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Diary Dates

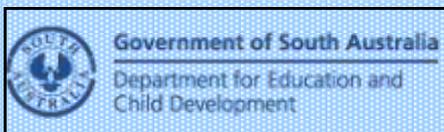
- 8/8/17—Governing Council
- 11/8/17— Assembly
- 25/8/17-Bookweek parade
- 29/8/17— Jump off day
- 4/9/17— Year 3-5 swimming
- 7/9/112/9/17— Governing Council



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Principal's Ponderings

It was great to see all the happy faces return to school last week, even if the holidays from the child's perspective are never long enough.

You will notice that Friday 25th August will be a fun day with a whole school fancy dress parade to celebrate Book Week. I hope many parents can be in attendance to share this occasion with students and staff.

Just a couple of gentle reminders:

- 1) Please can girls' headbands be of a simple construction, with large bows and cats' ears not really being in alignment with appropriate school attire. Save them for the weekend.
- 2) The staff car park is not a parking option for parents' vehicles. Such occurrences are an accident in waiting.

See you on 25th August.

Andrew Messenger



Values Awards given at last Assembly	Well done !	
Name	Class	Certificate
Jackson Wait	H5	Bronze
Benjamin Noy	H5	Bronze
Heath Clark	G2	Bronze
Brydie VandenHoogen	G2	Bronze
Joshua McInnes	G4	Bronze
Mya Peterson	I3	Bronze
Ash Bettess	G2	Silver
Tori Peralta	I3	Silver
Jasmine Berry	I4	Silver
Isabelle Mendham	I4	Silver
Kodah Kotyla Edwards	I4	Silver
Caidyn Harris-Jones	I6	Silver
Cooper Moon	I6	Silver
Dhun Suprasong	I9	Silver
Lily Diener	I7	Gold
Izybella Fairlie	I1	Gold
Oliver Huxford	I1	Gold
Jessica Noy	I7	Platinum
Oscar Van Erp	I1	Platinum
Ryan Jacob	I10	Platinum

Summer Wadkins— Gold Medal



Senyszyn Science Award



This year we will again be holding the Senyszyn Science Award in honor of Peter Senyszyn, a well-respected Science/P.E teacher who taught at the school for many years.

The aim of the award is for students to

- Undertake and report on a scientific investigation/inquiry of interest to them
- Develop their science knowledge and understanding
- Show their work to a broader audience.

All students R-7 are able to participate.

Entries will be judged in the following categories R-2, 3-5 and 6-7. Students are able to enter as individual or a small group (max. 3 people).

Entries are due on Friday 7th September (week 6) and need to be taken to the science room for judging. All students will receive a certificate of **participation. Winners' names will be added to the Senyszyn Award Shield.**

In week 8 there will be a Science Expo where all entries will be on display.

Mr Mac has opened a City-Bay Fun -Run team account.

Join in the fun and register for **our team at 'Seaford Rise City-Bay 2017'**



The race is on Sunday September 17th. Let Mr. Mac know if you are interested.

Jump Rope for Heart-the fun, fitness and fundraising event!

Our school is participating in the Heart Foundation Jump Rope for Heart's Jump Off Day on Tuesday, 29th August, 2017. It encourages our students to get more physically active while discussing and encouraging their attitude towards a healthy lifestyle as well as raising vital funds for cardiovascular research and community health programs.

It is a popular sponsored skipping day that raises money both for our school and for the Heart Foundation -Australia's leading heart health charity.

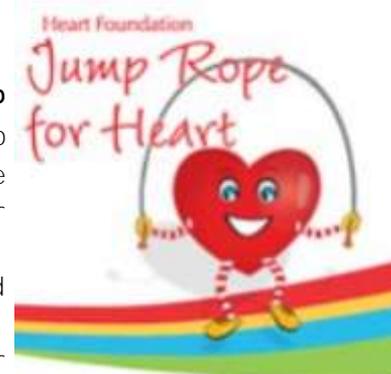
Please encourage your child to continue skipping and support them with their fundraising by asking your relatives and friends to sponsor them.

