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Term 2 Week 7 - 13th June 2019

Congratulations to all our class representatives who presented an excellent range of speeches to our Stage 2 and Stage 3 students as part of the Multicultural Public Speaking competition. Our Stage 2 winners were Emma Cameron and Keirra Dent and Stage 3 winners were Zoe Rayward and Isaiah Wright. Our big thank you to Miss Carter and Miss Streader for their excellent organisation and Mrs Buckley who assisted me with the adjudication which was very difficult due to the high quality of all our students' speeches.



Congratulations and good luck to our winners who will now compete in the finals at Westlawn Public School today.



Congratulations to our boys basketball team who defeated Westlawn PS 33-8 last Friday in the second round of the PSSA State Knockout. The boys played an excellent game and showed terrific sportsmanship and great team spirit. The next match will be held shortly against Nambucca PS.



Congratulations to the girls hockey team who played against Grafton PS in the first round of the PSSA Knockout last Friday. Our team played extremely well but were defeated in a very tight match 2-1. Our thanks to Miss Emily Ryan for her coaching and organisation of our team.



Last Thursday our student Prefects and Captains and Vice Captains attended a Student Leadership Program called GRIP at Coffs Harbour. Our students had a very enjoyable day and represented our school in a very positive manner. Our thanks to Mrs McIntyre for her excellent organisation and supervision of this excursion and Mrs Warren who also assisted with supervision.



To celebrate the positive influences our seniors make in our lives, on Wednesday 26th June we are inviting our grandparents (or a senior person in the child's family) to come and visit with their grandchildren. Our guests are invited to the Infants campus for morning tea from 11.00am and Primary campus for classroom visits at 12.20pm and a sausage sizzle for lunch at 1.00pm (cost \$2.00) per sausage sandwich. We are looking forward to seeing our grandparents on this special day.

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Yesterday our boys and girls soccer team played against Westlawn PS in the 2nd round of the PSSA State Knockout at Rushforth Park. Both teams played extremely well with great sportsmanship. The results were: Boys were defeated 4-1 and the girls won 6-1. Well done everyone. Our big thank you to Mr Jones and Mr Newman for coaching these two teams.



Yesterday five of our students participated in a NAIDOC Art Workshop held at Grafton Public School. Our students participated in a range of art and storytelling activities and their finished work will be rotated around the Grafton Community of schools throughout next term. Our thanks to Miss Taylor who accompanied our students and Mrs Lavery who assisted with the organisation.



Good luck to our Jump Rope for Heart Demonstration Skipping team who are performing at St Columba Anglican School in Port Macquarie tomorrow. We are looking forward to organising a number of workshops and performances and showcasing our wonderful skills. Mrs Gillett will be accompanying me on this excursion. Thank you to our parents who are also assisting with transport.

Next Tuesday our Year 5 students have the opportunity to attend an Orientation Day at SGHS where they will be participating in a range of Technological and Applied Studies (TAS) activities including computers, cooking, textiles, woodwork and metalwork. This day is to better prepare students for the transition to high school. Students will walk to the high school with their teachers.

Next Wednesday at 10.15am South Grafton High School Principal, Kristine Pizarro and Year 7- 2020 Year Advisors Rachel Pachos and Matt McKee will be doing a Meet and Greet with our Year 6 students and any interested parents in our Primary hall.

Good luck to our Year 3, Year 4 and Stage 3 Dance Groups who are performing at the annual Coffs Harbour Dance Festival which is being held next Tuesday 18th June at the CEX in Coffs Harbour. Tickets are on sale now. Please get in early as the tickets sell out fast. This is a great opportunity to showcase our wonderful dance program and the excellent quality of our dance performances following on from our terrific results at the Grafton Eisteddfod. Miss Carter, Mrs Thompson, Mrs Gillett and Mrs Dougherty will be accompanying our students at the Dance festival. Our thanks again to our staff and Miss Amanda and Miss Nicole for their excellent leadership with our dance program. An early reminder our school will be holding its annual Performing Arts concert in Week 3 next term which will be part of our Education Week celebrations.

