**Happy and Sad News**

After 14 years cheerfully serving in all weathers as our faithful and friendly ‘Crossing Lady’, June and her husband are moving away from the area. We thanked June at a morning tea this week and all students will say goodbye to her at the Assembly this Friday. Parents (as always) are welcome to come along. The new Crossing Person will be Mark Boyd.

**Super Student Award**

Congratulations to Lucian Jackson-Kittel, Tyson Kennedy and Masan Morgan for receiving this award last week.

**Magic Show & Book Parade**

To celebrate book week and promote the importance of reading, we will be holding our whole school Book Parade on Friday 29th August at 9.15am. The morning will start with a magic show by Dan the Magic Man, followed by the book character parade. All students are encouraged to dress up as their favourite book character and all parents, friends and carers are most welcome to come along and enjoy the event. A coffee van will also be here and there will be no afternoon assembly.

**Bravehearts Show**

The Bravehearts personal safety show came to Whittington on Tuesday. All children from Prep – 2 attended the show and we were joined by all the Kinder children as special guests. Some parents also attended. Ditto the safety lion was a great hit with the children. All kids were extremely well behaved and appreciated the important message.

**RSPCA Cupcake Day-raised $73**

The Junior School Council managed a very successful fundraiser on Monday for the RSPCA. The day was made possible through the efforts of Max and Blake Wilson’s mum, Rachel Black who not only donated all the ingredients, but also spent hours baking the delicious cupcakes.
You’re a Star Award
Riley, Reeghn, Luok, Tyson and Cambelle received the You’re a Star certificates. Well done.

Attendance Award
Grade JM won the best attendance award with Blake and Cambelle collecting the awards.

House Points
Troop won the House points with Cambelle and Tahlia receiving the shield.

Toucan Appeal
The Geelong Food Relief Centre has been providing free food to those in need for 23 years. Working together with welfare agencies, last year we saw 9,078 families referred to the Centre for support.

This year we are asking you to donate items we are always in need of. These items form some of the basic food item most families choose. So, yes it’s called the Toucan Appeal, but this year we want you to think outside the can!

We love to get rice, cereal, honey, milo, pasta sauce, UHT milk etc. The appeal runs for the month of August. Please leave donations at the school office.

Book Club
Brochures for Issue 6 of the Book Club have been sent home tonight. Orders are due back no later than Friday, August 29.

Principal’s Award
The Principal’s Award last week went to one of our ‘Star’ Preps this year, Kylie Ashman Howell. Kylie has been a great student and a great friend who is applying our three school values, Respect, Responsibility and Safety in everything she does.

Active After School Program
Term 3
Tuesday-Martial Arts
(no more applications for martial arts)
Wednesday-Badminton
Thursday-Hip Hop Dance
Application Forms at the Office
Homework Club-Wednesday
3.15pm-4.30pm
Just Brass Band -Thursday

SWPBS Clubs
50
Blake Thompson

200
Amelia Nollen

300
Tyson Loader

400
Luok Luak

500
Kaleesha Durrant

Tyesha Kennedy