



NEWSLETTER

Rainbow P-12 College is a Child Safe School

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Principal's Report from Mr Coffey

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Remote Learning

Based on the limited information we have available, Remote Learning will commence on Friday the 28th of May. Until we are officially advised differently, those students who cannot be supervised at home or are vulnerable children may access our On-Site Program.

Further information will be forwarded once we have received it.

I suggest you monitor the media for updates as these announcements are communicated to the general public prior to the Department advising us.

Staffing Update

I sent an SMS out to all families earlier this week, to inform our school families that I have accepted a temporary position as Acting Principal at Tempy Primary School for term 3.

For almost the last 6 years, I have been a "drive in drive out" Principal spending 4 or 5 nights per week at the school house in Rainbow, with the neighbour's cat, Boots keeping me company and 2 or 3 nights per week at my family home in Ouyen with my wife. For some, this may improve the longevity of a marriage but I'm willing to put it to the test and see if being at home 7 nights per week is an option!!

In my absence Assistant Principal Colleen Petschel has kindly accepted the Acting Principal position at Rainbow.

There's never an ideal time to change leadership but the building project hasn't started in earnest yet, it is for a term only and my wife may decide that Boots needs me more!

Capital Works News

The VSBA (Victorian Schools Building Authority) and the architects have been meeting regularly over the last few weeks. I had a phone call from the architect, keeping in touch, to let me know that the VSBA and architects were discussing the scope of the works including entitled areas and Wests paddock.

Stay Informed and further information

I encourage all parents and students to continue to access the Department of Health and Human Services website for the latest public health information.

<https://www.dhhs.vic.gov.au/coronavirus>

More information about schools and coronavirus (COVID-19) can be found on the Department's website, which will continue to be updated:

<https://www.education.vic.gov.au/about/departments/Pages/coronavirus.aspx>

2021 Calendar

June

Week 8

Wed 9 GAT

Week 9

Mon 14 Queen's Birthday Public Holiday (no school)

Week 10

Fri 25 School Breaks up at 2.30pm

2020 Annual Report to the School Community

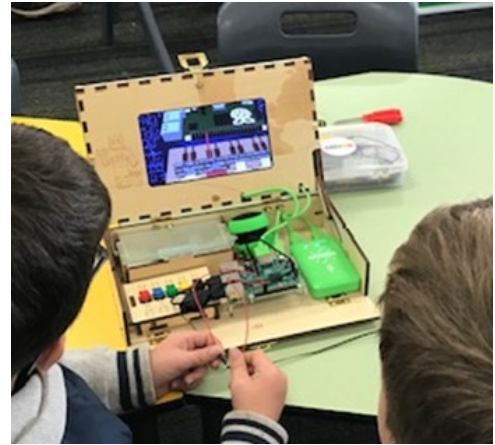
School Council will present the 2020 Annual Report to the School Community at 7.30pm on Monday the 21st of June. The Annual Report is prepared to inform parents and the wider school community of the school's successes, activities and achievements throughout the year. Print copies of the 2020 Annual Report will be available at the front office, on the Skoolbag app, on the website and you are welcome to attend the presentation evening in June.

Important Meetings

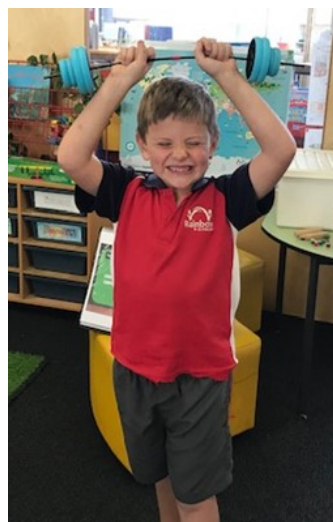
The next School Council Meeting will be Monday 21st June at 7:30pm and the Parents & Friends Meeting will be on Wednesday 16th June @ 10am.

A week in the life of Rainbow P-1 2 College

Grade 1/2 DigiTech



Sadie, Koby & Kolby working together on the Piper computer



The Lego muscle men of the Grade 1/2 class - Hendrix, Koby & Kolby



Emma with her bed of hair!!!



Sadie in creative mode



Hendrix in his element!

Progress Reports from Mr Glover

All Year 10,11 and 12 students have received their Term 2 Progress Report.

Can all parents and care givers please have a look at them with their children and discuss their progress with them? If any parents/caregivers have any concerns about their child's progress report they can contact Mr Glover.