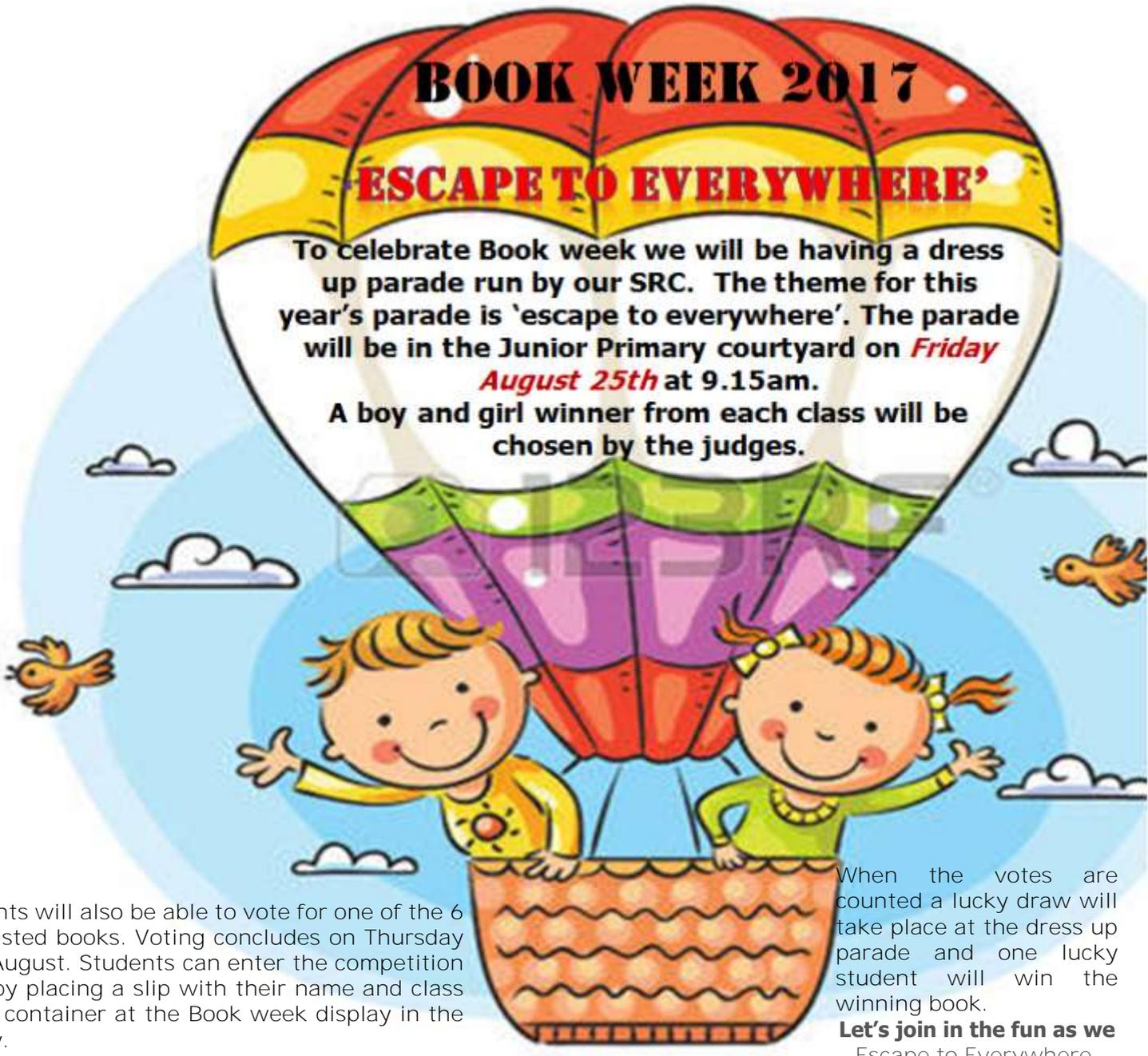
Sponsorship can be via your child's sponsorship form or through the hassle-free online functionality at www.jumprope.org.au. This is a great way for your child to monitor their progress, receive bonus prizes and even receive sponsorship from family and friends who are further afield.

Sponsorship money raised can be brought to school anytime after the Jump Off Day (29th Aug) until 22nd September, 2017. This allows the Heart Foundation time to process and collate the data **in order to provide the 'Thank you prizes' for our students.**

Thank you for your support in joining us in the fight against heart disease. Together we can save lives.

Regards, Kylie Mechis





BOOK WEEK 2017

ESCAPE TO EVERYWHERE'

To celebrate Book week we will be having a dress up parade run by our SRC. The theme for this year's parade is 'escape to everywhere'. The parade will be in the Junior Primary courtyard on **Friday August 25th** at 9.15am.

