



*Learning and
Growing Together*

The Vaucluse Weekly

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Jackson and Hugo from 1W painting their white t-shirts
for Reconciliation Day this week.

Principal's Report

Dear Parents

It was with great pleasure that I returned to school on Thursday to our Reconciliation Week Assembly. A great deal of work has taken place in all classrooms throughout the term. This work has been well supported with the purchase of Aboriginal Education resources for the library. These resources have been used to inform learning in our classrooms. There was a great sense of unity and support with staff and students dressed in their white T shirts. These had been hand painted in classrooms throughout the week. Thank you parents for your support of this project. We were also delighted to have Aunty Shirley and Aunty Kathy participate in our assembly. We very much appreciated their messages. Over the last couple of years our students have developed a wonderful friendship with Aunty Kathy. Aunty Kathy is a wonderful story teller and a fountain of knowledge. After any engagement with her we always come away with fascinating new information. Aunty Kathy is the essence of Reconciliation and the NSW DET Aboriginal Education Policy strongly encourages schools to develop strong links with their Aboriginal community. We are most fortunate to have developed a very strong friendship with Aunty Kathy. We are also looking forward to working with Aunty Shirley, who is a local resident and elder. It was wonderful to have parent support at the assembly also.

I have been on leave for the last two weeks following my wedding. The school has continued to run like clockwork in my absence. Our wonderful school team were very capably led by Kaylie Johnson and Philippa Allen who shared the role of Principal. We are most fortunate to have a density of leadership in our school and a highly capable and hard working team. Thank you to the school community who overwhelmed me with their good wishes and support. Thank you also to our class parents Justine Shaw and Amanda Ramsay who organized good wishes for my impending marriage from all our students. Your joy, generosity and good wishes are most appreciated. Thank you dear members of Vaucluse Public School Community for your love and support.

Maureen Hallahan



Rudi's Garden News

This week's classes worked on their garden beds including weeding, watering and fertilising.

It's great to see classes popping down during the week to watering and weed their beds. Every bit of tender loving care helps. We are on track with our cabbages and silver beet which will start bearing the fruits of our labour in the next month. The second crop of Chinese cabbage and bok choy is currently being used. This week in the Stephanie Alexander Kitchen a delicious stir fry with fried rice was made from our fresh produce. Children harvested bok choy, Chinese cabbage, Vietnamese mint, kaffir lime leaves, shallots, limes, Daikon, and figs. We also constructed a new platform for the worm farms and I challenged two groups to build it. I have to say the girls performed on task following my critique and constructed a great platform, whilst the boys got there eventually via a lot of discussion and rebuilding. Please See photos. We finished with the senior classes, removing weeds and constructing pathways through our bush track. Overall a great time, great harvest and great food.

If you want to join our garden please email me at

Rudi.adlmayer@gmail.com

Or ring

0423020648



This week in the
Stephanie Alexandre Kitchen with Ange
Vegetarian Fried Rice and green Papaya Salad.

Famous Melbourne Chef, Alexandre Della Z uana
accompanied by his sous-chef Etienne Kleijn lent a
helping hand in the kitchen this week alongside our
wonderful volunteer parents.





Ethan, Paris, Toby, Bella, Brigitte
and their friends were
stirring things up in the kitchen this week.



Thunderstorm Clouds by Rosie from KW.

Rosie is enjoying the cloudy and wet weather we have been having as it brings moisture to our gardens and helps them grow.





A young boy is holding a large, oval-shaped shield or boomerang. He is standing on a colorful rug that features a large, stylized leaf or flower design. Other children are visible in the background, some sitting on the floor.



Reconciliation



Assembly

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Term two Book Club brochure has been delivered! Please check your children's school bags. Book club is a fantastic and well-priced way to buy lovely books for your children or as gifts for others.

