Week 3 • Term 2 • 2017

Hello Vincent Community!

Principal’s report

This week is Be a Learner week. Every day we focus on teaching students to be able to answer these ‘Five Questions for Students’. I encourage you to ask your children these questions every afternoon when you pick them up from school or over the dinner table when you talk about your day as a family:

1. What am I learning? (What did you learn today?)
2. How am I doing?
3. How do I know how well I am doing?
4. How can I improve?
5. Where do I go for help?

Our focus areas for this week are:

1. Whole-body listening (look at the speaker)
2. First time, every time (follow instructions the first time they are given)
3. Be able to answer ‘Question 1: What am I learning?’ and ‘Question 4: How can I improve?’

IMPORTANT DATES
CCA Prep swimming lessons: Friday afternoons
100% Attendance Rewards Party: Friday 5 May
Year 6 Woodwork classes: start Monday 8 May
Wk 4 P&C Meeting: Wednesday 10 May 3:30pm
Wk 4 NAPLAN: Year 3 & 5 students May 9-11
Wk 5 School photos: FRIDAY 19 MAY
Wk 6 Coloured Clothes Day fundraiser: Friday 26 May - gold coin donation
Wk 8 Parent-teacher conversations: Wednesday 7 June 3:00 – 4:00pm in classrooms
June: J Block Sea Mural Project (turtles)
Friday afternoon rotations in June: NAIDOC activities

ENROLMENT VACANCIES
We have some vacancies in some year levels. Please recommend our fantastic school to your new neighbours, friends and relations.

STAFFING UPDATE
Mrs Deborah Morgan’s delayed start continues. CCB has Mrs Humna Ahmed in the meantime.

ATTENDANCE

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Class Attendance Competition
After many months, CCD has won the weekly Class Attendance Competition. Well done! Every day counts!
Student Council Badge Ceremony

The Student Council made their pledge to the school today and received their badges. Well done Marilyn, Tayjannah, Kyreamah, Brody, Monique, Chantelle, Clarise, Zaarah, Marcus, Hugh, Leinah and Isabel!

Students of the Week

Vincent Voucher winners: Gotcha being good!

Cent Sale Donations Needed
Our school P&C’s fundraiser for 2017 is a Cent Sale! We are seeking donations from our school community to help make this day a success:

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<td>Bathroom Items, shampoos, conditioner, body washes, soaps, face washes, towels</td>
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<td>Week 5: 15</td>
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<td>Week 6: 29</td>
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<td>Anything for men, male toiletries, tools, etc.</td>
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<td>Weeks 7: 5</td>
<td>5 June</td>
<td>Cash Donations $2 - $10 (to purchase bigger prizes for the 20’s table)</td>
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All children who bring in donations win a free ice block and the class that brings in the most will win a class party!

CPA Mural Restoration Project
The restoration is virtually complete under the careful guidance of Mrs Guy. Check out the pictures on the ‘Vincent State School’ facebook page for former students.

New school gates
All gates will be closed at 9:00am and re-opened at 2:30pm except for the front office car park gate and the Palmerston Street pedestrian gate in front of the library. All visitors must report to the front office when entering school grounds.

Reminders: No hat, no play! No shoes, no play!

Volunteers needed to help with gardening (weeding) and the tuckshop orders.