



22nd November 2018

## Principal's Message

### What's On.....

#### NOVEMBER

23rd Summer Sport for Year 6

23rd Swimming 2C, 2T, Years 3-6

#### 26th BOOK CLUB DUE

26th Swimming 2C, 2T, Years 3-6

27th Year 1 Excursion to Melbourne Zoo

27th Swimming 2C, 2T, Years 3-6

27th Year 1 Zoo Excursion

27th Year 5 Incursion

27th Prep 2019 Parent Information Night

30th Swimming 2C, 2T, Years 3-6

30th Summer Sport for Year 6

#### DECEMBER

3rd Year 2 CERES Excursion

4th Parent Helpers Morning Tea

5th Music Night

7th Summer Sport for Year 6

10th Prep & Year 6 Buddy Excursion

11th Transition for Year 6 to 7

11th Prep Orientation Day

13th Year 4 Green Hat Incursion

13th Year 6 Graduation

14th SDSSA Year 6 Community Sports Day

21st Term 4 ends. School finishes at 2.30pm. The office will close at 3pm.

#### 2019

##### January

7th-25th OSHClub open

Dear Parents,

#### WALKATHON

Thank you to all of the students who participated in the school Walkathon. We ask that all sponsorship monies are finalised by next Tuesday, 27 November. The money raised from the Walkathon will go towards a low ropes course for the students.

#### ELECTION DAY BBQ

Once again the school will be running a BBQ on Election Day (24<sup>th</sup> November). Often these BBQ's are a huge fundraiser for the school. Thank you to Parents Club for organising the event and to the many parents who will be assisting on the day.

#### SAFETY DRILL

Each year Pinewood Primary School conducts an 'emergency management drill' as part of our safety management program. Next week, the students will be rehearsing a school evacuation drill. Each child will receive a permission notice on Friday to be completed by parents and returned to the school by the required date.

All students and staff will be participating in the rehearsal evacuation drill. More information is contained within the notice.

#### LEAVING THE SCHOOL

With the exception of Year 6 students, please notify the school office if you are planning on moving away from our school at the end of this year and your children will be attending another primary school. This will help us in our planning for classrooms and teachers for 2019.



#### NEW RELOCATABLE BUILDING

The newly placed relocatable building provides the school with an extra classroom for 2019. The extra class space enables one of the year levels to expand from three potential classes next year, to four classes – thus keeping student numbers very low in each class at that year level.

**Karen Jenkin**  
Principal



## PARENTS CLUB NEWS



Another successful Subway day was held last Wednesday. Approximately 485 subways were delivered to the children in their classes. Without the help of these people we wouldn't have been able to deliver them, so a very big thankyou to Kaye, Kellie, Pri, Laini, Seirlin, Amanda F, Bec G and Ali.

### Election Day BBQ - Reminder Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> November

Please come along this Saturday to support our school whilst you vote!! Bacon & egg rolls, sausages & drinks will be on sale from 8am.



### Hamper Raffle Reminder!!

Thankyou to those that have already donated to the hamper. If you haven't for those that haven't & wish to – there's still more time!!

**We are seeking donations for the hampers from all Pinewood families and they need to be brought to school by the 29<sup>th</sup> of November.**

**All proceeds are going towards the development of play spaces around the school**



**Please remember that only BRAND NEW items should be donated. Donations can include: luxury toiletries, scented candles, homewares (holiday themed or otherwise), holiday cakes/biscuits, gift vouchers, sparkling wine\* or champagne\*. (N.B No homemade food, only purchased and sealed goods)**

**Raffle tickets will be sent home for children to sell this week!**

*\*Alcohol must be handed into the office directly by Parents/Carers as children are not permitted to bring alcohol to school.*

## OSHClub News

This week our theme at OSHClub has been 'Around the World'! We have been doing lots of different craft and cooking activities throughout the week, including making sushi, dumplings and roti bread.

If your child is booked in but is not attending the program please let us know as it means that students who are on a wait list will be able to attend.

