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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Asphalting Works

This week at the Junior/Senior Campus asphalting works created great excitement amongst the students and staff. The basketball courts and tennis courts are progressing nicely. The basketball rings will be installed early next week.

Rugby Victoria

Rugby Victoria has provided rugby coaching to our students this week from our Junior/Senior Campus as well as our Middle Campus. Thank you Mr Hutching for organising these fantastic clinics.

FIFA Women's World Cup

Soccer fever hit Emerson School this week as our staff and students celebrated the wonderful achievements of the Matildas in the World Cup. Students and staff were heard chanting 'Aussie, Aussie, Aussie - Oi, Oi, Oi' throughout the corridors.

Annual Parent Survey

Our Annual Parent Survey will be circulated over the next week. This is one of our only ways we can record the high regard for our school and the need for better facilities. Our new Stage One building is proof of this approach. I encourage all parents to complete this survey as it is essential for the ongoing development of our school.

Thank you

Today we say goodbye and thank you to James, our building site manger, who moves onto his next project. James has overseen the development of our new building at our Junior/Senior Campus since soon after it commenced.

John Mooney
Principal



DIARY DATES 2023

FRIDAY 15TH SEPTEMBER - Last Day of Term 3 (early finish)

MONDAY 2ND OCTOBER - Term 4 Commences

VALUE OF THE FORTNIGHT

We will continue our study of the value, Kindness, next week.

By far one of the most well-known, and heartwarming acts of kindness was the Christmas day truce between English and German troops in 1914 during the First World War. After five months of battle on the Western Front, troops on both sides called for a major truce on Christmas day. While many informal truces had happened before, over 100,000 troops took part in the festive truce.

It wasn't just a ceasefire though, as many soldiers from both sides fraternised with one another. Soldiers socialised, exchanged gifts, and in some cases, played football in the land between the two sides. When discussing famous cases of kindness, there are few as heartwarming and unique as this one.

*Dianne Wright
Campus Principal—Middle School*

CELEBRATING 50 YEARS OF EMERSON SCHOOL

We are on the search for your favourite family recipes to create and publish an Emerson School Cook Book, to celebrate our 50th Anniversary.

Traditional recipes, cultural recipes, recipes handed down from past generations, your favourite recipes, we would love for you to share them with us.

Please advise if this is a recipe you have created, had handed down to you or have found online (for copyright purposes).

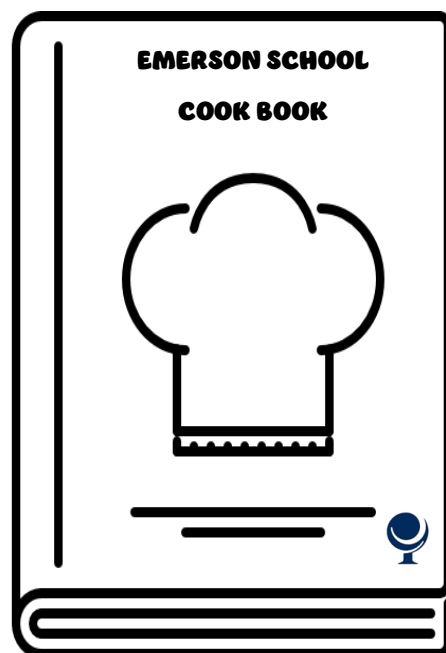
If it is a recipe from online, please include the link to the website.

Please send your recipes or website links, along with a photo (if possible) of your recipes by August 25th to:

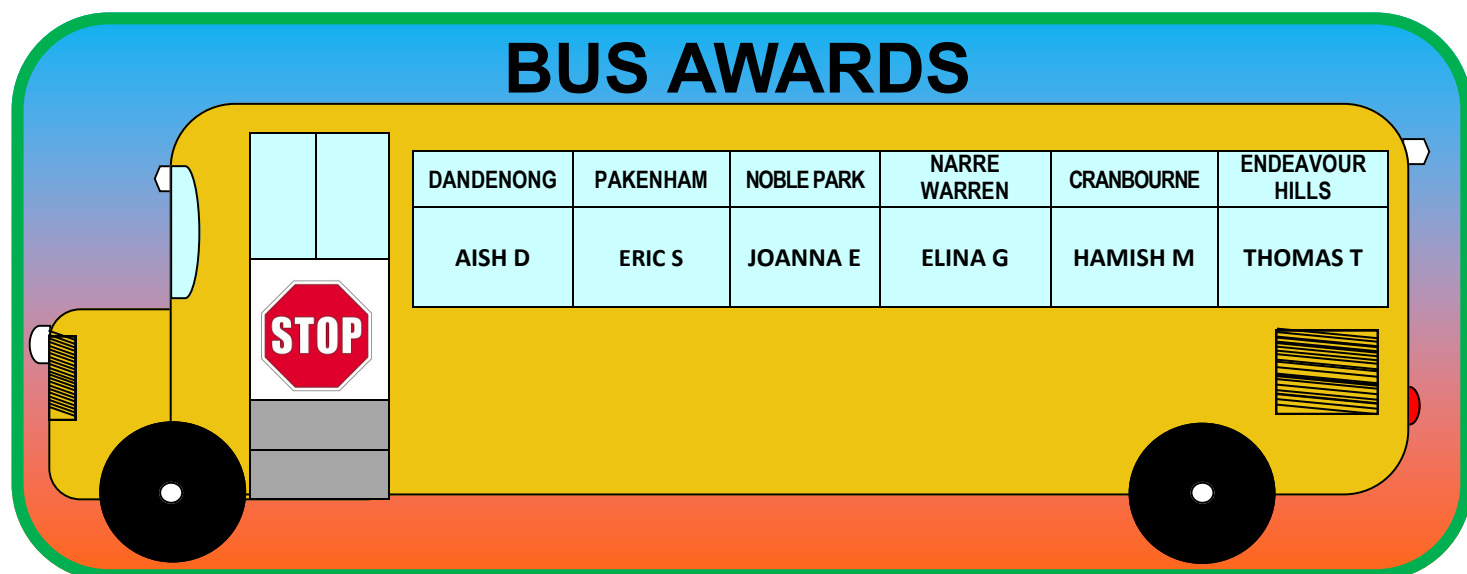
*Emerson School c/o Fay Veitch—1430 Heatherton Road, Dandenong VIC 3175 or
Fay.Veitch@education.vic.gov.au or drop it into the school office.*