Don't forget to drop your Earn and Learn stickers in our box at Woolworths or in either office foyer. The program finishes on 25th June. We are looking forward to another successful program which will enable us to purchase additional classroom resources. Thank you to everyone who is supporting us with the stickers.



Our fabulous Kindergarten Orientation Program, Preschool Playgroup Plus (PPP) is starting Week 2 - Term 3, Tuesday 30th July. This wonderful program runs from 9.15am-10.45am every Tuesday until 26th November for our 2020 Kindergarten students. Please complete an enrolment form at either office.

Have a great week
Mr Peter Hickey - Principal

Scholastic Book Club - Issue 4

Book Club Issue 4 brochures have gone home this week. All orders are to be done online and will close by 3.00pm on Monday 17th June.



Craft Group

The craft group is busy making items for our Fathers' Day and Market Day stalls. We are asking for donations of coloured and black A4 card suitable to make Fathers' Day cards and jars between 350ml to 450ml size. We have a stock of wool and crochet cotton in the craft room if anyone would like to do some knitting or crocheting for us.

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Students of the Week Award

KAO	Ella Smidt	3KG	Kaden Rook
KRB	Declan Kirkman	3JD	Ruby Hatch
KET	Phoenix De Bono	3SB	Naysha Hynard
KTB	Cailin Deem	4ES	William Berk
KDR	Banda Elliott	4JR	Addison Brown
1AV	Hamish Dentler	5SD	Byron Perry
1CK	Sami Zacek	5KR	Ella Smith
1/2KW	Kayden Skinner-Gordon	5TC	Kaleb Mahy
		5/6ER	Caitlin Amos
1KD	Blake Howard	6TM	Braiden Licen
2JT	Shepherd Frost	6LG	Lemeki
2MA	Hayleigh Johnson		Kurimalawai
2LS	Olivia Reckless	6DZ	Claire Patterson

Principal Awards - Zahli Wright, Logan Skinner, India

Doherty, Jaali, Oliver Jones

Blue Ribbons - Phoenix De Bono, Jak Gudz, Tristan Jerrett, Kai McGregor, Savannah-Lee McLennan, Tyler Gordon, Beau Torrens, Cailin Deem, Shyanna Duroux, Madison Rixen, Phoenix Eggleton, Ella Smidt, Thomas Beadman, Zahli Wright, Jack Meyer, Elise Grimes, Levi Bowling, Chloe Jones, Jacob Everson, Kelsey Ferrie, Cassius Appo, Lacey Polsen, Henry Ricketts, Adam-Jason Cox, Beau Subat, James Skinner, Lucas McCann, Samuel Finlay, Savanna Purnell, Maddison Burgess, Caitlin Amos, Kaiden Grainger, Hayley Robertson, Georgia Shorrock, Elise Berry, Lilly Tough, Riley Stanton Braiden Licen, Nikki Truman, Kaleb Mahy, Charlie G

