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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

No.15 Wednesday 28 August 2019

Dear Parents, Students & School Community,

THE STORY OF ART

THURSDAY 29TH AUGUST

Gold coin entry

All student artwork for sale

Classroom Silent Auction

Mamma Van food truck 5:30pm-8pm
Two Mugs Coffee van
5:30pm-8:30pm

Official welcome at 6:15pm

Rock band performaces at 6:20pm

The Big Read at 7pm

SCHOOL COUNCIL

From the President's pen

It's just a short note from me for this edition. Due to work commitments, I've been a bit out of touch lately. However, I'm happy to see the new fence in place and the allnew basketball hoops and extended long jump pit.

Anyone who knows me well will know I'm a huge fan of children's sport and any facility that encourages physical activity gets a big thumbs up from me.

I'm very active in the local community with children's sport and as my Auskick and junior football duties draw to a close, I'm now looking forward to the athletics season.

I was sad not to be able to attend and assist at this year's school district athletics competition on Monday but my hearty congratulations go to the team and Mrs Leopold for a phenomenal 2nd place overall on the day.

Hopefully I will be able to pop into the divisional competition. Events like this instil a great sense of pride amongst the students and encourage teamwork at all levels. And how fantastic to be outdoors all day instead of in the classroom.

The whole day promotes great well-being which is the theme of the week at my eldest son's high school. They have lots of extra activities going on and perhaps this is something we could adopt at Clarinda Primary in the future.

Meanwhile, I encourage all students and parents to take up a sport for the summer months: it's great for fun, fitness and family/community time.

You never know what new skill you will learn or new people you will meet.

Finally, I'm really, really looking forward to Thursday's inaugural art show and touching base with everyone.

Can't wait to see what our children have produced and I'm hoping to make a purchase. As ever, I'm around school on Friday mornings so catch me in the staff room.

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his week I'll be on the Father's Day stall too – it's lovely to see excited children choosing gifts for dad and grandpa with their precious pocket money!

All the best, Lindsay Armatas

CAN YOU HELP?

We are in urgent need of spare tracksuit pants or bootleg pants.
Please bring your donations to the school office.
Thank you

District Athletics

On Monday the 26th of August, our extremely committed and dedicated athletes competed against 7 other schools at the Oakleigh District Athletics Carnival.

Our students ran, threw, jumped, and cheered for their team with extraordinary enthusiasm!

For the second year in a row, we managed to come 2nd overall and this gives us even more incentive to reach the top next year!

Congratulations to all of our athletes and good luck to the following students who qualified to compete in the Monash-Waverley Division Athletics competition on September 6th:

•	Ryan	Hurdles
•	Richard	Hurdles
•	Jamie	1500m
•	Matilda	1500m, Hurdles, Long Jump
•	Alex	800m
•	Christopher	200m

• Kaitlin Hurdles

Lara 100m, Long Jump, Triple Jump
 Jay 100m, Long Jump, 4 x 100m Relay

• Riley 200m, 4 x 100m Relay

◆ Liam 4 x 100m Relay

→ Justin High Jump, Triple Jump, 4 x 100m Relay

Sokratis Shot Put

Justine Leopold PE Teacher

6+1 Traits of Writing

Voice

"Sparkling, confident, unquestionably individual. These are words that describe a piece of writing with voice. Voice is the writer's passion for the topic coming through loud and clear. It's what keeps us turning the pages of the story long after bedtime."

- Ruth Culham, 6 + 1 Traits of Writing: the Complete Guide for the Primary Grades (p. 137, 2005).

Voice is a key element of the craft of writing, and therefore an important part of the other traits

of Writing that we teach at Clarinda Primary School. Before we began using the Traits as a

language for teaching writing, 'Voice' was something that you couldn't necessarily put your finger on. Now, both teachers and students can feel the 'Voice' in a piece of writing and have a common language to describe it.

Students are well on their way to applying Voice in their writing when they: have something important to say, express ideas in new ways, capture a range of emotions – from gleeful to poignant to frightened – in their writing, offer sincere thoughts, are confident that what they have to say matters, and write in a way that connects to their intended audience.

Part of assisting students to develop strong 'Voice' is making their audience real – whether it is writing a story their friends will enjoy, a nonfiction text to teach their mum about dinosaurs, or a persuasive letter to PM Scott Morrison on an issue they care about. We want our students to know that what they have to say matters, and to use their voice to say it.

