Iona Public School Newsletter Term 4 Week 7



Learning Together in Harmony

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Calendar

November 27 P & C Meeting 8.15am

November 28 Year 5 Leadership Speeches

November 29 Jump Rope for Heart

December 4 Presentation Night

December 5 Music Concert

December 12 Year 6 Day Out

December 19 Party Day

Kid Frankenstein

Thank you everyone for coming last week to our performance of Kid Frankenstein. We hope you enjoyed the show as much as we did. We are so, so proud of our students!







Leader's Elections- This Wednesday

Our Year 5 students will be presenting their leadership speeches this Wednesday 28 November at 9am in the 5/6 room, with our elections carried out on the same day. Following tradition, our Captains for 2019 will be announced at 3:00pm under the COLA on that afternoon. We wish them good luck as they present themselves to the rest of the school.

Heart Foundation-Jump Rope for Heart

On Thursday 29 November our assembly will be held under the COLA at 9.10am, followed by the Parent Helper Morning Tea and the Jump Rope for Heart activities. The children have been busy raising funds for the Heart Foundation to fight heart disease. Please remember your sponsorship form on Thursday or alternatively register your donations online at jumprope.org.au. Please come along and join in the fun!

Milk Carton Lids - Reminder

Miss Parr has kindly asked if parents could please send in milk/juice lids over the next few weeks. She requires them for an art activity in the K-2 classroom in the last weeks of school. Please hand them to your classroom teacher.

Class Party Day

Our joint class Christmas party this year will be held on the last day of school for students, Wednesday 19 December. This is NOT an out of uniform day as we are having class presentations in the morning. We are going to order a range of pizzas (students will be surveyed to find their favourites. Please see Mrs Mahony if your child won't eat pizza). Each child will also be given some soft drink, chips and an ice block. We are asking each student who will be present on the last day of school to bring in \$7 to cover the cost of the party by Monday 10 December. For catering purposes, could you please let the staff know if your child will not be attending that day.

Musical Recital

On Wednesday 5 December at 9.15am music students (recorders, keyboard players, guitar, drum, school band and the choir) will be presenting a music recital in the Woodville Hall for parents and community members. Students who are performing may bring a plate to share with parents and fellow performers for morning tea after the concert.

Music tuition fees are now overdue, with only 2 weeks to go before the end of lessons for the year. These need to be paid now. Thank you.

Parent Helpers Morning Tea- Reminder

To show our appreciation to all parents, grandparents and community members who have supported the school this year we would like to invite you for a special thank you assembly and morning tea on Thursday 29 November under the COLA at 9:10am. This will be followed by our 'Jump Rope for Heart' morning, which we would also love you to participate in.

Chickens – Christmas Holidays

We thank the Leonard family for once again taking the chicken's home for a holiday over the Christmas break.



Good for Kids good for life



FRIED RICE SALAD

- · I onion, finely chopped
- 1 red capsicum, finely diced
- 1 green or yellow capsicum, finely diced
- 1 carrot finely diced
- · 4 cups cooked brown rice
- 125g can corn kernals, drained
- 1/4 light soy sauce
- · 8 cherry tomatoes, halved, to 1/2 cup coriander leaves, to serve (optional)
- Heat oil in a large frying pan or wok over high heat. Saute onion, capsicum, carrot and ham for 3-4 minutes.
- 2 Add rice, corn, green onions and sauce. Stir-fry for 2-3 minutes, mixing well.
- 3 Serve hot or cold with halved cherry tomatoes and coriander leaves.
- If packing for lunchboxes, spoon salad into a sealable container and keep chilled. Pack in the lunchbox



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Ben Andrei and his new brother Evan. Congratulations!