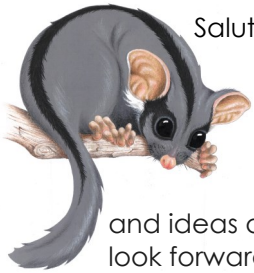


Marysville Primary School Newsletter

Week 6
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Salutations,

JSC - We are thrilled to announce that Izzy and Joey have been elected as the two new Junior School Council members! Both were elected by their peers, showcasing the spirit of teamwork and leadership within our school community. We extend a warm welcome to Izzy and Joey as they join the Junior School Council for the remainder of this year and all of next year. We are excited to see their contributions and ideas as they represent the voices of their fellow students. Congratulations, Izzy and Joey! We look forward to all the great things you will accomplish together with the council!



2025 Ski Academy

This year's 2025 Ski Academy was a tremendous success, providing students with an unforgettable experience packed with learning and fun. Over the course of three weeks, students hit the trails, skiing many kilometres while honing their skills and building confidence on the slopes.

One of the highlights of the program was the incredible creativity displayed by our students. Several participants took the opportunity to unleash their imagination by crafting stunning snow sculptures that would impress even the great sculptors of the world. Their artistry added a unique flair to our winter wonderland!

When the weather didn't cooperate one week, we adapted by focusing to roller skiing. This alternative approach allowed our students to further develop their skills, ensuring that they continued to challenge themselves even when skiing was not an option. The entire school also enjoyed a day of snow play, where everyone had a fantastic time tobogganing and revelling in the man-made snow. It was a perfect way to bond as a community and enjoy the beauty of winter. I cannot believe how lucky we were with the weather on Monday to allow the whole school snow play day.

Congratulations to Nate, Jayde, Eva NM, and Emmylou for joining me on a hike to the summit! We took in the beautiful surroundings, admired the view of the city, located Marysville, and enjoyed the breathtaking beauty that is right on our doorstep.

Responsibility

Community

Respect

A special thank you goes out to Trevor Paul, our excellent ski instructor, whose guidance made a significant impact on our students' progress. We also extend our gratitude to Kylie, who took the advanced group exploring further afield, alongside Sally Hill and Sue Adolphson. Lastly, a heartfelt thank you to Lake Mountain for their outstanding organisation and for providing the bus every Monday, making our outings smooth and enjoyable.



Bruno's

As part of our wellbeing program and community engagement initiative, one grade level has been visiting Bruno's each week. The children have enjoyed exploring the sculptures, laughing at some of the humorous statues, and creatively imagining what might happen at night when the statues come to life. They have shown curiosity, creativity, and a sense of wonder and awe. It's another treasure right on our doorstep to enjoy! Year 5 and 6 students will be walking there over the next few weeks. Special thanks to Bruno and Christina for welcoming us and inspiring the imagination of our youngest minds.



Father's Day

Next week, we will be hosting our Father's Day stall on Wednesday, September 3rd. Thank you to the JSC for selecting the gifts for dad. All of the children will have time on Tuesday to browse the selection with their siblings and plan their purchases. On Friday, we will hold "Dads and Donuts" starting at 8:00 am. The students are creating invitations to invite their special person to this event.

As the term comes to a close, we are excited for the Life Education van visiting next week, as well as the continued visits from Aunty Lee and Project Rockit in the final week. Thank you to everyone for your ongoing support of our wonderful school. It's hard to believe the end of the term is nearly here. Until next time, take care, stay warm, and enjoy the much-needed rain.

