

# GRADE 5/6

## HOME COMMUNICATION



Week Commencing - 28th July, 2014

"Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world" – Nelson Mandela





BEGIN WITH THE END IN MIND:



Choose an area of improvement at home, for example, painting a wall, a system for making lunch in the morning, saving up to buy something special, etc. and this is the goal (the end in mind). Write down ideas with your child regarding what steps need to be followed to achieve the goal.

#### **NOTICES HOME**

- Special Religious Instruction Participation
- 2014 School Concert Notice
- Recycling Incentive
- Sustainability Overview
- House Athletics

#### **Parktone Social Group - Update**

Our Class Rep Nicole Moffat is the point of contact between the parents in our grade and the Parktone Social Group (P.S.G.).

Any information from the P.S.G will be emailed to parents via our Class Rep.

This is a reminder that if you are not on the contact list, you will not receive information from the P.S.G which will include upcoming events such as the school disco, Father's Day stall and afternoon teas, to name a few.

There will however be hard copies of any P.S.G. notices at the office and on our website.

It's never too late to add your details to the contact list, just let your child's teacher know, via a note in the diary/email.

# PSG Reminder - Friday 8th August 2014 - School Disco

**Prep – Grade 2** 6pm til 7pm **Grade 3 – 6** 7.30pm – 9pm **Cost:** \$5 per child

#### Where:

Walter Galt Pavilion,
Walter Galt Reserve,
Corner of Davey and Victoria Streets, Parkdale

Purchase your tickets online and go cashless! Go to http://www.trybooking.com/94882





# Art Room & Bottle Top Collection

The art room is collecting bottle tops to create a mural in Term 4. Please bring in bottle tops from home.

The class to collect the most over Term 3 will win a special Art Prize!

#### WIN CASH FOR SCHOOLS PROMOTION

MASTERS KEYSBOROUGH PROMOTION Cnr Springvale & Cheltenham Rds, Keysborough, 3173 Phone:- 03 8769 3300

At Masters Home Improvement Keysborough we are dedicated to making a difference and striving for a better community for us all and especially our children.



We would like to extend the invitation to our local schools and community to support and get involved. For every \$30 spent in store, simply pop your receipt into your schools bin, which will be located at the check-out at Masters Home Improvement Keysborough. (Just ask for a reprint of receipt if you would like your original)

The top 3 schools will be rewarded with a Masters Home Improvement voucher at the end of term:-

1<sup>st</sup> Place \$200 2<sup>nd</sup> Place \$150 3rd place \$100

This promotion is only available at Masters Home Improvement Keysborough. We hope that the school community gets on board to make this a success. We all know how precious resources are for our school and especially our Children.

#### **UPCOMING DATES**

Monday 4th August Year 5/6 Monsters

Friday 8th August 2014 - School Disco

Friday 13th August – House Athletics Day





#### This week's focus:

	Literacy	Writing	Maths
Grade 5	Speech Marks	Report Writing	Pre-Algebra Number Sentences
Grade 6	Adjectives	Recount	Money and Problem Solving



#### **STAR OF THE WEEK**

### 5A - Emily

For editing her writing well by adding in more detail to make her work more descriptive.



#### 5B – Maria E

Maria has shown extraordinary synergising skills both within class and out on the playground. What a superstar!



#### 6A - Billie Dixon

Billie Dixon for her impressive percentage understandings in Mathematics. You are a super star, Billie!



#### **SCIENCE FACT FROM MS ZIOGOS**

How do insects breathe?

An insect doesn't have lungs; it just has holes along the side of its shell. These lead to tiny tubes that branch out through its body.

Air flows down the tubes to the body cells, which pick out and use Oxygen. The cells give off Carbon Dioxide, which drifts back up and out holes.



#### Thank you for your continued support

Grade 5A	Miss Laura Wapling
Grade 5B	Mr Arran Armitage
Grade 6A	Mrs Teena Muscat