We appreciate your assistance and cannot wait to see our Emerson School Cook Book published in the near future.

Please note: not all recipes submitted may be featured.



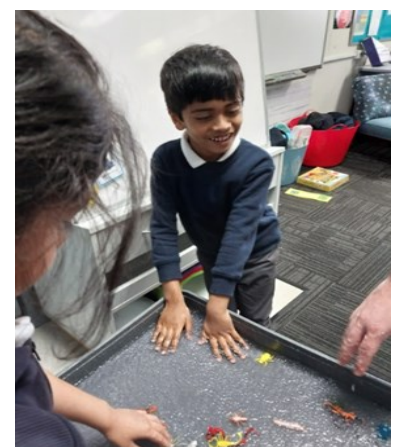
BUS AWARDS



JUNIOR SCHOOL NEWS—JUNIOR PLAY THERAPY

Junior School students in classes JSA, JSB, JSC, JSD and JSH have been participating in play therapy throughout the year facilitated by our Occupational Therapist and Speech Pathologists. Students have an opportunity to explore different play items and scenarios and progress their play skills.

*Ana, Emma and Daisy
Clinical Services*



JUNIOR SCHOOL STUDENT OF THE WEEK AWARDS

FRIENDSHIP

**Henry JSA
Victoria JSD**

BEST DANCER

Mohamed JSG

PARTICIPATION

Henry JSF

ATHLETIC

Mustafa JSC

MATHEMATICS

Adil JSE

PENMANSHIP

Zain JSJ

BEST BEHAVIOUR

Kevin JSI

SUPER READER

Michael JSB

OPTIMISM

Indego JSK



COURAGE

Gerrard JSH



KINDNESS AWARDS

- ◆ Mr Walsh has been nominated by Mr McLean and Ms Gould for turning on all the heaters in the Junior School classrooms on the freezing mornings as the central heating is broken. Thank you Mr Walsh for looking after the Junior School students and staff!
- ◆ Talyn C from MSK has been nominated by Mrs Slusher for walking another student to his bus line when he was hesitant to go.
- ◆ Mr V and his SSB class have been nominated by Christine McEvoy for moving chairs and tables into a new Clinical Services meeting room. They moved everything on the same day that the request was made! Thank you SSB and Mr V!
- ◆ Shiloh S has been nominated by Christine McEvoy for helping a student safely to the bottom of the stairs when they needed assistance.

MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENT OF THE WEEK

MSA CRUZ O

For a detailed weekend recount.

MSB BETHANY E

For improving her patience and social skills.

MSC AREEB R

For putting his hand up and asking for help.

MSD VENISE F

For her excellent Maths work.

MSF TAMMIE C

For showing patience and kindness when trying to help a fellow student in Science.

MSG ANGEL H

For showing improvement in her work ethic.

MSI BEN B

For always working hard and never making a fuss.

MSJ ADAM N

For having a great week.

MSK SHAUN R

For coping with change.

MSL TIAKI T

For his fantastic effort towards his schooling this term.

ESO JOE T

For showing great improvement in language comprehension.

ARTIST JACKSON N

For his awesome series of Sonic. He is great at colouring and inventing!

MR MAC JENNIFER H

For constantly applying herself in Woodwork.

SCIENCE RILEY D

For his wonderful help this week in Science.

MIDDLE SCHOOL MILKSHAKE AWARDS



SPORTS STAR OF THE WEEK AWARDS



BOOK WEEK 2023



CITY OF GREATER DANDENONG ACTIVITIES

FOR YOUNG PEOPLE
AGED 12-25

YOUTH FEST 2023

Thursday 28 September
11am to 2pm
Noble Park Skatepark
and surrounding area
Memorial Dr, Noble Park

SCAN HERE FOR
MORE INFORMATION

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This event is fully supervised, no smoking, no alcohol and no drugs event.
The Greater Dandenong City Council acknowledges the support of the Victorian Government.

CALL OUT FOR LOCAL PERFORMERS

We are looking for young people to
showcase their talents to the community.

Are you 12-25
years old and love...

- Singing?
- Playing a musical instrument?
- Dancing or cultural performances?
- Spoken word poetry?
- Comedy, circus, or magic tricks?

You could get paid to perform on stage at community festivals and events.

For further information, please contact Youth and Family Services on 9793 2155 or visit youth.greaterdandenong.vic.gov.au/programs/call-out-performers to express your interest.

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