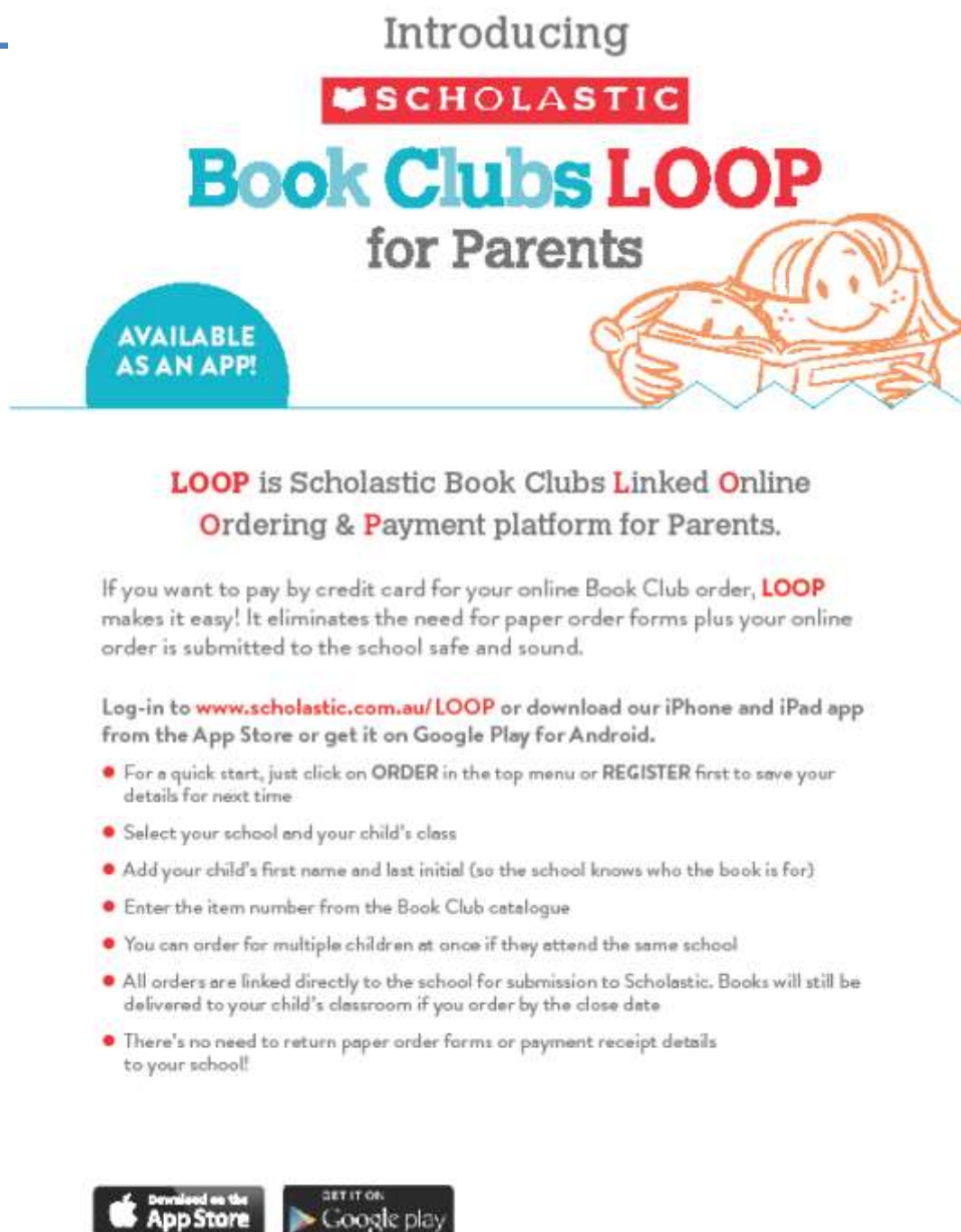
If you wish to purchase, on-line orders need to be completed
by Monday 13 June, 5:00pm.

Scholastic has developed an online ordering system to make ordering even easier.

Attached is a flyer from Scholastic outlining the instructions to order using LOOP.

Regards

Angela




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Annual Fundraiser – Thinking of making a donation?

The annual Vaucluse Public School fundraiser will be a cocktail party held on Friday 9th September at **Doyle's** on the Beach, **Watson's Bay**. We will be raising funds for the 375 primary school children who attend Vaucluse Public School. All donations will go towards providing the education resources required by the school that assist in improving the level of literacy and numeracy of the children so that we can help to make the school a centre of learning excellence.

Funds raised in previous years have paid for the establishment of the library and the many books, computers, support teachers, the soccer field, the netball court, timber decked seating and learning resources required for the children. These costs are not funded by the government.

In order to ensure the success of this event, we are seeking donations of prizes which will be auctioned or raffled on the night. Every member of the community can make a valued contribution to the auctions and raffles held on the night. Here are some suggestions parents and family may be able to contribute:

- + Yoga classes
- + Music classes
- + Stand Up Paddleboard classes
- + Gym membership
- + Beauty treatments
- + Restaurant meals
- + Home delivered meals
- + Tickets to a concert
- + A weekend dog minding/ walking service
- + A home landscaping make over
- + Pool cleaning service
- + An afternoon tea at Dunbar House
- + A weekend away at your holiday house
- + A trip around the harbour on your boat

We would be so grateful if you could donate a prize to make the evening a success. You can donate a prize from a company you know personally through your work - or simply buy a gift or service that you think others in the community would enjoy. We would be so grateful for any donation - big or small, please contact your class volunteer with your suggestions.

With thanks

Vaucluse Public School
Parents and Citizens Committee

VOOSC NEWS

Vacation care news

Our bookings for activities are complete but the cover sheet will not be available until next week due a venue needing to confirm a session time.