Reading achievements to the end of week 5

This week we congratulate
the following students



50 nights reading

Prep: Yosha, Jurie

75 nights reading

Prep: Nate

Year 1/2: Hendrix

Year 3/4: Felicity

Year 5/6: Eliza

100 nights reading

Year 3/4: Ruby & Harry

Year 5/6: Amaya, Giann
& Addison

SRC CASUAL DAYS FOR 2021

MONTH	DATE	THEME	\$ goes to
JUNE	18/6	PJ Day	Sr SRC
	25/6	Jump Rope for Heart Dress in red	Heart Foundation
JULY	16/7	Footy Colours day	Fight Cancer Foundation
AUG	6/8	Jeans for Genes	Children's Medical Research institute
	20/8	Crazy hair day	Jr SRC
SEPT	9/9	RUOK? Day -Dress in yellow	RUOK?
	17/9	Muscular Dystrophy – super heroes	MD
OCT	?	Favourite book character (may be shifted to Book Week)	Jr SRC
	29/10	Halloween (TBC)	Sr SRC
NOV	2/11	Melbourne Cup	Sr SRC
DEC			



STUDENT VOICE, AGENCY & LEADERSHIP (SVAL)

UPCOMING MEETINGS

SRC:

JR SRC:

STUDENT FORUM: **Tue 8th June**

JR FUNDRAISING:

SENIOR SRC MEETING

SRC Summary of the Meeting held on the 25/05/2021

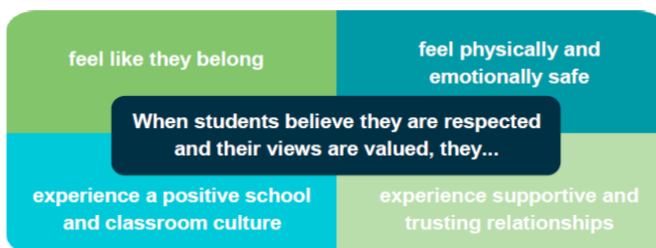
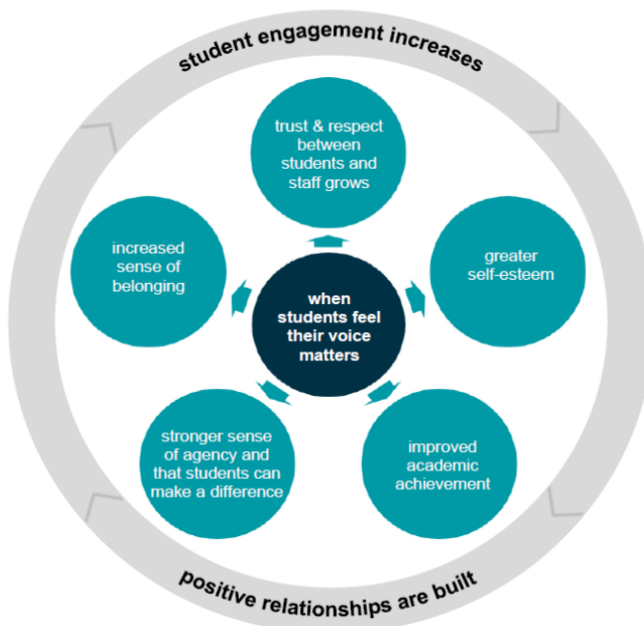
We discussed

- purchasing towel dispensers for both of the secondary male and female toilets
- casual days
- School Beanies
- after school movie night
- Enduro fundraising
- Bike rack



Why is student voice important?

Research shows that the benefits for students do not come from just hearing their own voices. It is more about how other people (students, teachers, schools) respond to their voices and work with them to make ideas come to life.



Shake Rattle & READ

Term 2

SRR - 9.30am at Rainbow P-12 College

PLAYGROUP - 9.30-11.30am at Kinder

June 7th Playgroup

June 14th Public Holiday

June 21st Playgroup



Rainbow Kindergarten Registration for 2022

In order to secure a Kindergarten place for 2022
please register ASAP for
3 & 4 year old Kindergarten (15 hours)

Registration forms can be obtained or completed
Online: eeys.com.au
Email enrol@eeys.com.au

If you require any further information please contact
Kimberley Phillip 0428485933 or
Rainbow Kindergarten 53951172 Wed-Fri

Canteen Emergency Workers

Tammy Bigham (M, W, F)	0427820684
Samantha Smith (M,W,F)	0431152327
Debbie Lowe (M,F only)	0488115973
Lauren Heinrich (W only)	0459363319
Kim Kajewski (Fridays only)	0448352251

If you require an emergency worker contact one of the
above listed people or arrange a swap with a parent on
the canteen roster.

\$20 payment to emergency worker.

Please contact the above emergency workers if you are
unable to do your canteen duty.



Term 2

June

Fri 4	Samantha Smith
Mon 7	A. Riordan
Wed 9	A. Ey
Fri 11	T. Bigham/ A. Roberts

Mon 14 Queen's Birthday - no school

Wed 16	D. Camilleri
Fri 18	S. Clark/ F. Czuczman

Mon 21	C. Stasinowsky
Wed 23	E. Staples
Fri 25	C. Saul/ S. Millward-Coyne

Term 3

July

Mon 12	E. Eckermann
Wed 14	R. Boyle
Fri 16	K. Kajewski
Mon 19	S. Newton
Wed 21	L. Jochinke
Fri 23	R. Clugston/ R. Keller
Mon 26	C. Petschel
Wed 28	T. Bigham/ A. Roberts
Fri 30	T. Gould/ E. Lester

Aug

Mon 2	G. O'Halloran
Wed 4	K. Preston
Fri 6	M. Heinrich/G. Morris
Mon 9	R. Bastin
Wed 11	Sharon Smith
Fri 13	N. Kruger/ C. Fuller
Mon 16	J. Thomas
Wed 18	E. Staples
Fri 20	K. Weir/C. Fisher