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Среќен Божик и среќна Нова година

Message from the Chairman



As the 2014 school year draws to a close I reflect back on the achievements of the Macedonian Community Language School and the great team of people upon which these rest. I would like to thank members of the School Board, teachers, working parties, sponsors, parents and students for their support and commitment to our language school. With such a great team of people we remain focused on providing a high level of service and professionalism to our students. I would like to offer my best wishes to you and your families for a safe and enjoyable festive season and look forward to your support and ongoing commitment in 2015.

Peter Vassileff

Did You Know?

Learning a new language changes your brain network both structurally and functionally. Studies have shown that people learning a new vocabulary are more successful in attaining information showed than those who did not learn a new vocabulary. Researchers have discovered that learning and practising something, for instance a second language, strengthens the brain. It appears that, like physical exercise, the more you use specific areas of your brain, the more it grows and gets stronger. It is believed that anatomical changes occur in the brain as a result of learning a second language, no matter how old you are.

Li and colleagues report their results in a recent article published in the Journal of Neurolinguistics

The Macedonian Community of WA Inc recognises the importance of language learning and is pleased to once again offer Macedonian language classes in 2015. Enrolments for Macedonian language classes are now open. For further information please visit macedoniawa.com.au and select Language Classes. For language school enquiries please email language@macedoniawa.com.au or telephone 9328 7852.

Faded Memories

On December 7 2014, Jim Vellios, former president of the Macedonian Community of WA Inc, launched his book: Faded Memories. Ninety relatives and friends from as far as Manjimup attended the event at the Macedonian Community Centre, North Perth. Although the book focuses on the life of his father, Yovan Numeff and his ancestors, it is a story that reflects the life and times of many Macedonian villagers who lived in incredible times. Congratulations Jim.



End of Year Concert and Awards Presentations

The Macedonian Community Language School will be holding its Awards Presentations and end of year concert at the Sveti Nikola Community luncheon on 21 December 2014 at the Macedonian Community Centre, 51 Albert Street, North Perth. All are welcome.

End of School Year

Final classes for this year are:

K-12 Monday, 15 December 2014 Senior Class (Tuesday) Tuesday, 16 December 2014 Senior Class (Thursday) Thursday, 18 December 2014

Contact Us

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