Hi everyone

WE’RE BOUND FOR BOTANY BAY!
Grade 3/4 students provided a well-received musical performance for our guests on Tuesday, before sharing their ‘convict diaries’ with parents and other visitors. There was a very large audience for this part of the Open Day.

MEANWHILE, IN THE LAND OF THE DINOSAURS.... The Prep-2 children had a wonderful time creating amazing dinosaurs in their cooperative groups. Plenty of parent help was on hand. The children also performed some dinosaur-themed songs and worked in their teams to complete a dinosaur jigsaw.

Grade 5/6 students also had lots of visitors to show off their ‘stop motion’ clips to. The ingenuity and technique used to create these historic mini-dramas were impressive.

Upcoming Events

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Appin Park Primary School Choir has three girls doing The Boite Schools’ Chorus. We are very excited about our performance to be held in Albury in September. On the weekend we went to Wodonga to rehearse with Stella and Geoffrey who wrote the music. We rehearsed with 6 other schools from Albury/Wodonga and Wangaratta Primary School. We are having fun with the singing and dancing to songs like Coconut Tree, Jamaican Alphabet, Dis Sol Da La, and Si Si Maria. We hope to see you there. Thank you for supporting us.

By Chelsea Hoffard and Felicity O’Connell.

Tickets are now on sale through Try Booking at trybooking.com/lvue

ATHLETES FOOT OFFER: The Athlete’s Foot store is owned and operated by one of our school families. Owner, Matthew Waide has been a supporter of our Sport/PE program for a number of years. Generously, his business is offering to donate $5 per pair of shoes sold, to the school. All you need to do is to identify yourselves as an APPS family, and we will reap the benefits of this donation.

AND FINALLY... our staff team and School Council were very sad to hear of the recent death of Bill McCormack, our past school cleaner. Bill was a great character and we really enjoyed having him as part of our school.

NEW SHIRTS NOW AVAILABLE AT STEER’S & WORK LOCKER!!!

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

The Appin Park Community congratulates you.

Students will be awarded their certificates at Friday’s Assembly

PC Ashley Marshall for working really hard this term to bounce back when things don’t work out as well as he’d like. Keep up the excellent effort, Ashley.
P/1B Madeline O’Connor for trying hard to stay focused on her learning tasks and not be distracted by what is happening around her. Well done, Maddie. Keep up the great work!
1/2E Riley White for being a responsible, reliable monitor; remembering to empty the fruit scraps bucket every day. Thank you, Riley.
2R Abby James for the excellent entertainment she provided when we were waiting for the replacement bus on Friday.
3/4G Toby Clifford for always fully committing to class activities and being a valued classmate. Good luck at your new school, Toby!
3/4V Harry Bannon for the wonderful diary and PowerPoint he made for our Quest this term. Well done!
5K Judd Ryan for the effort and enjoyment he displays during our maths card games. Your multiplication skills are improving, Judd.
5S Flynn Twyford & Flynn Waring for the combined effort to produce an outstanding stop-motion movie about the burning of the Eureka Hotel. Your peers recognised your teamwork, creativity and attention to detail, with a feedback score of 96%. Outstanding!
6A Rebecca Semple for working diligently and with enthusiasm when producing her stop-motion movie. Rebecca has made an excellent contribution to her group work and has been able to meet group deadlines while also producing a great movie. Well done, Rebecca!
6G Isabelle Nish for being a great team member during our Quest sessions. Izzy displayed great work ethic, was inclusive and completed all tasks in a positive and happy manner. Keep up the great work, Izzy.

Musician of the Week

Chelsea Hoffard & Felicity O’Connell for their efforts at The Boite Schools Chorus rehearsal in Wodonga on the weekend. They were wonderful ambassadors for the school; their behaviour was exemplary and their singing beautiful.
Art Displays

Congratulations to everyone on the amazing art work which is on display around the school. For some, the work has been challenging and it’s great to see it completed and up for everyone to see.

Some Grade 3–6 students have had work selected to be displayed at North East Health Wangaratta. This work will be on display from the beginning of next term, so if you happen to be visiting the hospital, have a look in the corridor leading to the Medical Ward (ground floor to the right after going through reception).

The following students’ work will be part of the hospital display:

Grade 3 & 4: Jacinta Magee, Johnnie Wohlers, Sophie Morris, Emily Cooper, Lizzy Moffat, Flynn Carson, Lily Knox, Bailey Ballard, Ruby Snowdon, Harry Bannon, Gemma Nolan, Denvey Harris, Xavier Pitt.

Grade 5 & 6: Coby Jannenga, Emily Mitchell, Matthew Bell, Grace Gregory, Georgia Long, Flynn Twyford, Simon Moffat, Lachlan Newton, Justine Corker, Braeden Marjanovic, Andre Roleff.

Have a restful break and I look forward to some more great art adventures next term.

Heather Foster