

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Caregivers

NSW Principals' The Primary Association State Conference which I attended last week was very engaging with many high profile speakers focusing on the future in terms of not only education but society and the future world that our children will be experiencing.

Technology and Artificial Intelligence were a major part of the commentary but also the need to escape technology or have technology down time for personal wellbeing, social interaction and creating a productive, prosperous and safe society.

A common theme was that to secure jobs in the future students will need to be creative thinkers, problem solvers, be skilful communicators, be able to work in a collaborative environment, open to rapid change and be resilient. Artificial Intelligence will significantly improve people's lifestyles, safety, health and world food production and distribution.

Many existing jobs that we take for granted will disappear and many more, yet unheard of jobs, created. The one constant will be change, rapid change, as technology and Artificial Intelligence develop, become more commonplace and affordable.

Why limit happy to an hour?

Eg your surgeon may well be a robot, driverless cars (no more Ube, you ask your car to come and get you), research lawyers will be replaced by Artificial Intelligence research technology. And so it goes on.

There certainly will be interesting times and challenges ahead.

It is so appropriate that our school includes the vision statement creation of life long learners.

Regards



Principal

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UPCOMING EVENTS TERM 4

Friday,..... November 9 **NAIDOC Celebrations 2-3pm**

School Council meeting 7:00pm

MondayNovember 26 Kindergarten 2019 parent meeting

WednesdayNovember 28 P&C meeting 7:00pm

ThursdayNovember 29 **Kindergarten 2019 Orientation Day Shekere Beats performance**

Tuesday..... December 11 **Year 6 Graduation Dinner and Social**

Tuesday..... December 18 **Presentation Night**

NOTES & PAYMENT DUE

School fees for 2018 are still being accepted at the office or online.

P&C Chocolate Drive - 23 November





NAIDOC CELEBRATIONS

FRIDAY, 9 NOVEMBER 2-3PM

Tomorrow at 2pm, after lunch, we will be having a special afternoon to celebrate National Aborigines and Islanders Day Observance Committee (NAIDOC) day. This year NAIDOC is focused on the significant impact that indigenous women have had in promoting and developing their culture and the broader community.

Everyone is most welcome to attend.

Timetable:

2:00pm

Group activities

Story telling (Darren Forbes)

Bush tucker and medicine (Aunty Beth)

2:30pm Assembly in Wongarbon Hall (Student

artwork and boomerangs on display)

Acknowledgement of Country and talk

(Aunty Beth)

Principal's message and award.

Class Awards

Whole school choir singing in Wiradjuri

language.

Performance awards

Story telling (Darren Forbes)

Student of the week

3:00pm Conclusion

We thank Darren, Beth and Allanah for their contribution in sharing our NAIDOC celebration.



ASSEMBLY AWARDS

Term 4 Week 2

Class Award

Year 5/6

Logan, Leah, Benji

Year 3/4

Blair, William, Kyla-Lee

K/1/2

Alice, Liam, Adelaide

Performance Award

Year 5/6

Mitchell, Ethan, Nate

Year 3/4

Kyeisha, Lyla, John

K/1/2

Ruby, Ben, Hamish

Book Award

Year 5/6

Mia

Year 3/4

Joseph

K/1/2

Ayla

Principals Award

Zander

Library Award

Mitchell, Jessica, Courtney, Mia, Kiah, Hannah

School Council

Our next School Council meeting will be held in the school staffroom at 7pm on Tuesday, November 13. Agenda items will include finance, budgeting, School Plan, current Department of Education initiatives and member tabled issues.





MONEY AND UNSOLD CHOCOLATES NEED TO BE RETURNED TO SCHOOL

BY FRIDAY, 23 NOVEMBER

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!