PRINCIPAL’S COMMENTS

WEATHER CONDITIONS

During the last two weeks, we have experienced both very warm and very cold days. Some children have been extremely cold this week because they are dressed for the warmer weather. However, constant weather has not arrived yet, so please make sure your child is appropriately dressed for the weather conditions. Thank you.

NAPLAN RESULTS

Every year, students in Grades 3 and 5 complete the National Assessment Program for Literacy and Numeracy tests. (Naplan) The students do a Reading, Writing, Spelling, Grammar, Punctuation and Numeracy test over the week. Our results indicate that across the Grade 3 area, this year’s group of students improved in the areas of: Reading, Spelling, Grammar and Punctuation, when compared to 2012 students. However, most Grade 5 students who sat the tests in Grade 3, made good improvement across all areas over the 2 year period. Parents should remember that the Naplan tests were given in Term 2, five months ago, and are already out of date. Naplan results are only a “snapshot” of student progress. Teacher assessment of your child’s progress is ongoing and your child’s teacher will be able to give you feedback on the current progress being made, or clarification of any of the Naplan information that was provided to you at the beginning of term.

TERM 4 – HAT TIME

As part of our SUNSMART policy, students must wear a broad-brimmed or legionnaire’s hat during Terms 1 and 4 as the primary method of protecting students from dangerous UV rays. This has been a long standing policy at Movelle Primary School. Please make sure that your child’s hat has their name clearly written inside it. If your child has lost their hat, new broad-brimmed hats are available from the office for $12. Baseball type caps are not suitable because they do not protect the ears of the student.

DATES TO REMEMBER

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4TH NOVEMBER 2013 CURRICULUM DAY NO STUDENTS AT SCHOOL

5TH NOVEMBER 2013 CUP DAY NO STUDENTS AT SCHOOL
IT’S ABOUT TO GET VERY Hairy Here at Movelle
During November, things are going to look a little different around our school. When I say different, what I mean to say is things are going to look hairier. This year, the Movelle Primary School Community is going to be participating in fun activities, while raising money for Movember. Movember is an annual, month-long event involving the growing of moustaches during the month of November to raise awareness of prostate cancer and other male cancers. Movember’s not just for men. The women of Movember are known as Mo Sistas. They play a vital role in the success of Movember by supporting and encouraging the men in their life to get involved and they also assist with fundraising schemes.

Thanks to the support of our School Council, we have some marvellous prizes for you to be able to win. If a male in your family grows a moustache from the 1st to the 29th of November they could win a $100 Bunning’s voucher! More information about this competition will come very soon.

If you would like to donate money for Movember, you can do so by donating online at http://mobro.co/movelleps or at our school office.

Keep your eyes open for information about our Movelle Movember Party which will be happening on the 29th of November.

Mrs. Pourliakas has been absent from school this week as her mother has sadly passed away last weekend. On behalf of our school community, we have expressed our sincere condolences and attended the funeral today representing our community. Our thoughts and prayers are with the Pourliakas family during this sad time.

Parents are asked to please inform the staff in the office if you will be leaving Movelle next year.

Bill Hunt
Principal

Mathletics News
For the month of September, the following students have achieved a Silver Certificate Award in Mathletics.

5/6 Students:
Jesse Jesensek
Wilson Le
Ziah Tauali’l-Williamson

3/4 Students:
Nahmat Rasooli
Michael Doan
Fenella Tran
Linda Lai
Mikahella Lina
Cindy Le
Phoebe McLaughlin
Alyssa Phan
Terry Nguyen
My Tang

1/2 Students:
Honey Muriwai Hatheway
Kiir Keer
Sarah Mai

The Gold Certificate Award goes to Nathan Mai in 3/4U.
### EXCELLENCE AWARDS

#### LITERACY

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<td>Cindy Tran</td>
<td>For making wonderful progress in her reading and for recognising many of the Magic 100 Words.</td>
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<td>1/2 T</td>
<td>Kenny Le</td>
<td>Writing a detailed Information Report on Kitchen Safety.</td>
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<td>Chris Vassiliadis</td>
<td>The impressive effort he has put into all of his narrative writing activities.</td>
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<td>3/4 U</td>
<td>Christina Nguyen</td>
<td>For writing a truly remarkable story.</td>
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<td>Chanel Azzopardi</td>
<td>For making an inference during shared reading.</td>
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<td>Kevin Le</td>
<td>Writing a ‘Gripping Lead’ to his memories recount, to capture the reader’s attention.</td>
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#### MATHEMATICS

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<td>Capri Tahakahura</td>
<td>For solving subtraction problems in different ways, by using counters, a tens-frame and a number-line.</td>
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<td>Chloe Hathaway</td>
<td>For her excellent work on fractions.</td>
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<td>Jacinta Ah-Kau</td>
<td>Always working hard in numeracy and for helping her classmates improve their maths skills.</td>
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<td>Declan Doneski</td>
<td>For showing very good effort while learning timetables.</td>
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<td>5/6 P</td>
<td>Omar Karim</td>
<td>Using a range of strategies to solve worded problems.</td>
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<td>Lien Nguyen</td>
<td>For her excellent work in converting units of measure in Mass and Capacity.</td>
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### Definition of Math/Literacy Words

**Place Value:** The value of where the digit is in the number.

Example: In the number: 3 5 2 The place value of the 5 is "5 tens or 50"

Example: In 1 7, 5 9 1 the place value of the 7 is "7 thousand or 7,000"  

**Trading** (regrouping) is the process used in addition and subtraction that most of us remember being known as "carrying" and "borrowing." (See the red portions in the examples below)

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& + \quad 5 \quad 9 \\
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& - \quad 3 \quad 5 \\
& \quad 27
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Absence Approval Form

Dear Teacher,

My child .................................................................

Was absent on ..............................................................

Due to ........................................................................

Signed: ......................................................................

Term Dates 2014

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OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS

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6.45 to 8.45 during terms.
Located at: Resurrection Primary School
$11.00 Permanent booking
$14.50 Casual booking

After School Care
Program operates daily from 3.30pm to 6.30pm during school terms.
Located at: Movelle Primary School
$17.00 permanent booking
$20.00 casual booking

Both programs are registered with the Department of Family & Community Services.

All enquiries and bookings call:
Judy (Co ordinator) 0411 035 111
Resurrection Primary School: 9366 7022
Movelle Primary School: 9366 8892

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