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Hello Vincent Community!

Be Respected/Be Respectful

This week our challenge is First Time, Every Time – doing what we are asked the first time it is asked as part of our next one month focus area. From our High Five, we talk friendly or talk firmly to solve problems that come up during games. We follow the rules of the classroom and the rules of our lunchtime games.

Telstra Raffle

The Stockland Telstra stores have started an in-store raffle with great prizes including a Tablet! Telstra has chosen our school to donate all funds from the raffle. Tickets are $5 each or three tickets for $10 in store.

Healthy Lunches

It is pleasing to see that students with healthy lunches are able to solve their problems at school using the High Five. Brain food helps students make good choices and pay attention for longer. Students with only junk food in their lunch boxes every day are very cranky. Please provide a healthy lunch for your children.

Transition To Junior Secondary

Our Year 6 students had an excursion to Heatley Secondary College on Wednesday for high school activities for a taste of high school life.

Learning Fair

Yesterday, our leadership team presented the excellent results of our Early Years Reading Project (Prep and Year 1) to a large group of school leaders from across the region. Already, one-third of our Preps have reached the reading standard required by the end of the year. Fantastic effort!

Please encourage washing of hands with soap frequently to reduce absences from illness.

Please bring in your EARN AND LEARN stickers, as they need to be counted. Every single sticker helps!
School Opinion Survey
These results were released on Tuesday. Overall, there is a more positive feel about the school and the job we’re doing. We have lots of ‘100% approval’ ratings from the groups surveyed.

Action Plan
Our three month Action Plan (after our Priority School Review in June) was presented to the Panel Chair and Assistant Regional Director on Tuesday. This was well-received. The school staff were also praised for our excellent improvement in NAPLAN, especially in writing. This is the result of our new reading program this year called ‘7 Steps To Writing Success’. We were also praised for our improvement in overall results that were published in last week’s newsletter.

Attendance Trophy
Winners For Week 8 - Prep

Students Of The Week

Behaviours Awards

Every Day Counts
Above: 50 Vincent Voucher Club – We Get A Prize From Stockland.
Top Right: We Achieved Our English Goals
Right: We Achieved Our Goals
Below: Luck Dip Vincent Voucher Winners

25 Vincent Voucher Club – We Got A Handball
**Engaging Adolescents – Parenting Program**

**Date:** To be confirmed (Term 4)  **Time:** To be confirmed (day or evening)

This Parent Program will encourage more positive relationships between parents and their adolescents (10 to 6 years). Parents can assist their adolescents to make wiser decisions through tough conversations of negotiation. Strategies will be explored to help parents help their adolescents to observe their own feelings and manage their emotions.

Please register your interest in participating. Provide a time of day/ evening that would best suit you. Venue to be determined – will depend on numbers.

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