**Principal’s Report**  
Lesley McCarthy

Congratulations to the **Grade 4 Science Fair** students who were presented with their Certificates of Achievement at assembly this week. Katja Curtin was presented with a special award and will be invited to a prize winning ceremony later this term. Well done!

Thye Grade 5/6 Camp to Canberra has been very successful with children enjoying their adventures and the sights of the capital. Check out their experiences on their blog, [http://www.offexploring.com/56fps/blog](http://www.offexploring.com/56fps/blog)

As part of ongoing industrial action by the AEU, a **half day stopwork** will take place on **Wednesday 31st October**. Teachers will not be at school in the morning. I will notify parents on Monday 29th which teachers will be at school. Parents will be asked to make other arrangements if possible.

Thanks to one of our parents, we have been offered **Meditation classes** for students at school. These will be offered by a local person, Annie Durie. Classes will cost $5 per week and will be held on Thursdays, straight after school for one hour in the LOTE room. Interested parents are asked to register at the office for the first class which will commence on 25th October.

**We have been advised of two recent incidents where students from nearby schools have been approached by strangers in cars. Parents are asked to remind their children of safety and protective behaviours when walking to and from school.**

Good luck to the Solar Challenge students at Scienceworks on Saturday.
Office News
Office Hours, 8.30am – 4.00pm Monday to Friday

Scholastic Book Club

Issue 7 order forms that were sent home recently are due back to the office by Monday 22nd October by 9.00am.
No late orders will be accepted.

Please note, that orders sent before this date will now be sent to Scholastic as received (except cash which will be processed on the final day). The office will now process orders a couple times a week (for credit and cheque payments only) so the earlier the order, the earlier the children will get their books.

MOBILE MUSTER - 3 WEEKS TO GO!

There are just 4 weeks left to get your old mobiles and chargers into this year’s Mobile Muster collection. We have already filled 2 printer paper boxes full of old mobiles and chargers. Today we started on box number 3! It would be great if we could fill it too. We have until Friday November the 1st (the last day of week 4) to try.

Thanks to those students and families who have donated already. If you haven’t started collecting yet, now is the chance! Don’t forget that by donating you are not only helping the environment, you are in with the chance to win some great prizes.

Happy collecting!

Mrs Sheldon

LOST PROPERTY

The quantity is increasing daily despite our best efforts to return named items to children. Please check for your child’s belongings in the tub near the office.

Curriculum News

Solar Boat Challenge - Saturday 20th October

Students have been working hard during many lunchtimes to complete their boat to enter this year’s Model Solar Boat Challenge at Scienceworks. We are looking forward to a fabulous day.

When: Saturday 20th October 8.30am (usually finishes at about 3pm)
Where: Scienceworks – 2 Booker Street, Spotswood
Cost: parents $10, children - free

Remember to bring your boat, poster, a hat (broad brim), sun block SPF30+, drinks and snacks, problem solving strategies, patience and a sense of humour.

• If it looks like rain, bring your wet weather gear as the events will be held outside. Every effort will be made to hold the event under most weather conditions but if there is serious doubt and you think the event may be cancelled, look at the website. http://www.modelsolar.org.au/

Bruce Ziebell, Nicola Dziadkiewicz and Sandra McOrist will be there to assist with the boats. All parents are responsible on the day for the children in their care. Many thanks for your support.

If you have any questions or queries please ask one of the teachers involved: Nicola Dziadkiewicz, Sandra McOrist, Christina Laught, Leonie Isaacs or Bruce Ziebell.

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Hub News
Karin.moore@iinet.net.au

SALE SALE SALE
Bargain price – Cookbooks are now only $5.00
Get in early and buy up for Christmas

What is... Stephanie Alexander • Fast Ed •
Matt Preston • Shannon Bennett and George Calombaris
getting for Christmas?
My Favourite Recipe COOKBOOK!
On sale for only $20, you could buy one
for the entire family!
Over 100 recipes, featuring stylin' recipes!
On sale at the office, GREAT XMAS PRESENT!
Perfect gift for those who love everything

On Sale at the OFFICE
$20

A great opportunity to obtain an instrument at a
reasonable price.

Icy Poles
Icy pole sales will be sold for $1 each every
Monday, Wednesday and Friday after school.
If you are available to assist please email
Karin Moore at karin.moore@iinet.net.au
Hub Social Night @ the TONIK BAR

Tonik Bar – 524 Macaulay Rd Kensington

7:30pm Fri 16 Nov - $20

$20 INCLUDES FINGER FOOD & ENTRY. DRINKS AVAILABLE @ BAR PRICES.

This is a Hub FPS function for adults only, prepay at office today.
"Home Tutoring by a teacher. $50 private or $80 for group of 2-4 children. Call Janelle 0405 333 675 for more information. Diagnostic testing available, no charge"

Cello for sale
¼-size student cello for sale, in great condition. Measures 600mm, body length. Includes soft case and bow. $430 ono. Call Sophie on 0400 888 441.

6 Week Fitness & Weight Loss Program For Mum's

What's Included?
1. Fat Loss Seminar to Kick Start program
   Learn how your weight can motivate your kids! (Brings kids in)
2. Full Fitness Club Membership
3. Full Group Exercise Program
   incl. Boot camp, Pilates, Yoga, Boot Camp, RPM, Boxing, TK, WOD and much more...
4. 2 Personal Training Sessions
   Train with a friend or group of friends - it's double the fun!

All of this for only $179 (Total Value $590)

"$5 from every membership will be donated back to the school!"

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Royal Park T.C. (cnr Park St & The Avenue, Parkville/Brunswick)

FREE TRIAL TENNIS LESSONS
for 8 - 12 year olds
Friday 12 October at 4.00pm
Wednesday 17 October at 4.30pm

FREE TRIAL PEE WEE TENNIS LESSONS
for 5 - 7 year olds
Saturday 15 October at 9.00am
Thursday 18 October at 4.20pm & 4.50pm

ADULT COACHING PROGRAMS AVAILABLE
Parents it’s never too late!
Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday evenings, plus daytime classes

Requests supplied for all participants if required.

To book for any of the above programs, call 9347 3604
Hope to see you there.

Regards,
Dan Donnelly, Club Coach Royal Park T.C.

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21st October Sunday 2.30pm

Dance Macabre • Thriller • Wicked • Horse on Bald Mountain & more

Conductor: Jenny Dung

Clocktower Centre, 700 MMC Alexander Rd, Murrumbeena.
Tickets: Adults $16, Concession $10, Groups 4+ $10 each
Bookings also via phone or www.clocktowercentre.com.au. On sale from 1st September

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Date: Wednesday 31 October, 2012
Time: 6.30pm for 7.00pm
RSVP: Paul Perrottett: 0413 595 984 or paul.perrottett@gmail.com, by Wednesday 24 October, 2012.

Cost: $35 per head for 2-course meal. (Drinks, desserts, coffees etc. a la carte)

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