Dear Parents, Staff & Students,

**Book Week**  
This week is the Children’s Book Council of Australia’s Book Week and we are celebrating with a number of fun activities in the library every 1st break. Yesterday students were creating pythons and frogs. See photos below.

**Science Week**  
Next week Northview will be celebrating Science Week with a Science Expo in the hall on Wednesday. There will class displays and interactive science activities for all to enjoy. Parents are welcome to attend.

**Year 4/5 Camp**  
A reminder to year 4/5 students to return your camp permission/medical forms and money as soon as possible. Only two weeks until we leave for camp at Kinchant Dam.

**Future Leaders Eco Challenge**  
Year 6A students will be heading to Sarina this Friday 23rd August to take part in the Future Leaders Eco Challenge as part of the Reef Guardian Schools Program. The aims of the activities is to give students knowledge about local environments as well as to learn new skills to assist in participating in environmental sustainability projects at school. Please ensure your child has returned their permission form by tomorrow, 22nd August. There is no cost for this excursion.

Paul Manttan  
Principal

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**MASTERS SAUSAGE SIZZLE:**

Thank you, thank you, thank you! It was amazing how many people offered to help out at the sausage sizzle last Saturday. It was a great day and everything ran smoothly. A fantastic result for our first time at organizing a sausage sizzle. The funds have been counted and banked. A total of $2000 was made! There are left over supplies but they can be used at our disco in a couple of weeks. Our big helpers who really need to be acknowledged are Mr Manttan, Graham and Pauline Thompson, Rob Mcclimon, Rick Efstathis, Fran Stewart, Kerry Kelly, Mel Gibbs, Deb Lucas, Donna Sanim and Tracy Taylor (the queens of the onions!).
These guys did the bulk of the grunt work and large chunks of the roster. Also our Senior students Corey Oliver, Connor Lawton, Lucy Fitzpatrick and past student Dan Kelly also came along to lend a hand and they did us all very proud representing Northview. We must not forget the support we received from Hutchinson Builders, Coles, Woolworths and Northern Suburbs Leagues Club. Their contributions meant we only had about $100 in costs. Thanks also to Magpies Sporting Club and Don Agnew Century 21 Real Estate for donating vouchers for the raffle. Well done to Marguerite for organizing such a great event.

FATHER’S DAY:

On Wednesday 28th August from noon to 4pm, we are having our set up working bee for the father’s day stall in the hall. Anyone wanting to donate baking or craft can drop it off at this time too. All donations are greatly appreciated. Come down and lend a hand if you can spare some time. The Stall will be held on the following day, Thursday 29th where students can buy a little gift for their Dad. Parents wanting to help on the stall can put their name on the roster on the noticeboard outside Mrs Craig’s Prep room.

There is also a Father’s Day raffle. Prizes are:

1st Draw - $100 Lowes voucher
2nd Draw - $50 Magpies voucher
3rd Draw - $50 Masters gift card

Tickets are $2 each or 3 for $5. On sale at the school gate each morning and afternoon this week. OR you can send in an envelope with money to the office marked “Father’s Day Raffle, your name, phone number and child’s name and class” and we will send tickets home with your child. Will be drawn on Monday 26th August on parade, you don’t have to be there, we will call you if you are lucky!

Spooky School Disco Friday 13th

The school will be holding a school disco on Friday 13th September from 5.45pm-7pm for P-3 and 7.15pm-9pm for 4-7. We will be having a sausage sizzle and selling pies, there will also be sweets, drinks and novelties to purchase. If you are available to help out on the night, please phone Melanie Gibbs 0437 083 324 or Rob McClinon on 0408 709 867. We need helpers for both groups P-3 and 4-7 jobs include doorman, selling novelties, cooking on the BBQ and people to work in the kitchen selling food and drinks. If you can lend any “scary” items or props that we can use to decorate the Hall it would be much appreciated, please drop off at Tuckshop on Wednesdays or Fridays labelled clearly with your name so we can return it to you. This is the first and only disco for 2013 so make sure you don’t miss it!

School Dental Service

The School Dental Service will be providing treatment to Northview State Primary School in the near future to conduct examinations and treatment in the clinic. Medical/Consent forms have been handed out and must be returned to the school office by Friday 30th August 2013. Once examinations have been done a letter will be sent home to parents advising them of required treatment and parents will need to contact the Dental Clinic to arrange for the follow up treatment to be done.