Erin Beissel & Dee Mooney, Literacy Learning Specialists



DATES TO REMEMBER					
TERM 3 2019 Monday 15 July to Friday 20 September					
August	Thursday 29	6.00 to 8.00pm ART SHOW			
	Friday 30	PACC Fathers' Day Stall			
September	Tuesday 3	ICAS Competition Digital Tech.			
	School council & sub committee meetings	6.00 ~ Education 6.30 ~ Buildings & Grounds 7.00 ~ School council			
	Thursday 5	ICAS Competition Science			
	Friday 6	Division Athletics			
	Thursday 12	ICAS Competition Spelling			
		Incursion Michael Salmon Years 3, 4, 5 & 6			
	Friday 13	Disco~ Years 1 & 2 Sleepover ~ Year 2			
	Tuesday 17	ICAS Competition English			
	Thursday 19	ICAS Competition Maths			
		Footy Colours Day			
	Friday 20	Last Day Term 3 1.45 Assembly 2.30 dismissal			
October	Monday 7	First Day Term 4			
	Friday 18	Year 3 Sleepover			

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS 2019 - 2020

TERM 3

Monday 15 July to Friday 20 September

TERM 4

Monday 7 October to Friday 20 December

TERM 1-2020

Thursday 30 January to Friday 27 March



TUESDAY 3RD SEPTEMBER

6.00 ~ EDUCATION

6.30 ~ BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

7.00 ~ SCHOOL COUNCIL

PACC FATHERS' DAY STALL FRIDAY 30TH AUGUST



	<u>S</u>	T U D E	NTS OF THE WEEK
	Prep B	Hunar	For pursuing her personal best in all aspects of school and friendships
\bigstar		Henry	For pursing his personal best by trying to use sounds in his writing
	Ргер Н	Eeshita	For trying her best to sound out words in writing
\bigstar		Shanaya	For pursuing her best to be a kind and helpful member of our class
\bigstar	Prep M	Parnika	For pursuing her personal best in all aspects of school with a positive attitude
		Arianna	For pursuing her personal best by using the sounds she knows in her writing
\bigstar	1/2D	Harry	For tracking his thinking in his Reader's Notebook
,		Мах	For being consistently kind and caring towards his classmates
\bigstar	1/2K	Niki	For always listening attentively and trying her best in class
		Bronson	For always listening well to instructions and always doing his work to the best of his ability
\bigstar	1/2M	Diana	For being brave and challenging herself when learning to tell the time
→		Anushka	For making strong decisions when working independently and when working with others
	1/2P	Sienna	For pursuing her personal best with her writing
À		Ząc	For pursuing his personal best in maths
\Rightarrow	1/2Y	Yul	For excellent ideas and word choices in writing
		Rosąlie	Working hard to improve her knowledge of blends in Reading and Writing

	<u>S</u>	TUD	ENTS OF THE WEEK
	3/4D	Ada	For explaining her thinking in her Reader's Notebook using great detail
*		Juwan	Showing great determination in literacy and developing her decoding strategies to help her read a text
*	3/4P	Asha	For working conscientiously and enthusiastically in Maths
		Arnav	Having a positive attitude to settling into his new school
	3/4T	Nishita	For her inclusive attitude and always helping others to achieve success
\Rightarrow		Pantelis	For demonstrating persistence during maths and having a go at concepts that look hard
	3/4Z	Bonnie	For bettering yourself by being able to work with others
*		George	For demonstrating the golden Rule by using manners when talking to his peers
	5/6B	Reana	For making thoughtful and meaningful contributions to Literature Circle
$ \bigstar $		Johnny	For demonstrating persistence when faced with challenges
	5/6)	Dylan	For pursuing his personal best by actively working on writing goals to improve his use of conventions
★	5/6H	Maria	For her dedication to keeping a diary on her holiday. Her descriptions and details of the many places visited were extremely informative. Great work.
		Polly	For demonstrating persistence by completing a challenging Maths task
	5/6P	Krish	For your positivity and engagement during our 'Queen Victoria Market' excursion

