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“The Rocky Review”

TERM 2, WEEK 3, 10 APRIL 2016

PRINCIPALS MESSAGE

Welcome to Week 3! Students and teachers have been very busy already this term. I love seeing students learning about new and exciting rich texts in English and how they can apply different strategies in Mathematics. There is a buzz of confident learning happening at Rocky River.

Congratulations to our Year 3 and 5 students for their confident and mature approach to NAPLAN.

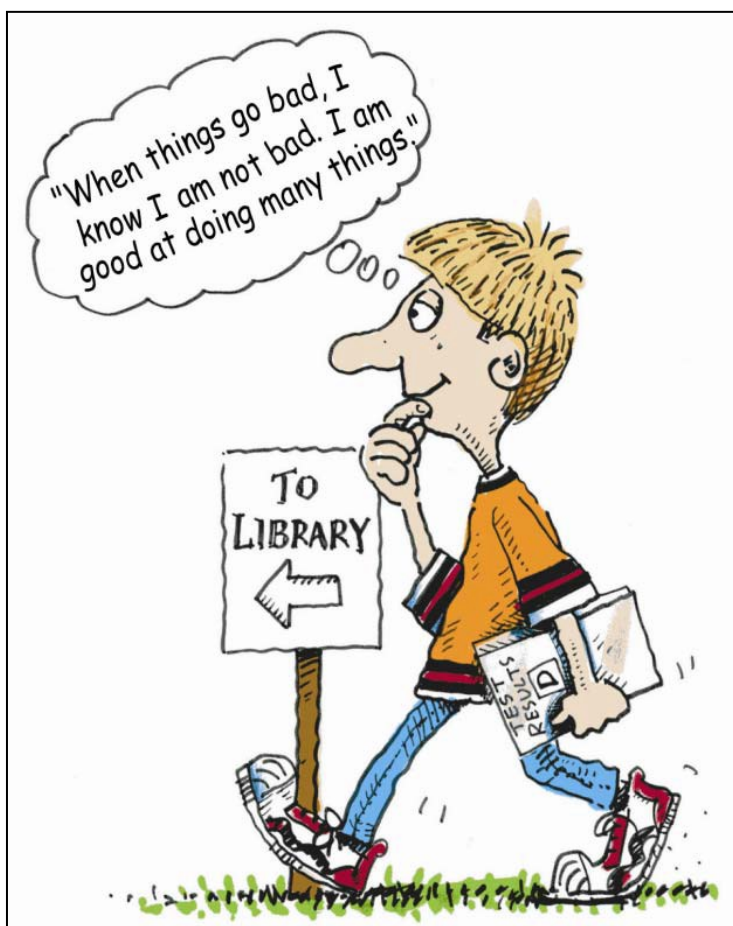
Over this term we will focus on being confident. The habit of the mind we are focusing on this week is **Accepting Myself** it is a habit of the mind vital to the development of emotional well-being. An example of **Accepting Myself** is: just because a student may get a bad mark or in trouble, that does not define who they are. They are not a naughty person or someone who is not smart. It is important to teach students that they are made up of many positive characteristics and have strengths in many areas.

Next week is a busy week filled with students attending the Taronga Zoo mobile, District Cross Country, Cricket skills and K-2 will receive a visit from the Responsible Pet organisation.

Don't forget the P&C will be holding their annual street stall next week. A note went home last week asking for helpers to volunteer to run the stall or do some cooking. If you are able to assist please return your note to the school or contact Jocelyn to confirm.

Have a great week.

Relieving Principal
Peta Deiderick



MOTHERS DAY ASSEMBLY



Last Thursday we celebrated Mothers' Day with a special assembly . Thank you to all the parents and grandparents who came along to enjoy the performance by Lower Division, and the presentation of Leadership and Merit Certificates to Rocky River students.



Please don't forget K-2 Students can bring their sick or injured Teddy Bear to the Hospital on Wednesday May 18. This is followed by our annual Teddy Bear's Picnic. Parents and Caregivers are invited to join the students and Teddy Bears for a picnic morning tea in the playground commencing at 11am.



FRIENDLY REMINDERS

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

- **12-14 May NAPLAN**
- **17 May- Mobile Taronga Zoo Visit**
- **18 May- Teddy Bears Hospital**
- **20 May-Responsible Pet Owners Visit**
- **20 May- District Cross Country**

P&C

The next P&C meeting
will be Wednesday
1 June at 5.30
ALL WELCOME

Library days

Lower Division– Wednesdays

Upper Division– Thursdays

Please ensure students bring their library bags for borrowing and returning.

UPPER DIVISION ART

Could students from Upper Division please bring in plastic milk or juice carton lids including the plastic ring under the lid or any other interesting plastic materials they may use for Term 2 art.
Thankyou.

CANTEEN

Every Wednesday

Price List:

Pizza Singles.....\$3
Chicken Nuggets (4)...\$2
Beef Lasagne.....\$3
Spaghetti Bolognese...\$3
Sausage Roll.....\$2.50
Pie\$2.50 Ice
Cream\$1.50
Popper\$1.50

Canteen Roster

- **18 May - Todd Cross**
- **25 May—Emma Carter**

District Cross Country is May 20 Held at Bellvue Oval. Rocky River School will be catering for this event . There is also a street stall for Rocky River on May 16-21. Both are fundraising events for our school P&C any extra help would be appreciated. Please let the School or Jocelyn (0413347761) know ASAP if you are available.

Are you interested in our local environment?

Do you have land management questions?



If so, then come along to

ARDING LANDCARE GROUP'S

Free SAUSAGE SIZZLE

Sunday 15th May

Midday

Invergowrie Store

General Meeting Thurs 19th May

7pm at Arding Church Hall

Warm regards Rocky River Students & Staff.