Pride Awards - Phoenix Eggleton, Shyanna Duroux, Madison Rixon, Alexander Rouse, Xavier Knox, Tiarni Benn, Lacey Polsen, Cassius Appo, Joshua Bunn, Leumeah McKenna, Thomas Beadman, Charlie McLennan, Catherine Harper, Tristan Jerrett, Jak Gudz, Deklan Collins, Blaize Logan, Iylah-Mae Green, Takavia Croake, Olyvia O'Neill, Molly Barton, Poppi Vercoe, Indy Loy, Brett Cabalagnan, Emily Wilson, James Reeve, Ruby M, Tarrant Burns, Levi Gilmore, Ashley Higgins, Coby McDonald, Shania McCarthy, Jack Meyer, Mikinleigh Bullock, Chloe Gavin, Leah Hastings, John Croake, Layla B, Dylan Edwards, Sierra Menzies, Rhianna Blair, Chloe Valencia, Evie W, Joshua Green, Casey Bailey, Anja Dyer, Isaac Hayes, Tristan Mason-Ehsman, Violet Cox, Jessica Kelly, Solomon B, Harmony Fielden, Kalora Hippi, Alesha Truman, Adam-Jason Cox, Henry Ricketts, Emily Robertson, Toby Marsh, Riley Lolic, Eloise Hayward, Meg Amos, Jordan Pritchard, Aidan Really, Oliver Hamilton, Zara Bowling, Maddison Burgess, Jessica Leslie, Jake Hogden, Sophie-Lee Watson, Nayte Meyer, Lucas McCann, Jaylin Mundine, Charlie G, Hope Bullock, Izaac C, Kaiden Grainger, Hayley Robertson, Georgia Shorrock, Lilly Tough, Elise Berry, Jayden Bateman, Andrea Thomson, Tamika Gaddes, Gretchen Salmon, Dean Brown, Mia West, Emily Barrett, Jasmin Vassallo, Evie Jenkins, Riley Stanton, Ruby Bowling, Evie Jenkins

Upcoming Events

Thursday 13th June	Westlawn Multicultural Public Speaking Finals
Tuesday 18th June	Coffs Harbour Dance Festival
Wednesday 19th June	Year 5 transition SGHS SGHS Principal Year 6 and parents 10.15am Primary Hall
Tuesday 25th June	P&C Meeting Library 6.00pm date change
Tues 25th-Thurs 27th June	Stage 3 War on Waste presentations
Wednesday 26th June	Grandparents' Day
Monday 1st - Friday 5th July	NAIDOC Week
Tuesday 2nd July	NAIDOC Year 5 games
Wednesday 3rd July	Athletics Carnival
Thursday 4th July	Kindergarten Rewards Day
Friday 5th July	Reports home
Thursday 12th September	100 days of Kindergarten celebration
	Stage 1, Stage 2 and Stage 3 Rewards Day
	Market Day

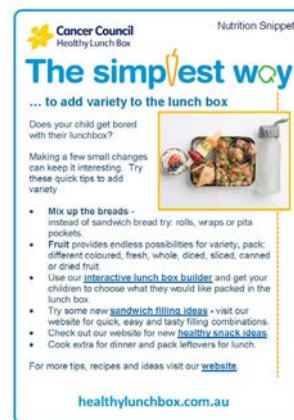
Canteen

PRIMARY

Monday	Julianne Parente, HELP NEEDED
Tuesday	HELP NEEDED
Wednesday	Glady Lawson, HELP WANTED
Thursday	Belinda Wormald, HELP NEEDED
Friday	Norma Purnell, Sam Pol, HELP WANTED

INFANTS

Monday	Rebecca Wren, Cherron Deen
Tuesday	Simone Skennar, Christie Really
Wednesday	Sam Pol, Julianne Parente
Thursday	Kerri Martin, Rebecca Wren, Jasmin Wise
Friday	Kerri Martin, Rhonda King



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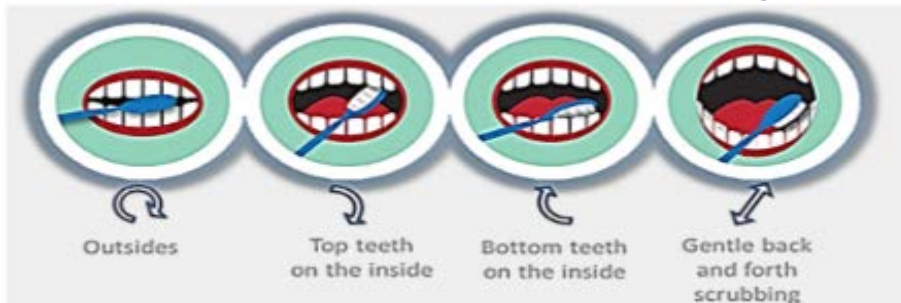
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