Yellow by Konstantina

Yellow looks like the sun
Yellow sounds like a chick
Yellow tastes like a lemon
Yellow feels like a guitar
Yellow smells like a flower
Yellow reminds me of a land full of
yellow dandelions

Pink by Julian

Pink looks like a pig
Pink sounds like cheeks being pinched
Pink tastes like marshmallows
Pink feels smooth
Pink smells like roses
Pink reminds me of strawberry ice-cream

Red by Saanvitha

Red looks like roses
Red sounds like music
Red tastes like apples and a tomato
Red feels like red soft pillows
Red smells so good

CLASSROOM CORNER 1/2K

Colour Poems by 1/2K

Dark Red by Madhu

Dark red looks like apples

Dark red sounds like music

Dark red tastes like a cake

Dark red feels like gooey slime

Dark red smells like grapes

Dark red reminds me of the sun setting

Yellow by Eugene

Yellow looks like a sun
Yellow sounds like a lion
Yellow tastes like lemons
Yellow feels like a tennis ball
Yellow smells like flowers

Yellow by Bella

Yellow looks like the sun
Yellow sounds like a tiger
Yellow tastes like a lemon
Yellow feels like stretchy slime
Yellow smells like paint
Yellow reminds me of stars

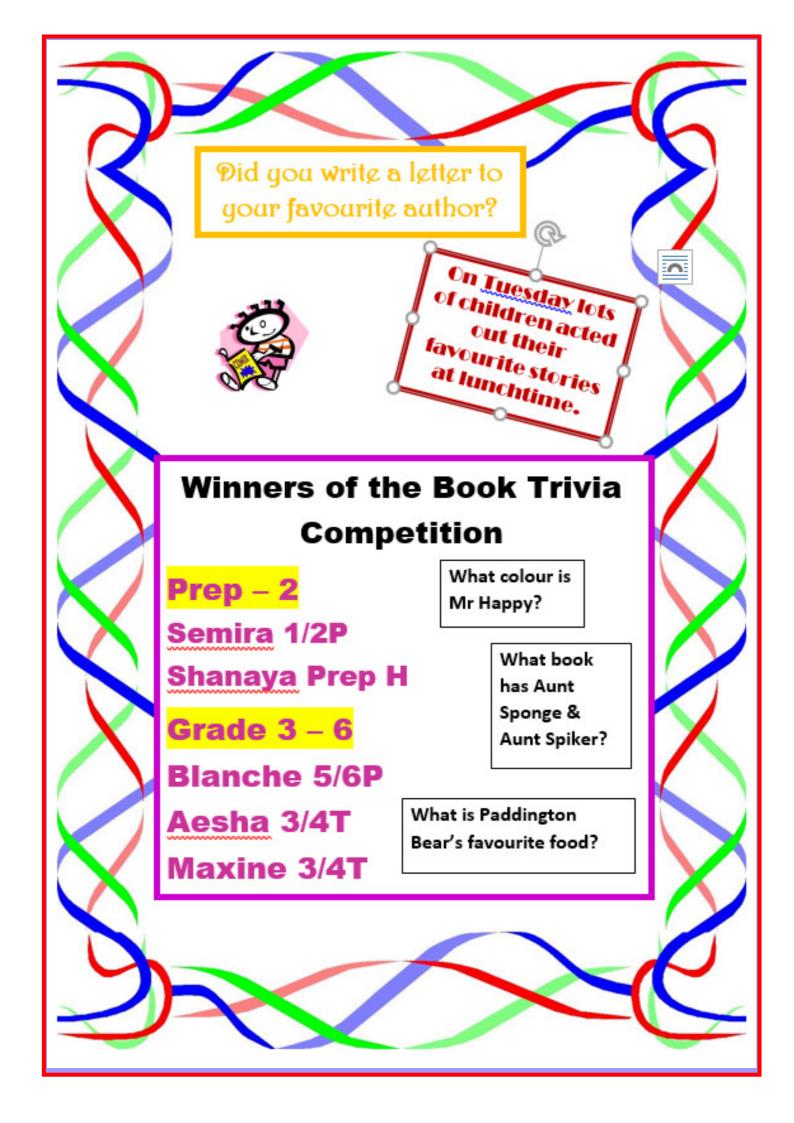
Pink by Keira

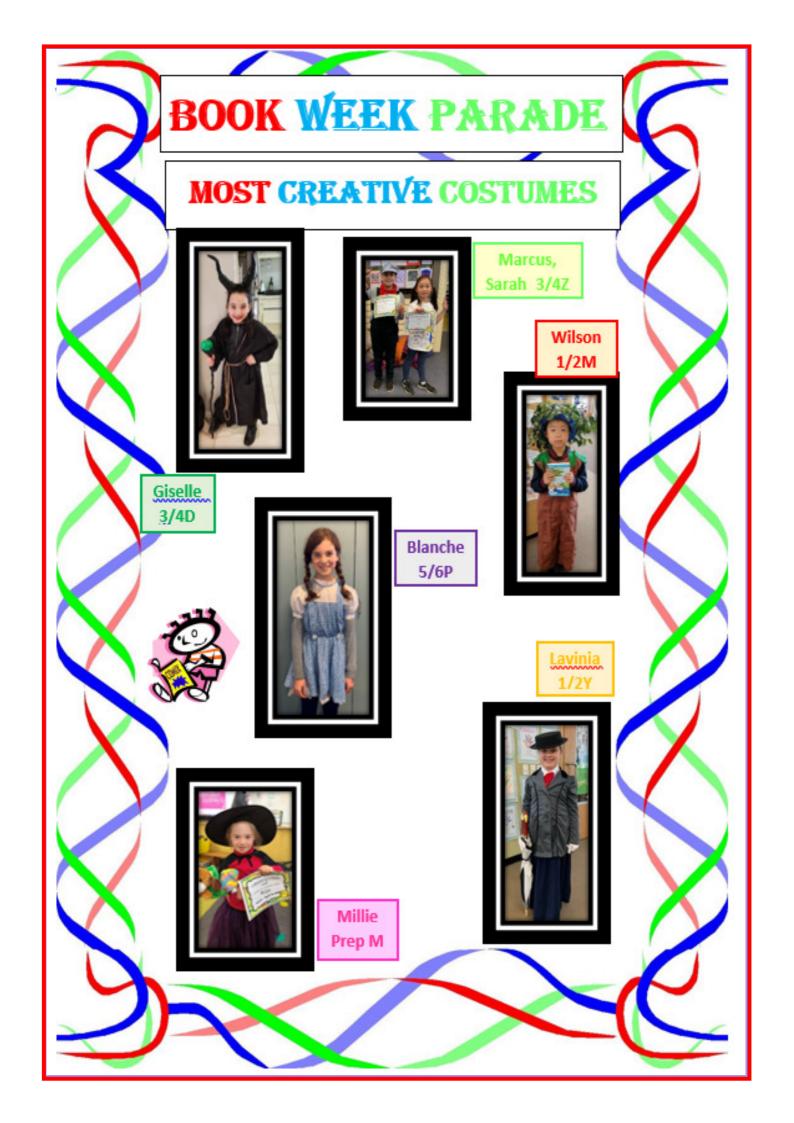
Pink looks like marshmallows
Pink looks like a heart
Pink sounds like a flamingo
Pink tastes like a strawberry donut
Pink feels like a sponge
Pink smells like a pink rose

Yellow by Androniki

Yellow looks like a banana
Yellow sounds like yellow crayons writing
Yellow tastes like bananas
Yellow feels like yellow slime
Yellow smells like a pineapple











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GREEK MOTHER TONGUE

Dear parents,

In Term Three, students of the Greek Mother Tongue Program had the opportunity to participate in competitions and projects that enhance cultural, historical and linguistic awareness.

Numerous students entered the Australian Hellenic Memorial Foundation's "2019 Australian Student Competition".

The aim of the competition was to discuss the bonds between Australia and Greece, to explore the Australian and Greek involvement in Greece during both World Wars and to point out how important global peace is for humanity.

All Prizes, Certificates of Participation and Special Badges will be presented at the Australian Hellenic Memorial in the Domain Gardens, Birdwood Avenue near corner of Government House Drive, close to Shrine of Remembrance on Sunday, 20th October 2019 at 12.30 pm.

Many students also participated with enthusiasm in the project "Mathitofeneia" of "Neos Kosmos" Students Paper by writing a piece or drawing a picture that will be published in the paper on the Saturday edition of the Greek-Australian Paper "Neos Kosmos" in September. More information on the exact date of publication will be given.

