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## Term 4 Week 6 - Thursday 21st November 2019

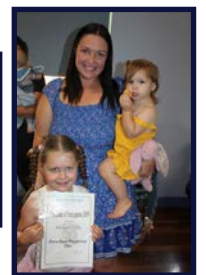
Thank you to our wonderful school community for their support of last weeks crazy sock fundraiser to support our RFS who continue to provide amazing support for our community. Our school raised \$800 and we were part of a number of local state schools who collectively raised \$7000 which will be shared amongst our district RFS stations. Well done SGPS school and community.



Yesterday we held a silver and gold badge assembly in our Primary campus which was an outstanding success. Congratulations to all our wonderful students who received these badges which is a fantastic achievement and we are all very proud of them. It is always fantastic for me to view the enormous pride these students have when they receive these badges. I know our parents and carers who attended were equally as proud. Thank you to Mrs Gillett for her organisation and our staff and Mrs Cassematis for providing a delicious morning tea. Thank you also to Mr Valette who has been doing an amazing job setting up our halls for these morning teas and a number of other school initiatives.



On Tuesday our Preschoolers who have been attending our amazing PPP program received their graduation certificates in front of a large audience. This is an excellent achievement by these students and they have been a very settled cohort of students throughout this program and we are looking forward to all of them making an excellent start in 2020 Kindergarten. Next year we will be having four kindergarten classes. Our thanks to Mrs Berry for her excellent organisation of this program and our Infants staff who have been working tirelessly each week to ensure our new Kinders are having a very positive experience at our school. Thanks to our staff and Mrs Cassematis for providing another delicious morning tea. Next week is our final day of this program where the students visit Kindergarten classrooms for an orientation experience.



Our Year 2 students are currently involved in a transition program to the primary and this week they attended a PE type lesson with our Year 6 students.

This week our Stage 2 learn to swim program began for students who have identified as needing extra support with their swimming. The students have been very positive about this experience and our thanks to Mrs Huthnance for her organisation and Mr Kelly, Mrs Warren and Mr Skinner who are also supporting our students.



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Good luck to our Year 6 students who are attending next weeks excursion to Brisbane. We are all looking forward to hearing about their wonderful experiences which we will keep parents updated on our Facebook page.

Earlier this week we installed a new sign in our Primary campus to enhance the entrance to our wonderful school.



Good luck tomorrow to our Year 5 students who have nominated to present a leadership speech in the Primary hall from 11.40am. Parents are invited to attend. These students will then be voted on by their peers for possible prefect positions in 2020. Our school highly values student leadership and I know our students will tomorrow deliver an excellent range of speeches. Our thanks to Mr Zacek for his excellent organisation.

Due to the change of date of the Year 6 excursion our Carols on The Green will now be on Wednesday 11th December. A program will be available closer to the date. All classes will be involved in the Carols.



Our Assembly of Appreciation which was going to be held in Week 7 has now been cancelled due to the large number of items occurring during this busy time. Our students who hold leadership positions will still receive their certificates at Stage assemblies held following the excursion. Thank you for your support of these changes.

Thank you to our families who supported our Scholastic Book Fair. A reminder our Book Fair closes tomorrow at 3.30pm. Our thanks to Mrs Heyman for her organisation and our community for their support. Each year we receive a rebate which we utilise to purchase additional books for our Library. This week is the last week of borrowing so please start returning any library books so we can prepare for our end of year Stocktake.

The Infants canteen trial is going extremely well. Thank you to our students, families and staff for supporting our school canteen. Remember this trial goes for another week and after that time the P&C will consider if it is viable to continue having the canteen open full time.

Have a great week  
Mr Peter Hickey  
Principal

## P&C Hamper



Carols on the Green is now set down for Wednesday 11th December at the Primary campus. This is always a wonderful night to celebrate the year. The P&C will be holding a BBQ and a Christmas Hamper Raffle as a fundraiser on the night. We are asking our community for donations of non perishable items and Christmas items to contribute to our hampers e.g. chips, crackers, biscuits, drinks etc. Please leave any donations at either office. Thanks for your support.

## Student banking

Thank you to everyone who has supported student banking this year. The last day to order banking rewards is Tuesday 3rd December and last day for banking is Tuesday 10th December.



## Scholastic Book club

The catalogues for Issue 8 of the Scholastic Book Club were sent home this week. Orders are due to be finalised by Monday 2nd December. Thank you for your support!



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Nutrition Snippet

## The simplest way

... to swap ham out of the lunch box.

We know that ham is a lunch box staple for many families, however, Cancer Council recommends that we limit or avoid processed meats such as ham, salami and bacon, because of their link with increasing the risk of bowel and stomach cancer.