A boy and girl winner from each class will be chosen by the judges.

Students will also be able to vote for one of the 6 shortlisted books. Voting concludes on Thursday 24th August. Students can enter the competition once by placing a slip with their name and class in the container at the Book week display in the library.

When the votes are counted a lucky draw will take place at the dress up parade and one lucky student will win the winning book.

Let's join in the fun as we
Escape to Everywhere.

Premier's Reading Challenge

Congratulations to the following Early bird Lucky Draw winners:

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| H 2 - Summer | C 3 - Caitlin |
| H 3 - Mikah | C 4 - Cooper |
| H 4 - Levi | J 1 - Seth |
| H 5 - Abbey | J2- Bella |

Awesome Effort, well done!

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| G 2 - Thomas |
| G 3 - Taylor |
| G 4 - Cruze |
| G 5 - Lily |
| I 1 - Jett |
| I 3 - Vanessa |
| I 4 - Oscar |
| I 6 - Eden |
| I 7 - Campbell |
| I 9 - Ryder |
| I 10 - Amber |
| C 2 - Emelia |

Congratulations to the following PRC Early bird classes:

H2, H4, G2, G3, G4, G5, J1, J2.

Fantastic effort everyone but we are not there YET!

Let's see if we can get the whole school to finish.

You have until September 8th — so get reading!

FUNDRAISING NEWS !

On behalf of the Fundraising Committee we would like to thank everyone for helping make our fundraising a huge success. So far we have raised \$2707-93

Our remaining 2 fundraisers are

- * Father's day stall (week 6)
- * Christmas raffle

Any donations for either fundraiser would be greatly appreciated!

These can be placed in the white hamper in the front office.

We ask that any donations for Father's Day are brought in by Friday 25th August. Any business donations will be acknowledged in the school newsletter

Thank you

Community news

Does your child or teen have a **SLEEP PROBLEM?**

Does your child:

- refuse to go to bed at night
- have trouble falling asleep
- wake up and cannot get back to sleep
- have trouble waking up or getting out of bed in the morning
- often sleep in their parents' bed or bedroom or need a parent present to help them fall asleep
- miss school or feel fatigued throughout the school day



The **Child & Adolescent Sleep Clinic** at Flinders University offers treatments for children and adolescents of all ages (including infants from 6 months of age). To book an appointment, please call or email us on the contact details below.



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Woolworths Earn and Learn program is up and running again this year.



The program gives primary and secondary schools the chance to earn amazing school resources.

Earn one sticker for every \$10-00 spent at Woolworths.

Sticker sheets are available at the front desk.

There is a box for completed sticker sheets in the front office. There is also a box with our school name at Seaford Woolworths and Seaford Meadows Woolworths stores. Last year we managed to get some great equipment for the school.



Lost Property

Please name all items of clothing and hats so we may return missing items to your child.

We are in need of ice-cream containers for our sick room and plastic bags for fundraising and rubbish collecting. If you have any spare—please drop them in to Cheryl at the desk. Thank you.

Sgt John and Humphrey say – Road Safety around Schools Begins with You

Wearing a seatbelt doubles your chances of surviving a serious crash and nothing else offers the same level of crash protection for children as a properly fitted, approved child restraint. Child restraint laws are based on age (rather than by height or weight) because research indicates that this is easier for parents to follow and will result in the smallest number of children being inappropriately restrained. However, a child's height and weight are still important to consider when making a choice about the right restraint or booster seat for your child.

It is a good idea to keep your child in a restraint with a harness with an anti-submarining seatbelt strap, which is attached to the booster seat and clips to the lap part of the seatbelt (between the child's legs). This prevents a child from sliding under their seatbelt during a crash or heavy braking. All child restraints must be worn properly, adjusted and securely fastened at all times. The sash part of the seatbelt should sit flat on the shoulder without touching the face or neck. The lap part of the seatbelt should cross low over the hips, not the abdomen. The seatbelt should not be twisted, all slack needs to be removed and the legs of the child should be long enough to hang over the front of the seat when sitting right back.

As seatbelts are designed primarily for adults, a child restraint must be provided until they are able to wear the seatbelt correctly.



Buckle them in every time

Your child needs to be correctly restrained even when travelling a **short distance**. Most crashes happen **close to home!**

ROAD SAFETY AROUND SCHOOLS BEGINS WITH YOU!