Sandra

Prep/1/2

book week

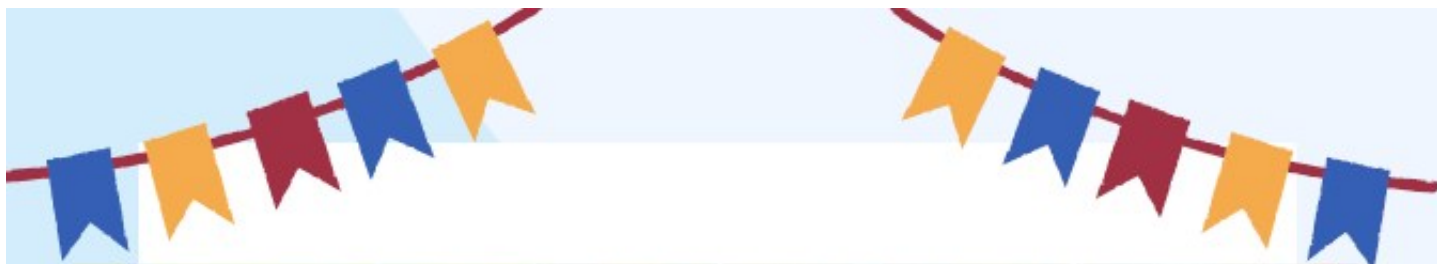


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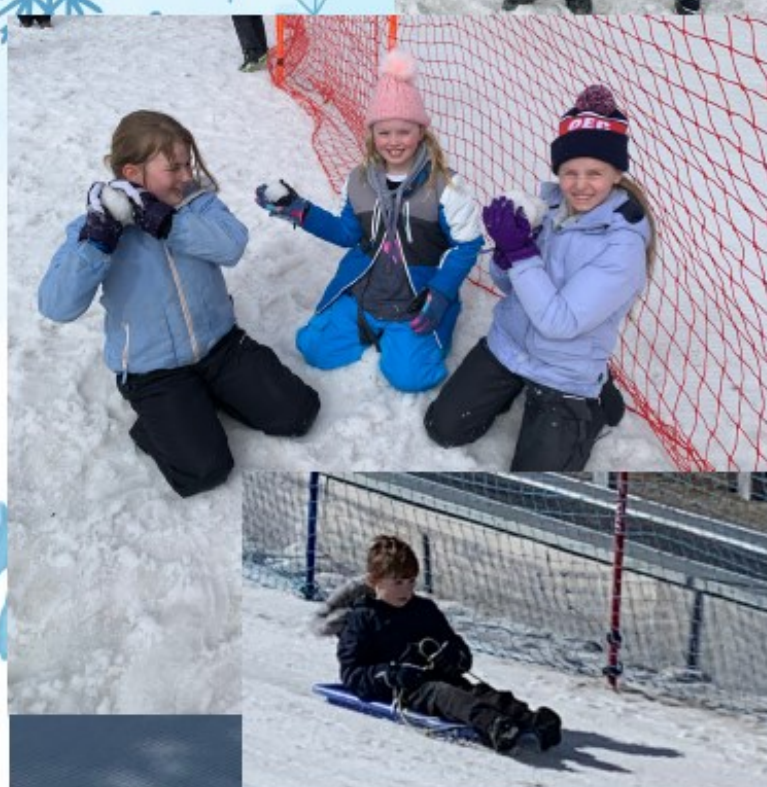
3/4'S BOOK WEEK





↓ SUPERHERO DAY ↓





3/4's at Snow Play Day



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Grade 5/6 Snow Day!













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4 Skiing W2	5	6	7 Jeans for Jeans Gold Coin Donation	8	9	10
11 Skiing W3	12	13 SUPERHIRO - Bullying Prevention Week Gold Coin Donation	14	15	16	17
18 Skiing W4	19 2026 Open Morning	20 2026 Information Evening	21	22 Book Week Dress Up Day	23	24
25 Skiing W5 Jnr Snow Play Day	26	27	28	29 Curriculum Day	30	31



Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
1 Life Education	2 Bruno's Garden	3 Fathers Day Stall	4	5 Dads & Donuts	6	7
8	9	10	11	12 School Council	13	14
15	16	17	18 Project Rocket	19 End of Term 2.30pm Dismissal Footy Colours	20	21
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FROM ANNA MARIE



Snow People and Ice.....



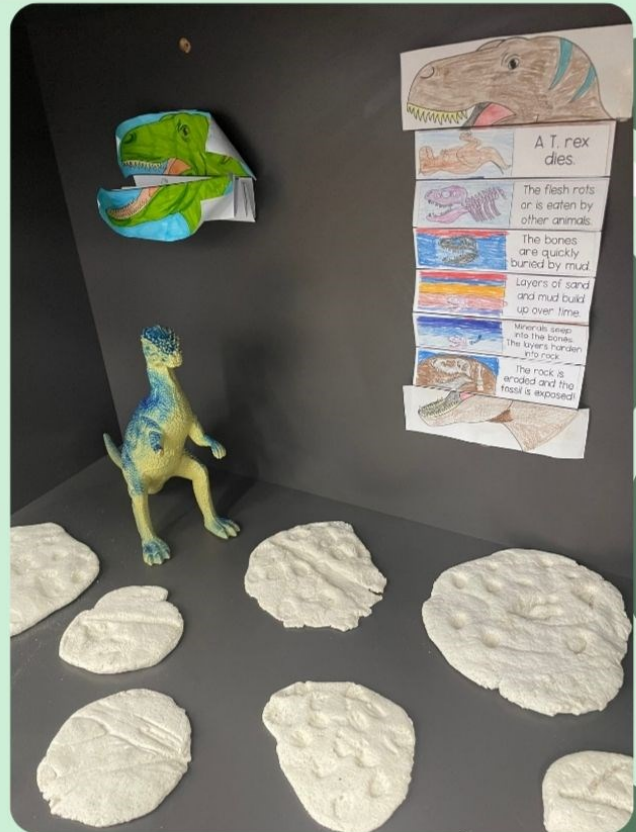
We had such a great day playing in the snow on Monday this week. Look what Xanthia and Nellie made with snow, sticks and rocks – and loads of imagination.

I read that before "snowmen," snow figures were called "snow puppets," or snow dolls. "Snow-man" as a proper title can be traced back to 1827, can you believe that? Making figures out of snow appears to be commonplace during the 14th and mid 18th centuries. During this period, the climate dipped into cooler temperature, and heavy snowfalls were more frequent not like here in Australia.

Interestingly the famous Michelangelo (1475-1564) used snow and created a "very beautiful" snow sculpture in January 1494 for his friend and patron, Piero de' Medici. Snowpuppets, snowdolls, snowmen are all created out of imagination, and often reflect the cultural and societal environment of a time and place. We love to make snow people as objects of fun and play. This enjoyment of nature is something that we all can relate to, young and old, even if we only experience snow once a year. I believe that a snowman always has some element of innocence and whimsy, regardless of what age we make them.

Hope you had the opportunity to make a snowman this winter.... Its lots of fun!

Nature Nature Science

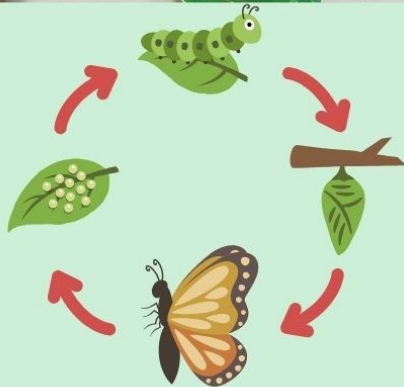


Fossils
with 5/6



Bee Hotels with P/1/2





Life Cycles
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