

World Nature Conservation Day



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Rata Newsletter Term 3 2019



Rata Class 2019

Term 3 Events

Celebration Assemblies

These will be held every second Monday, starting on Monday 5th of August in the Library at 2:15pm.

PB4L

Primary classes will be revisiting the values from the KARE cards during our PB4L times and students will be engaged in workshopping what each of our values means and looks like, both within the classroom and outside in the playground.

Week 4: Maths Week

Week 8: Production Alice in Wonderland

A Matinee and evening performance will be held on Tuesday 10th of September and a final evening performance on Thursday 12th. Tickets are available only at the school office and seats will be limited so book early so book early.

Week 9: Celebrating World Conservation Day



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4 days Tina Wylie

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1 day Angela Cronin



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Term Three

The year is passing very quickly. Here we are at the start of Term 3, and already thinking of Spring. Our classroom focuses for behavior this term is kindness and caring. The children know that we work together like a family and display kind and considerate behaviour towards their classmates.

Home Learning

The reading programme is progressing well and I am pleased that most of the children remember to get their reading journals signed at home after reading their books aloud. If you haven't seen a reading journal from your child, ask them why not! The children are on a reward system for reading mileage.

The Arts

The Arts (drama, singing, dancing, stage performance and art) will be based around the school production, Alice in Wonderland. Every child in school will be involved in the production, and some of the Rata children do have speaking roles. We are looking forward to making costumes and joining in rehearsals.

Library:

Rata students will have the opportunity to use the library on a regular basis. We exchange the class readers each week, and children will be bringing home their books each night to read.

Sport

Once again Jordan from Sports Tasman will work with the children throughout Term 3. His focus is on sport skills and teamwork. The first session with Jordan was on Friday 26th July.

These sessions develop movement and coordination, specifically passing, throwing, catching and team work.



Writing

In the first half of this term we will focus on fairy tales which will link to our school production. We will write creatively and with lots of imagination. In the second half of the term our writing will be linked in with Science through Conservation Week Inquiry. When we start this inquiry, our writing will be based on experiences outside the classroom as much as possible so they have hands on experiences to write about.

Maths

Throughout the term, and through to the end of the year we will work on Number (addition/subtraction/multiplication/division). The Maths focus for this term will continue with Geometry, and Measurement, and position. Measurement will include linear measurements as well as liquid and weight measurement.

