



# Maroona Primary School Newsletter

## Friday 18<sup>th</sup> August 2023

### Principal's Report

Term 3 seems to be flying past now at a rapid pace. It is great to see the children in both rooms settling into a consistent routine of focussed and productive learning.

All of our camps have been approved by School Council, so we are set for an exciting Term 4 as children from various grades head to Canberra, Roses Gap, and Ballarat. We also have the Energy Breakthrough event in Maryborough to look forward to.

Our change of uniform has also been approved by School Council, and this will be phased in during the 2024 school year.

### **School Camps**



Grades 4-6 - Canberra Camp

9<sup>th</sup> -13<sup>th</sup> October

Projected cost - \$725 per child

P/1 - Sleepover 27<sup>th</sup> October

Projected cost - \$100 per child

Grades 2/3 – Roses Gap

8<sup>th</sup> -10<sup>th</sup> November

Projected cost - \$320 per child

Grades 4-6 - Energy Breakthrough

22<sup>nd</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup> November

If any parents have concerns about camp payments, please contact Richard or Leanne to discuss your payment options.

### **Birthdays**

John Powne (11) 23<sup>rd</sup> August  
Emily Armstrong (11) 29<sup>th</sup> August  
Rowly Tucker (10) 9<sup>th</sup> September  
Archie Fraser (12) 5<sup>th</sup> October



### Dates to remember

August 21 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Golf Clinic with  
Tony Collier

August 23 – MARC Van

August 29 – Cluster Day Pomonal  
Footy Clinic and  
Nudal Cart activities

Sept 6 – MARC Van

Sept 8 – Monster Walk/Bike Ride

Sept 15 – Working Bee

Sept 15 – Final day of Term 3

Oct 2 – First day of Term 4

Oct 4 – MARC Van

Oct 4 – Canberra Camp (Gr. 4 - 6)

Oct 17 – School Photos

Oct 20 – Responsible Pet  
Ownership incursion

## Descriptive Writing Prep - 3

The kitten is about to jump on the mouse.  
It is not a real mouse. Vivian - Prep



Jeremy Cameron can kick lots of goals.  
George - Prep

Corgis are golden and white. Their ears are a triangle shape but with no pointy tips, it is a curve. When they are babies they are small, cute and fuzzy. Some owners get their corgis tails cut off. If they have tails they are curly.

Isabella - Grade 3



I like kittens because they playfight and I think it is funny. But when they are really little they can't fight. Kittens are fast, feisty, and playful.

Annabelle - Grade 3

The cows are big, black and white, and friendly. They are being milked by a machine.

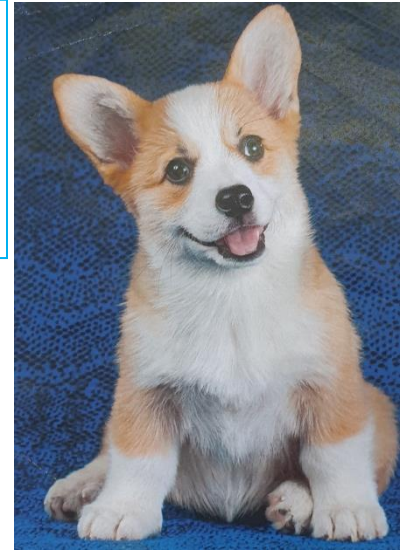
Vincent - Grade 2



Elsa is my favourite movie.  
Sophie H - Prep

## Descriptive Writing Prep - 3

This puppy is a corgi. It is cute, snuggly, and a little bit chubby. This corgi likes to sit on the couch with his blue blanket. The corgi is white and brown. Alice - Grade 3



This dog is a Jack Russell. Jack Russells are good hunters, and they are really friendly. This dog likes to play. He is fluffy and smooth. Sophie - Grade 1

My ferrets are efficient, powerful and smart. They are fast, playful and scratchy. I love ferrets because they kill rabbits. Tom - Grade 3



The Matildas beat France on Saturday night and they are playing England tonight. Everyone went mad when number 5 kicked the winning goal for the Matildas. The goalie had a chance to win by two goals but it hit the post. Matildas games are exciting, enjoyable, and fun. Billy - Grade 3



This princess is my favourite. I already watched it one time. Rapunzel is my favourite movie character. Rose - Prep

This is my favourite movie. Elsa builds a castle and Ana can not get in. I like Elsa. She has powers that can freeze you. Maggie - Prep



## That's a Nice-a Pasta!

On the 18th of August the senior classroom did cooking. For cooking we cooked pasta and spaghetti. Some people minced the mince and others chopped onions. After we prepared the ingredients we brought them to cook on the stove. We cooked the mince and onion then mixed them together. We cooked the pasta and then lunch was served. Overall it was a great cooking session and thank you to all the staff that helped and purchased the ingredients. Everyone enjoyed lunch and the day was great.

-Grace Robertson



## Student Recognition Awards



Every fortnight at our school assembly the Maroona Primary School teachers each nominate one student each who they feel have been exemplifying our school values of Respect, Honesty, Excellence and Kindness.

Our latest recipients are Max Tucker, Vincent McDougall, Vivian McDougall, and William Barr.

## Where in the World is...?

This semester the Grade 4-6 students have been taking part in Geography. The first continent that we have been looking at is Europe. We have been learning about landmarks, population, flag, and flora and fauna. We are currently creating posters about their chosen countries. They are loving learning about a different continent.

