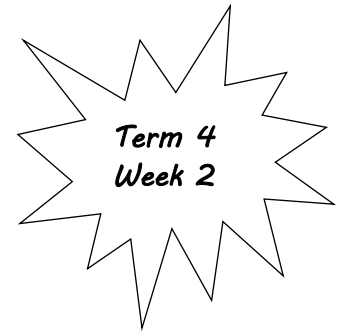




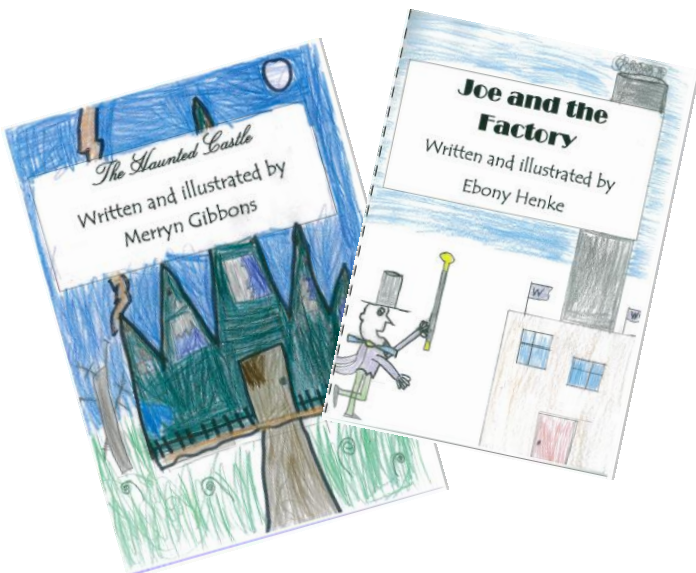
# Year Two Newsletter!



*Wow! We've hit the ground running in Term 4!  
Take a look at what we have all been up to in Year 2...*

## Writer's Festival

*Students have been working hard to complete writing, editing, publishing and illustrating their writing piece for the Writer's Festival. Students ensured their writing followed the writing genre they had chosen, used interesting words, used punctuation and dialogue to add interest for the reader. Two students have been shortlisted from each Year 2 class and the winner will be announced at Assembly on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> of October.*



## The BB Program

*Our pro-active BB program continues this term. Students who require the opportunity to enhance their emotional toolkit and positive responses towards challenging situations. Students engage weekly and are provided with scenarios to use useful strategies to help work through the problem(s) being experienced. Labelling the emotion being experienced is our current focus and each student has made an emotional thermometer suggesting how they are feeling. The feedback from students attending has been outstanding and we are already experiencing positive results and responses in and out of the classroom setting.*



## Fun Run

*On Friday 20<sup>th</sup> of October all students will be participating in our School Fun Run. Students will run laps of a special course. Don't forget to ring Nannas, Grandpas, Aunties, Uncles and Friends for sponsorship. Students also have the opportunity to win some great prizes that are shown in the sponsorship booklet.*

*The funds raised will go towards purchasing new iPads and the rejuvenation of the red playground.*

## School Concert

*Wow! Is it that time of year already? Yes! The Year 2 students have started preparations and rehearsals for the School Concert held on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December. This year we have a theme of 'Music through the Decades'. We will be rocking out to music from the 70s. Students have been divided up into three groups so that all students will have the opportunity to perform, star and be visible on stage. Very shortly we will send out some ideas for each group's costume.*



## Important Dates to Remember:

- *Assembly Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> October*  
*Writer's Festival winners announced*
- *Student Free Day Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November*
- *Melbourne Cup Holiday, Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November*
- *Assembly, Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November*
- *Assembly, Monday 4<sup>th</sup> December*
- *School Concert, Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December*

At Stockdale Road  
Primary School, we  
have the following  
Mission, Vision and  
Values:

## Mission

We work together to build strong relationships; fostering growth and learning for all.

## Vision

To know our students, how they learn and to continue to develop excellence in teacher and learning practice.

## Values

Stockdale Road Primary School's philosophy reflects a Developmental, child centered approach that is anchored in the personal interest of each child. This school seeks to educate the whole child by nurturing their cognitive, linguistic, physical, social and emotional growth.

*Not all children are ready to learn the same thing, in the same way, at the same time - Kathy Walker.*

### **Our School Promise**

When we care about each other and our school community,  
We share what we have, respect ourselves, each other  
and the environment,  
Listen carefully, help each other learn,  
Work hard and always give our best effort,  
and have fun together.  
We understand that everyone makes mistakes,  
That we look out for ourselves and others, and  
when someone tells us to  
stop we stop.  
This is who we are, even when no one is watching!