Hi Everyone,

This week has been a busy week at the school.

We have completed testing for the students, had our Art Show and a Book Fair!

We also had a visit from the City of Greater Bendigo to talk to the students about playgrounds in the shire. They talked about what they liked and had a chance of adding their feedback to the shire about what they would want in a playground.

Yesterday was also the last visit from our Speech Pathologist Helen Harley. Helen has been attending the school every fortnight for most of the year to work with a number of students. Helen has done a great job this year and is very pleased with the progress of the students in all areas.

Yesterday was also the final visit from the MARC Van for the year. Jocelyn has enjoyed coming to Redesdale Mia Mia this year and we thank her for the great activities and showing us some awesome new books to borrow.

Thank you to families for supporting our book fair. Students are very happy with their purchases! Thanks to Ms Gill and the students for setting everything up and for Di for looking after all the money.

Next Friday is a student free day for a teacher curriculum day. We will be organising things for 2016 on this day.

The grounds need a bit of a tidy up before the end of the year. Mowing, whipper snipping and spraying around the place. If any parents are able to pop in after school or the weekends that would be much appreciated.

We will have our school community luncheon on Wednesday the 16th of December at the school.

The graduation night will be at the Redesdale Hall on Thursday the 17th at 6pm-7pm. All students will be performing some songs as well as grade 6 presentations.

This weekend the Great Victorian Bike ride will be heading through town. It will be interesting for the students to watch them riding through (from Heathcote to Sutton Grange). It is a great activity that student will get a chance to participate in at high school.

Tonight of course myself and Joan Stammers are here at school with the students for their sleepover. We have already made a Lasagne and a spaghetti sauce for tea. Everyone is quite excited!

Next week will be the last newsletter for the year. If you have anything to put in please email the school by 9am Thursday.

Have a great weekend.

Thanks, Joe Sebire
SAUSAGE SIZZLE
The Sausage Sizzle is every Wednesday.

Prices per student are as follows:
- 1 sausage in bread + drink + fruit = $3.00
- 2 sausages in bread + drink + fruit = $4.00

This term staff will be cooking the sausages. Please find below our volunteers who will be supplying fruit over the next three weeks.

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VIP’S
The VIP’s this week are Mitchell & Jayden. Thank you for doing your job so well and so diligently.

FARMHANDS
Lachlan, Alex & Gabe are the farm hands this week and are doing a great job looking after the chooks and

Term Dates 2016

Term 1
Thursday Jan 27th to Thursday 24th March

Term 2
Monday Apr 11th to Friday 24th June

Term 3
Monday 11th July to Friday 16th September

Term 4
Monday 3rd October to Tuesday 20th December

BOOK FAIR
Thank you to everyone who purchased items from our Book Fair
We made over $500 worth of sales!
Redesdale Mia Mia P.S.

Art Show

Today we had the Redesdale Mia Mia P.S art show. It was wonderful to see all of the children’s work on the walls!

The children then voted for the picture they liked most. Congratulations to Alex Smith-Sargent for his Pop art piece and to Chelsey Parsons for her Pop art piece which both received 3 votes each!

We would like to thank RaDA for the use of the art stands.
Calling on the singers and songwriter youth of the Heathcote and district region

The Heathcote Community Games is on again on the last weekend in February next year... and we need a theme song! Tania Malavesi has kindly offered to mentor a group of enthusiastic children to develop the children’s thoughts and hopes for the Games into an uplifting song, to be recorded and performed by the children.

Please email (doug@dougbruce.com.au) or text (0477863258) Jodie if your child is interested in joining this group. We will be looking to have the first meeting at the Heathcote Community House around 4pm in the last week of school and a couple over January (missing a meeting if your child is out of town for any of the days is ok).

This should be a positive and fun way of connecting the children of Heathcote and its surrounding regions and we do hope you will consider supporting your child’s involvement.

Jodie Doyle
HCG organising committee member

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