On behalf of Glenyce Brooks and myself, I would like to thank the Leadership team, the office staff and teachers for their extra effort last week. It was a week of unexpected family turbulence for Mrs. Brooks and myself. However, my staff showed they have the capabilities to work as a team to effectively manage the school in our absence. There were some challenging moments that were handled very well and their level of support for us and each other was, as usual, very pleasing.

Most parents would be aware that we have a “Welfare Officer” in Ms. Carmen Dimech. This year, Ms. Dimech has established a “Welfare Committee” to assist staff in their efforts to support the welfare of every student. Fortnightly meetings are held and at our last one, it was decided to raise the level of parent and student understanding of our school values. In this newsletter, I want to focus on RESPECT. RESPECT is one of our school values and it incorporates many other positive qualities.

Hi Prep Parents in Mrs. Hancock’s class! You would have received a parent information sheet about the ‘Classroom Promotion of Oral Language Research Project’ which we are participating in. If you would like to contact the project team directly with any queries or concerns, feel free to contact any of these three team members listed below. Alternatively you can speak to your classroom teacher about the project: Associate Professor Pamela Snow: pamela.snow@monash.edu

DATES TO REMEMBER

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<td>6th Mar - 8th May</td>
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<td>25th March</td>
<td>School Council AGM MEETING</td>
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<td>28th March</td>
<td>No School Assembly</td>
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<td>4th April</td>
<td>Last day Term 1 2.30pm Finish School Assembly 1.50pm</td>
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<td>21st April</td>
<td>Easter Monday School Closed</td>
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<td>22nd April</td>
<td>First Day Term 2 9.00am Start</td>
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Ph: (03) 5440 9006
Beth Shingles-Research Manager: beth.shingles@rch.org.au
Ph: (03) 9345 5697
Associate Professor Sharon Goldfeld: Sharon.goldfeld@rch.org.au
Ph: (03) 9345 6408

Bill Hunt
Principal
Easter Raffle

The Fundraising Committee are holding an **Easter Raffle**. **Tickets 50 cents each**

The raffle will be drawn on:
- **Thursday 3rd April**
- **Tickets and Money due back Wednesday 2nd April**
- **Tickets available at school office**

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**Thanks!**

On behalf of the parents, staff & in particular the students of Movelle Primary School, we would like to give a huge ‘THANK YOU’ to The St Albans Cricket Club and The Sunshine RSL for each donating $200 towards a special project. We are hoping to develop a special garden bed containing a memorial plaque to remember all those who lost their lives at war. This project is in its planning stages, but we hope to begin the landscaping soon. Movelle is also hoping to receive funding from local government, but we would appreciate any donations from any corporation or business. So, if you know a company or business that is looking to donate some money for a worthy cause, please suggest our special project.

Thank you

Mrs Debbie Nikolic &
Mrs Marie Graham

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**Parent Helpers Needed**

Helpers are needed to listen to children read in the classrooms. If you are keen to volunteer some time to work with the children, please fill in your details below and give them to your child’s teacher. We will let you know when an information session will be organised that will provide you with ways you can assist in the classroom and work with individual children.

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Yes, I am interested in listening to children read. My details are:

My name is: .................................
My Phone Number is:
My child/children’s names are:
And they are in grade/s
I have got a ‘Working With Children Check’: (Please tick)

YES  NO

Or I can help:

- Cover Books
- Make resources and Teaching Aides
- In the Library

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Movelle School Values: Learning, Respect,
### EXCELLENCE AWARDS

#### LITERACY

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<td>Jesse Cohen</td>
<td>For reading at home every night and practising his M100W Words.</td>
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<td>Prep/1 H</td>
<td>Sarisha Lina</td>
<td>For her fantastic effort in all of her reading and written work.</td>
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<td>1/2 T</td>
<td>Nelson Canwat</td>
<td>For showing improvement in reading and spelling.</td>
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<td>2/3S</td>
<td>Emlyn Davies</td>
<td>Expanding her vocabulary by asking lots of questions about new works.</td>
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<td>3/4L</td>
<td>Khyl Meldrum</td>
<td>For improving his writing and helping others during guided reading activities.</td>
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<td>3/4M</td>
<td>Anna Nguyen</td>
<td>For using her 5 senses to describe her character and for speaking up.</td>
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<td>5/6U</td>
<td>Hieu Nguyen</td>
<td>For showing an extremely high level of dedication while publishing her narrative.</td>
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<td>5/6 B</td>
<td>Julia Nguyen</td>
<td>For having a clear structure in her narrative.</td>
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<td>5/6 C</td>
<td>Kevin Nguyen</td>
<td>For making a great improvement in his Toastmasters Speech!</td>
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#### MATHEMATICS

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<td>Prep/1 B</td>
<td>Marley Lim</td>
<td>For identifying the difference between an empty container and a full container.</td>
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<td>Prep/1 H</td>
<td>Michael Surbevski</td>
<td>For doing fantastic work to demonstrate and label containers as being full and empty.</td>
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<td>1/2 T</td>
<td>Joey Truong</td>
<td>For working well in pairs during addition activities.</td>
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<td>2/3S</td>
<td>Sapphire Lambert</td>
<td>For using drawings to help her solve addition sums.</td>
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<td>3/4L</td>
<td>Jordan Nguyen</td>
<td>For always showing enthusiasm and wanting to challenge himself.</td>
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<td>3/4M</td>
<td>Ethan Veljanovski</td>
<td>For switching on his brain for learning during maths.</td>
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<td>5/6 U</td>
<td>Maggie Tran</td>
<td>For always working very diligently during our measurement lessons.</td>
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<td>5/6 B</td>
<td>Tina Chau</td>
<td>For successfully using double doubles in multiplication.</td>
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<td>5/6 C</td>
<td>Kayla Mitrevski</td>
<td>For using inverse relations to solve multiplication and division worded problems.</td>
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### School Values

- **Respect**
- **Responsibility**
- **Resilience**
- **Learning**
- **Teamwork**

Every few weeks Students and Staff will be focussing on a one of our five School Values in an effort to promote and reinforce positive behaviour. We are now focussing on **Respect**.

- Respecting self and others
- Respectful language
- Respecting property
- Respecting school and learning
- Respecting school environment

Classrooms will be promoting the value of RESPECT through different activities. We encourage families to help their children understand the importance of being respectful in all they do. The message being ‘When you are respectful to others, they will be respectful in return’.

Thank you
Ms Carmen
Student Wellbeing.

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**Teamwork, Responsibility, Resilience**
Absence Approval Form
Dear Teacher,
My child .................................................................
Room .................................................................
Was absent on ...........................................................
Due to ......................................................................
Signed: .....................................................................

PREP ENROLMENTS 2015
Do you have a child who will be turning 5 years of age by 30th April 2015
Please ask at the Movelle Office for an Enrolment form.

OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS
Before School Care
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

UNIFORM SHOP
PSW
58 Westwood Drive,
Deer Park
Open: Mon- Fri 8.30am-5pm
Sat 9am-5pm
9363 8458
Order Online: www.psw.com.au

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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