### Principal’s Page

**Nelson Mandela Day**

Yesterday a notice was sent home with every child outlining Nelson Mandela Day which is tomorrow Friday 18th July. We are celebrating the legacy that Nelson Mandela left for us through his example. Nelson Mandela never wavered in his devotion to democracy, equality and learning. Despite terrible provocation, he never answered racism with racism. His life is an inspiration to all who are oppressed and deprived; and to all who are opposed to oppression and deprivation.

The notice mentioned that between 10:30 and 11:30 Rangebank Primary has the pleasure of some very special guests who are here to launch Nelson Mandela Day in Australia. We have two groups of distinguished guests: representing the Government of South Africa and DOST. They are: Miss Chwane Mihethwa, First Secretary - Political, South African High Commission; Mr Raphael Geminder, Honorary Consul for Victoria or UNIC representative; Ms Yvonne Chaka Chaka, South African Ambassador to the United Nations; South African High Commissioner, Her Excellency Koleka Mqulwana; Dr Arun Sharma, Chairperson of Celebrate India and a director of DOST and Jaya Sharma, a past presenter on SBS and a director of DOST. You are most welcome to attend. Please note children are asked to wear the colours of South Africa (white, black, green, blue, red, yellow) or school uniform on Friday. Our foundation year and year 1 children will have an alternative program during this special assembly. You are most welcome to attend this once in a life time occasion.

**Parent Opinion Survey Coming soon**

Each year our parents are randomly surveyed to give an indication as to how they see the school is travelling. This survey will be coming out to randomly selected families shortly. I thought though I would take time to outline the multitude of wonderful programs that Rangebank Primary offers.

Dedicated science program, Hindi program, individualised numeracy program, worlds best practice in literacy through the use of VCOP (Vocabulary, Connectives, Openers and Punctuation), Individualised reading programs (Reading Eggs, Lexia and Lexile), One to one computer program, netbooks across the school, visual art, performing art, physical education, music, choir, special guests, excursions to interesting places, Year 5 camp, year 6 snow camp, visits to Melbourne Football Club, visit from Melbourne football club, cyber safety program, better buddies program for Preps and year 6’s, Holi Day, Paint our fence, Diwali, year 6 pavers (that have just arrived), tennis program for year 5 & 6, Book parades, literacy night, maths nights, information nights, parent teacher interviews and meetings, swimming program, mother’s day breakfast and walk for cancer, father’s day breakfasts and activities, cooperative learning throughout the school, video 2 minute moments, special singing at retirement villages, trivia night, school leadership program, skyping with Bluebells in India, CHIPS activities and camps, and I’m sure I have missed many others. How many of these programs/activities has your child been involved in?

**Works around the school**

You may have noticed that over the holidays we have had a number of workers here. We have new flood lights across the netball and basketball courts that flow into the teachers carpark, the art room back window has been replaced and improved as has some finishing off work under the

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**Canteen**

Window Sales
Every Wednesday Lunchtime & Friday 18th July

**School Banking** Every Tuesday

Enrolment Packs available
For 2015

Sherpa Kids Before & After School Care at Rangebank Primary School
Enrolment Packs available at the office
Phone 0413 137 571 or 0466 366 998

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**Stockdale & Leggo real estate**
Principal’s Page cont/…

Assistant Principal and Principals office windows, new fences have been erected in the teachers carpark that will channel children to safely use the two crossings to come into school, and the steps up to the oval have been replaced and upgraded. Thank you to all our wonderful workers. Thank you.

Business Breakfast
On Thursday at 7.30am Rangebank are holding our second business breakfast. This is a time for us to enjoy a breakfast, network with other businesses and to hear what the school is doing. We would love you to come. Please let Brooke know so that we have enough for everyone. It will all finish at 8.30 in time for work commitments.

An energized,
Colin Avery (Principal)

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**WHAT'S ON**

Friday 18th July
Nelson Mandela Day—United Nations South African Ambassador will be visiting Rangebank

**Monday 21st—Thursday 24th July**
Book Fair—Books will be on display in the library. Parents/Grandparents and friends are invited to visit the “Book Fair Garden” on the above dates

**Tuesday 22nd July**
Foundation A visit to Rangebank Pre School

**Wednesday 23rd July**
Foundation B visit to Rangebank Pre School

**Thursday 24th July**
Grade 6 Earn & Learn Unit So You Think You Can Run A Restaurant. Cost $10. Return form by Tuesday 22nd

Friday 1st August
Grade 6 Mt Baw Baw Snow Excursion

**Wednesday 17th September**
The Arts School Production for grades 3-6 at the Drum Theatre in Dandenong. Fill in form of attendance by Friday 25th July

**Friday 24th October**
Trivia Night—If you would like to volunteer to help on the night or book a table, please do so at the office

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**Final Day for Snow Trip Payment is Friday 25/7**

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**Sick Bay**
We are well into Winter, with our mornings being very cool. This may increase the onset of asthma in the children who already suffer. Parents/Carers please ensure your child/ren have their Ventolin and spacer on them to use when needed.

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**Uniform**
Please make sure your child/ren clothing are appropriately marked with their name, especially winter jackets, raincoats so they can be returned to them if lost.

