Dear Parents

Running the drinks stall and the school car park at the famous Violet Town Market is the main fund-raising activity in which Violet Town Campus parents are involved. **Everyone takes a turn!** This brings in funds which enable us to provide free iPads, playground and other equipment etc to improve the experiences of your children at school.

Please check your name on the market roster and put your date in your diary. **This is a once-a-year responsibility.**

A huge thank you in advance to Bec Triffitt (a past student’s parent) and to Robyn Thornhill for volunteering to run the carpark this year. What a gift to the school!

**Market Roster attached to this newsletter**

**Please Check It!**

Mr Dunn will teach recorder and other instruments on Tuesday lunchtimes, starting on the 28th of Feb. New students welcome.

Ms Green will teach piano students on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Please contact the school if you would like your child to start piano lessons.

...and thinking!
Foundation and Year 1

The class has managed the week very well despite the rain and the heat. Well done to our Foundation students who are settling in to the routine of the classroom. Our Year 1 students have been helpful and supportive of our newest class members. Thank you boys.

Please keep an eye on the Communication Books which are hopefully coming home each night. If there is a new entry in the book, please initial it so we know the information has been received. Both Foundation and Year 1 students are encouraged to read or share their spot books with an adult most evenings. Foundation students have a ‘Beginning Readers’ information sheet in their Communication Books so please have a look so you can support your child on their literacy journey.

Swimming is up and running with the students loving the chance to build their skills and enjoy our fantastic pool. A pair of thongs is very helpful for getting children over to and back from the pool.

Our Student of the Week is Abbey Frost. Abbey has a keen interest in her learning and applies herself well to complete class work. Well done Abbey.

Kerrie and Kate

Year 2/3

It has been such a busy first full week of the school term, and the hot weather has made it tiring for all. Please feel free to send a cold bottle of water to school for your child, as they are allowed to have water on their table during class times. This week we have made our VCOP pyramids to help us when we work on our writing, and focused on WOW words that help make our writing stronger. We have planned a story using a planner, and stimulus picture, to help with our ideas, and will have our first Big Write on Friday.

In Maths we have continued counting by 1’s. We have played ‘swop a mini’ place value game, as well addition of dice using different strategies.

The student of the week this week is a double! I just could not split the dynamic duo of the William’s sisters – thankyou girls for being so co-operative and calm. Congratulations Lilliana and Sophia! A great start to the year!

Dianne

Year 4/5/6

This week, we have been learning about narratives, and developing short picture story books to share with our Foundation buddies. Our Student of the Week is Blake, for demonstrating respect towards his teachers and classmates.

Jenna

Who can tell our beautiful twins apart?