from 12.00pm to 4.00pm</td>
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<td>Tuesday 31st January, 2017</td>
<td>Students commence at 8.45am for 2017 school year</td>
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Rowville Primary School

Steps for 2017 Parent Payments and Contributions

1. Go to https://www.staplesbacktoschool.com.au and log in using the Rowville Primary School School ID: 126869 (in the blue Parents window) as per example below:

![Back to school]

Get Started!

Login or register below to access a wide range of Back to School supplies.

**Schools**

- Already registered?
- Username
- Password

**Parents**

- Already have your 8 digit School ID?
- 126869
- Login

2. Select your child's year level, as per example below:

![Select Year]

Logged in as: Rowville Primary School.
Change your School

Select your Year

School Name: Rowville Primary School
Year List
- Foundation Year - Kindy/Prep/Reception
- Year 1
- Year 2
- Year 3
- Year 4
- Year 5

PLEASE REFER OVERPAGE FOR FURTHER INFORMATION...........
3. Under Item 4 - “Build your pack” and remove unwanted items from the list by changing the quantity to 0 – the total will then change. “Add pack to cart”. As per example below:

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Week 8, Term 4

This week will see us start off our 4 weeks of Christmas activities!

Children will have the option of receiving their own Christmas activity booklet which they can complete in OSHC. We will also be putting up our Christmas tree and children will have the opportunity to decorate the tree with their own hand made baubles. We will also be playing a group game of Santa Dash and creating pop stick Santa and snowmen!

We will also be finishing off our hand made gifts which we are sending over to Bangladesh to help 7,500 disadvantage children. This is part of our term 4 tCAF (The Camp Australia Foundation)

NOTE from Brodie

Parents please note that Friday 9th December is a School Curriculum Day. We are running a pupil free day from 7am to 6pm. Please ensure you have your child booked in by the 2nd December to ensure this day goes ahead.

PARENTS PLEASE NOTE:

1. It is of high importance that you **CANCEL** your child if they are **NOT** attending either before or after school care. You can cancel your child through the parent portal, call the customer care number, or speak to staff in person at the service.
2. Please ensure that your child has a hat for ASC as we are now following our sun smart policy. All children are required to wear a hat if they would like to go outside.
3. If any parents have any ideas of what they would like to see happen in before and after school care, please drop in for a chat we are always looking for new ideas!
4. Does your child do any outer school activities? If so, we would love to have some brochures to put in our community folder to help recruit any other children that are looking for outer school activities!

We’re here to make after school care visits the best experience possible – for you and your child.

If you have any questions about the program – please feel free to drop by, meet the team and see what happens in after school care first hand.

We look forward to seeing you soon.

The Camp Australia Team.

**Program Details**

To find out more about our program, view fees and to register visit [www.campaustralia.com.au](http://www.campaustralia.com.au)

**Service mobile number:** 0438 286 035
ROWVILLE PRIMARY SCHOOL
UNIFORM PRICE LIST AS AT 1/9/2015
KLAD SPORT PTY LTD
ABN 92 191 499 563
FACTORY 8 MACRO COURT, ROWVILLE VIC 3178 TELEPHONE: 9763 0266
Opening Hours:
Monday to Thursday 8.30am-5.00pm, Friday 8.30am-4.30pm & Saturday 10.00am-1.00pm

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Prices as at 1/9/2015
FORPS AGM

Would you like to contribute to our school community?
Would you like to meet new parents and share your ideas in ways to help our school?
Come along to our AGM and find out what Friends of Rowville Primary School are all about.

Monday 13th February 2017
7:30 pm Staff Room Rowville PS
Drinks and Nibbles provided

DADS MATTER

ARE YOU A DAD WHO WOULD LIKE TO BE ABLE TO
• Better understand the importance of dads in their children’s lives?
• Have roles and consequences that work?
• Talk to their children so they will listen?
• Develop your relationship with your children?
• Get your head around what your children need from you?
JOIN OTHER DADS IN DISCUSSING THESE & OTHER ISSUES

WHERE: Christmas Day, 27th Dec, 30th Dec
WHERE: Anglicare Burwood (500 Mountain Highway, Burwood)
BOOKINGS: For bookings and further information, phone Kim Pedler 9758 6069
COST: FREE ** Bookings are essential

COMMUNITY NEWS

No Hat No Play - 1st September to 30th April

Part of our Sun Smart Policy at Rowville Primary School is that students should wear the official school uniform, wide brimmed hat, when outdoors from 1st September to the 30th April. Students are also encouraged to apply sunscreen (SPF 30 + 20 mins prior to outdoor activity) provided by parents. Please place the students name on the sunscreen container.

Please encourage your children to have their hat at school each day. Hats are available from our uniform supplier Klad Sport, 8 Macro Court, Rowville.

School Savers Charity Group

A group of year 10 students from the MSA Academy at Rowville Secondary College, Western Campus, would like to promote a charity project, School Savers, which they are involved with. School Savers is a charity group run by the Rowville Lysterfield Interact Club. We aim to collect school supplies (such as notebooks, novels, pens, pencils etc.) and send them over to a school in a remote country area in South Africa.

We invite our school community to donate stationary items which can be left at the Rowville Primary School office and these will be passed onto the students organising this event.