One way to help your family limit their intake of processed meats is to keep them out of the lunch box. Better choices include:

- BBQ chicken with skin removed
- Canned tuna or salmon
- Boiled eggs
- [Hummus](#)
- Cheese
- Leftover home-cooked meat
- [Home cooked rissoles](#)

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## Students of the Week Award

KRB	Thomas White	3KG	Jaida Collett
KAO	Marlee Furner	3SB	Samuel Morrow
KET	Phoenix De Bono	3JD	Jalani Bannerman
KTB	Layla Johnson	4JR	Meg Amos
KDR	Kalani Walters	4ES	Nicola Longstaff
1AV	Summah-Lee De Bono	4DH	Nate Tattis
1CK	Ally Chard	5KR	Sienna Robb
1KD	Braxton Fielden	5SD	Ayisha B
1/2KW	Isabella Houlihan	5/6ER	Hayley Robertson
2JT	Tashiah Woodley-Walker	5TC	Jayden Fielden
		6TM	Amie Perkins
		6LG	Isaac Hall
2MA	Pippa Creighton	6DZ	Claire Patterson

## Principal Awards

Ella Smidt, Sophia Jackson, Jack Morrow, Marleeah Wallace, Levi Bowling, Violet Nicholson, Paton M, Layla Casbolt, William Cameron, Ava Tattis, Zoe Bailey

## Gold Badge

Zoe Bailey, Ella Sinclair, Jessica Lesley, Taylah Berry

## Silver Badge

Isaac Hayes, Nate Pohlmann, Tristan Mason-Ehsman, Jordan Wilson, Jules Appo, Liam Drewett, Shakiaya Brown, Kayne O'Neill, Teenikah Hippi, Samuel Morrow, Lacey Lawrie, William Berk, Jayde McGrath, Kalora Hippi, Lily O'Hara, Jami Reid, Tallyn Burrows, Cadence Wilkinson-Byrnes, James Skinner, Ayisha B, Violet Williams, Beau Subat, Khye McDonald, Kiana Logan, Isaac Campbell, Owen Marsh, Jasmin Vassallo, Alana Gabanski, Sierra Jacobs, Jye Lawrie

## Blue Ribbons

Carol-Anne Boney, Pippa Creighton, Jake Radmilovich, Jake Blackadder

## Pride Awards

Layla Menzies, Declan Kirkman, Serenity McDonald, Amayah Christopher, Declan Hynard, Jardyn Close, Jaiden Johnson, Banda Elliott, Sonny McLennan, Kade Worthington, Zahli Wright, Hunter Martin, Drain Skinner, Bobby Donovan, Elijah Mclvor, Maggie Clancy, Jaxon Walsh, Annalyse Dwyer, Amelia Martin, Nikola Byrnes, Blake Howard, Molly Barton, Amelia Burnside, Cooper Watson, Poppie Vercoe, Fischer Sanne, Carol-Anne Boney, George Roberts, Charlotte Hughes, Tyson Cameron, Shania McCarthy, Lachlan Hamilton, Ryan Moran, Skye Brennand, Hayley Skinner, Savannah McLennan, Jake Elliott, Lucas Stone, Jaxon Martin, Shahad Al-Roubaie, Kayleb Adams, Angel Eyles, Lilly Axford, Casey Bailey, Isaac Hayes, Samuel Longstaff, Zoe Cameron, Aurora Menzies, Ava Thurgood-Randall, Chloe Valencia, Hunter Hobbes, Isabella Bailey, Charlotte Reeve, Solomon B, Kirra Nicholson, Sasha Lawrence, Deegan Robb, Henry Ricketts, Beau Salmon, Joseph Simiana, Lily Vercoe, Emma Cameron, Ruby McNee, Mary-Grace

Ballis, Lucy Warwick, Finn Hegedus, Aidan Menzies, Archie Ricketts, Maddison Burgess, Koen Croft, Oliver Corbett-Robinson, Serina O'Keefe, Samuel Finlay, Mitchell Zammit, Chloe Brown, Mikayla Crapp, Jorja Lawrence, Lexi Bryant, Grace McIntyre, Leila Horstman, Lilly Tough, Charni Adamson, Tayla Mackey, Kaiden Grainger, Jake Radmilovich, Kaleb B, Zannah Hogan, Tyler Allison, Alana Gabanski, Sienna Caple, Lani Crispe, Jake Blackadder, Jordan Barry, Zara McKenzie, Daniel Ballis

## Upcoming Events

Mon 18th - Fri 29th November	Intensive Swim Program
Friday 22nd November	Prefect Speeches-11.40am
Monday 25th-28th November	Year 6 Excursion to Brisbane
Tuesday 26th November	2020 Kindergarten Orientation
Tuesday 3rd December	SGHS Orientation Day
Friday 6th December	Silver Badge Infants
Monday 9th December	AAA certificates home
Tuesday 10th December	Silver/Gold Badge Primary
Wednesday 11th December	Year 6 Farewell
Thursday 12th December	Silver/Gold Badge Infants
Friday 13th December	Reports home
Monday 16th December	Christmas Carols
Wednesday 18th December	Presentation Day
Wednesday 22nd January	Primary Rewards Day
Tuesday 28th January	Infants Rewards Day
Wednesday 29th January	Last day for students
	Uniform Shop open 9.00am - 12noon
	Staff return
	Year 1 - Year 6 return

## Canteen

### CANTEEN

### PRIMARY

Monday	Michelle Mackay, HELP NEEDED
Tuesday	Leanne Torrens, Aminta Tattis
Wednesday	Sam Pol, HELP NEEDED
Thursday	Belinda Wormald, HELP NEEDED
Friday	Rae-Anne Finlay, Suellen Davies

### INFANTS

Monday	Eloise Walker, HELP WANTED
Tuesday	Suellen Davies, HELP WANTED
Wednesday	Megan Hunter, Leanne Torrens
Thursday	Rhonda King, Suellen Davies
Friday	Sam Pol, Trudy Clydesdale



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