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**Connections**
Child, youth and family services

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**Seasons For Growth**
A Group For Adults Who Have Experienced Significant Change ie, death, separation, migration, disability, financial or mental health issues.
Explore the range of emotions that accompany loss
Share the challenges / Learn strategies to assist you to manage grief

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A four week program running in Term 3
Any enquiries and enrolment contact:
Bronwyn Atkin or Megan Clarke on 5990 8400
Gold coin donation

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**“Book Fair Garden”**
Monday 21st – Thursday 24th July
Parents/Grandparents & friends are invited to visit the “Book Fair Garden” from 8.30-9.30am and again at 2.30-3.30pm
Each student will be given a “MY Wish List” slip that they can write the name of the book they would like to have
A Book Fair catalogue has been sent home today with each student. More catalogues are available from the office

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**Free Offer**
We offer FREE head lice checks every Saturday which entail the application of combing solution and a comb out rather than just visual inspection which is unreliable.
For more information please see our website www.theheadliceclinic.com
Or call me on 0412 186 284

Regards,
Miriam Cormack
Canteen Roster Term 3
Friday 25/7
Janet Adams, Barbara Shoesmith, Loo Lawrence, Nicole May & Cameron Jeffs
Friday 1/8
Natalie Goodman, Shell Clapton, Nicole May, Shelly Lynch & Janet Adams
Friday 8/8
Janet Adams, Rebecca Halton, Jenelle Proudoock, Lisa Smith, Loo Lawrence & Cameron Jeffs
Friday 15/8
Janet Adams, Jenelle Proudoock, Christine Willerton, Rita Jenkins & Kerry Parsons
Friday 22/8
Janet Adams, Barbara Shoesmith, Cameron Jeffs, Rebecca Halton, & Natalie Goodman
Friday 5/9 Subway Lunch
Friday 12/9
Janet Adams, Loo Lawrence, Barbara Shoesmith, Kerry Parsons & Sam Gaskin

CANTENE WINDOW SALES
FRIDAY 18/07

Schools are often looking for organisations who are able to assist us. Stockdale and Leggo Real Estate have very generously offered to assist us in marketing our school in the Cranbourne area. In return, we are very happy to encourage our community to use Stockdale and Leggo Cranbourne as a worthy company to contact if you are wishing to buy, sell or lease your home. Please speak to our fabulous office people who will forward your name onto Stockdale and Leggo. This also applies to family, friends or acquaintances.

The school then profits from a recommendation fee and of course the communication to new families ‘that Rangebank Primary is a great school’ is passed on by Stockdale and Leggo.

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0417 390 489
Keyboardkids@bigpond.com
Learn the Piano Free Trial Lesson
Looking for ways to enhance your child’s learning, then music may strike the right chord
Keyboard Kids Music School would like to offer your child the opportunity to learn the piano. Lessons are held during school time and also after school hours.
Cost: 30 min private lesson-$28
20 min private lesson-$19
30 min shared lesson (group of 2)-$18
Please email keyboardkids@bigpond.com for an enrolment form or call Shelly for more information on 0417 390 489
Learning to play a musical instrument has been shown to have great benefits for a child’s development.

WE ARE NOW AT RANGEBANK PRIMARY SCHOOL!
Who we are?
A Family Owned Private Tuition Company. We have been servicing the suburbs of Melbourne, Sydney and Brisbane for more than 15 years.
What we do?
Teach English and Mathematics for Prep to Year 10 students who require that extra help, or just wishing to learn in advance.
Where are we?
RANGEBANK Primary School on Saturdays during the School Term.
Class Times?
9.30am to 12.30pm and 1.30pm to 4.30pm
ENQUIRE NOW!
Web: www.nqt.com.au
Phone: 1300 791 878
TERM 3 Lunch Order Form
THIS IS A PRE-ORDER AND MUST BE RETURNED BY TUESDAY 22nd JULY
NO LATER THAN 9:30AM.

Date: Friday 25th July

Name: ....................................  Grade: .................

Please tick
Lunch Choices
...... Pizza Muffin Chicken & Cheese $3.00
...... Pizza Muffin Ham & Cheese $3.00
...... Home Made Spaghetti Bolognaise $3.00
...... Cheeseburger (meat, cheese, lettuce, tomato sauce) $3.00

Snack Choices
...... Home Made Choc Chip Cookie $0.60
...... Custard Tart $1.20
...... Sponge Roll Cake $0.60

Drinks Choices
Milk $1.50  Chocolate .......  Strawberry.......  Honeycomb.......

Juices $1.00  Apple........  Tropical.......  Orange Juice.......  
Please add 20cents if you do not have your own brown bag to send

Total...................................

Please place order and money in a paper bag. Limited stock is available over the counter
Please be aware that some items may contain traces of dairy products, eggs and or nuts. If your child has allergies or intolerances please contact the canteen via the office for information on all items available.

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For further information regarding to this program please contact Angela or Marcus at The Good Guys Cranbourne on 5991 6000 or email: promotions016@thegoodguys.com.au

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Mariano Marcos

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**Supper Soccer Kids**

S.S.K is a soccer clinic for boys & girls between the ages of 5-12 to come & learn the skills of the game in a fun & enjoyable environment.

Every session runs for 45 minutes with activities that will develop their skills in dribbling, passing, controlling the ball and working in a team. Every session will also end with a game. S.S.K is run during every school term and all sessions are indoors, so no matter what the weather is like it will always be on.

For clinic locations, session times and fees, please call Greg on 0413 919 727 or email at supersoccerclinic@gmail.com