04/07/16 Powerhouse Museum - excursion

05/07/16 Go Go Healthy Kids - Mini Olympics-incursion

06/07/16 Art/Craft day - **"Make My Bear" + more!** -incursion

07/07/16 Attractivity- excursion

08/07/16 Cooking day at Voosc-incursion

11/07/16 Fancy Dress Disco - excursion

12/07/16 Tom Foolery - Magic and circus -incursion

13/07/16 Koori Kinnections - including art/craft- excursion

14/07/16 Movies at the Ritz- excursion

15/07/16 Scienza Viva - Science day - excursion

18/07/16 Fish & Chips at Watsons Bay+ play games at the park - excursion

Bookings can now be made at Voosc. Credit/debit card facilities available for easy payment.

TERM FEES

Term fees are needing attention please. Credit/debit card facilities available for easy payment.

Voosc Stars

Taylor N

Thank you Taylor for assisting the kindi's with their reading homework. You are always a positive, kind role model and an excellent school leader and friend. We are very proud to have your star on our Wall of Fame!

Julian C

Julian you have been chosen for our Wall of Fame for taking responsibility with homework tasks. You also put in your very best effort during sport, well done Julian.

Warm regards, Voosc Team



LUNCH MENU

Wholemeal Sandwiches/Toasties

(GF bread available \$1 extra)

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| Chicken salad (DF, H) |\$5 |
| Tuna salad (DF, H) |\$5 |
| Cheese and Salad |\$5 |
| Ham, Cheese and Tomato |\$5 |
| Cheese/Vegemite |\$3 |

Pasta

(GF DF pasta available)

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| Spaghetti Bolognese |\$6 |
| Penne Napoli |\$6 |

Lunch Boxes \$6

Super Food Salad – Mixed seasonal greens (spinach/kale), quinoa, baked butternut, toasted pepitas and dried cranberries with sesame Asian dressing (GF, DF, V)\$6

Snack box – Hard boiled egg, dill pickle, a slice of cheese, sliced seasonal fresh and steamed vegies (carrot, capsicum, celery, cucumber, broccoli), rice crackers and hummus.\$6

Specials

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| Monday - Honey Soy Chicken with Rice and Corn Cob (DF, H, GF) |\$6 |
| Tuesday - Cheesy Vegetable Frittata with Greek salad |\$6 |
| Wednesday - Teriyaki Chicken Burger |\$6 |
| Thursday - Chickpea and Butternut Curry with Basmati Rice (DF, V, GF, H) |\$6 |

Catering Menu

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| Birthday Cupcakes iced with an age candle (24 hours' notice required) |\$2.50/cupcake |
| Platter of Assorted Sandwiches (for 6 people) | \$20 |
| Fruit Plate (for 6-10 people) |\$20 |



SNACK MENU

Drinks

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| Banana Smoothie (GF) |\$3 |
| Mixed Berry Smoothie (GF) |\$3 |
| Water |\$2 |
| Fruit Juice Apple/Orange |\$2 |
| Moove Milk | |
| Chocolate/Strawberry |\$2.50 |
| Hot Chocolate (winter) |\$2.50 |
| Coffee (adults only) |\$3.50 |
| Tea (adults only) |\$2 |

Frozen Treats

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| Frozen Quelch stick |\$1 |
| Frozen Yogurt |\$2.50 |
| Frozen Fruit cup Apple/Orange/Apple Blackcurrant |\$1 |

Daily Snacks

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| Pop Corn Plain (GF, DF, H) |\$2 |
| Pop Corn Sweet and Salty (GF, DF, H) |\$2 |
| Crispy Fruit Sachets (GF, DF, H, K) |\$2 |
| Spicy/Plain trail mix (nut free) |\$2 |
| Fruit salad cup (GF, DF, H) |\$2 |
| Yogurt cup with berry coulis and granola topper |\$3 |
| Vegetable sticks with hummus |\$1 |
| Fruit sticks with custard |\$1 |
| Piranha Vege Crackers (GF) Salt & Vinegar/BBQ/Honey Soy |\$2 |

From the Bakers Window (Check Daily)

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| Buckwheat pikelets (GF) |\$1 |
| English muffin pizzas |\$2 |
| Pastizzi Cheese/Apple/Beef |\$2 |
| Banana bread |\$3 |
| Fresh Muffins |\$3 |
| Homemade sausage rolls |\$2 |
| Garlic Bread x 2 Slices |50c |



Please place all orders written on a paper bag or a re-usable lunch bag with the correct money in your class tray by 9.30am.

Please call Ilana for any catering orders on 040885448 or email akresfam@gmail.com

DF – Dairy Free, GF – Gluten Free, V – Vegetarian, K – Kosher, H – Halal