We also encourage all students to enter the SBS National Languages Competition that celebrates the love of learning languages. Entering the competition is easy:

Step 1: Go to sbs.com.au/nlc19

Step 2: Fill in your entry form and tell us

How does learning a language make a world of difference to you?"

Step 3: Include your written answer or caption in the language you are learning as well as an English translation (not required for English learners).

Step 4: Submit your entry

This is a great classroom project for all ages, with younger students entering a drawing and older age groups submitting a written entry. The competition is open until Friday 27 September.

Here are a few helpful hints when entering the competition:

Why did you decide to learn this language?

What do you like about the language that you're learning?

Has learning a language opened you up to new possibilities and experiences?

Get creative: Use humour, be playful, find a unique angle, etc.

Is your caption in a language other than English? Remember to include an English translation.

Try to keep the English translation as accurate as possible.

Maria-Stella Papageorgiou



Tell us how learning a language makes a world of difference to you and WIN!

SBS Radio presents the **SBS National Languages Competition 2019** to encourage and celebrate a love of learning languages in Australia. We are calling out to languages learners of all ages, including those learning English.

The competition is open from Monday **26 August** until Friday **27 September 2019**.

Age Groups

Drawing and Caption Entry

Category A: Junior Primary (Aged 4 -7) Category B: Primary (Aged 8 - 12)

Written Entry

Category C: Junior High School (Aged 13 – 15) Category D: Senior High School (Aged 16 – 18)

Category E: Open (Aged 18+)

How To Enter

Step 1: Go to sbs.com.au/nlc19

Step 2: Fill in your entry form and tell us 'How does learning a language make a world of difference to you?'

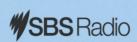
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Do you attend a Community Languages Australia school? Talk to your teacher about entering.

Terms and Conditions apply.

ENTER NOW: sbs.com.au/nlc19









Father's Day Family Night



Time:6pm -8pm

Date: 29th August 2019

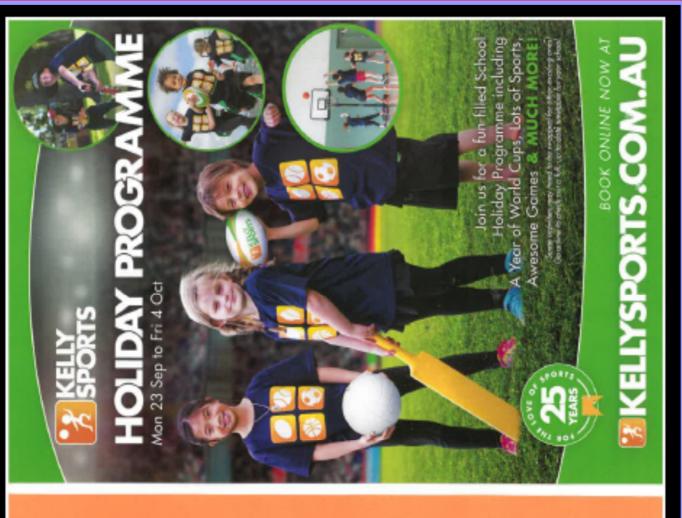
ctivities:

Come in be entertained by the Mini Groovers Dance Group, Jumping Castle, Face Painting, Ride on Animals, Roaming Magician, Take home a special memory for Dad from our Photo Booth, Make a gift for Dad, Fairy Floss, Popcorn, Games Light Snack, Raffle Prizes, for bookings instore or online

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Martin Seligman's Tips for Helping Your Child

- Every night for a week, write down three things that went well that day and why. These
 can be relatively unimportant (I had a cup of tea in the sun) or significant (My sister gave
 birth to a healthy baby). Teach your child to do this.
- Work out your greatest strengths and use your highest strength each day (sit a signature strength test on the website authentichappiness.org).
- Help your child to find something that gives them "flow" the sense of being so engaged that time flies.
- 4. Give thanks, make a gratitude visit and thank someone who has helped you. Depressed people look inwards, teach your child to focus outwards.

Parents pass on their own explanatory style to their children. How do you respond to adversity? Do you catastrophize (imagine the worst) or ruminate (play the same negative tape over in your head). Practice arguing strongly back to that negative tape. http://www.authentichappiness.sas.upenn.edu/Default.aspx