Just a reminder that our January holiday program is now open to make bookings. It will be running from Monday 7th of January to Friday 25th of January. If there are any questions regarding this program please feel free to contact either James or Maddie on 0409 906 462

Regards,

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## STUDENT OF THE WEEK

**Kosta S.** **Prep M**  
For his great behaviour during our swimming program. He listened carefully to his instructor and participated enthusiastically.

**Charlotte M.** **Prep M**  
For showing an improvement in her attitude towards learning. She is working hard to complete tasks independently .

**Aaron Z.** **2K**  
For his detailed persuasive text on 'Children Should Exercise Everyday'.

**Jason Z.** **2K**  
For his improved work habits and for displaying persistence and a 'You Can Do It' attitude. Keep up the fabulous work Jason.

**Emilie H.** **2M**  
For consistently being a helpful, respectful and positive member of 2M.

**Jimmy L.** **2M**  
For the wonderful effort Jimmy has made to improve his reading.

**Jinze L.** **2F**  
For settling so well back at Pinewood. 2F are so happy to have you back.

**Meesha G.** **2F**  
For working hard during writing every week. Meesha you always have a go and put your best foot forward.

**Lucas R.** **Prep H**  
For focussing very hard this week in order to finish all of his work. Well done Lucas!

**Yochith M.** **Prep H**  
For working hard to learn many of the words of the week and the diagraphs.

**Benny K .** **2J**  
For demonstrating an excellent understanding of finding the main idea in a text, while participating in his reading group.

**Kabir G.** **2J**  
For showing a terrific understanding of how to represent fractions in multiple ways.

**Eric T.** **2T**  
For his excellent work in Maths dividing collections into different fractions. Keep it up!

**Madeleine M.** **2T**  
For the wonderful effort she has put into planning her exposition writing piece and for sharing her brilliant ideas with the class.

**Alena C.** **1D**  
For sharing an informative Living Things presentation on Ladybirds and showing one to the class. Well done Alena!

**Rehaan S.** **1D**  
For working hard to stay focused and completing your work. Keep up the good work Rehaan!

**Billie P.** **Prep L**  
For making outstanding progress with her writing and remembering to use her finger spaces. Keep up the fantastic effort Billie!

**Hatam A.** **Prep S**  
For settling into Prep S so well. Your confidence and communication skills have grown immensely. Well done, Hatam!

**Jana A.** **Prep S**  
For endeavouring to read aloud to the teacher, speak with friends and communicate with staff. Well done, Jana!

**Vasu K.** **1H**  
For making an effort to improve the formation of letters in his handwriting. Well done Vasu!

**Thomas B.** **1H**  
For using the correct structure when writing a recount. Thomas has been working hard to write a good orientation. Well done Thomas!

**Zhefeng C.** **1S**  
For settling in so well to Pinewood PS this term. You always come to school with a cheerful and positive attitude!

**Chloe C.** **1S**  
For your persistence in completing your journal writing this week. Keep up your fantastic work!

**Alex W.** **2C**  
For showing your best manners and being an excellent role model during our swimming program.

**A reminder that school pick up time is 3.30pm. Teachers finish yard duty at 3.45pm and all children should have been collected by this time.**

*Parents should note that advertisements that appear in the newsletter are not necessarily the views of the school council or staff. These services are in no way connected to the Department of Education and are included according to relevance and interest to the school community.*



## STEM Week Competition

Well done to all students who participated in our **Recycling Challenge** by submitting a design. We received many entries across all year levels – each with their own unique take on the theme of 'Carry it. Hold it. Store It'.

After much deliberation by the teachers at each year level, the winners are

- Foundation – **Wardah F.** (Prep A)
- Year 1 – **Amber K.** (1H)
- Year 2 – **Jiya J.** (2K)
- Year 3 – **Layla C.** (3C)
- Year 4 – **Amaya G.** (4T)
- Year 5 – **Kobe B.** (5D)
- Year 6 – **Dewi R-M** (6H)

Thanks to all students, parents and teachers who assisted.

Greg Tate

# MUSIC NIGHT CONCERT

## Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> December 2018

6.00pm – Parents Club BBQ

6.30pm – Concert on the basketball  
courts

**Dress: Christmas Colours**

### Program:

Santa Claus is Coming to Town

*PL, PR, PP PS*

Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer

*PH, PA, PM*

All I want for Xmas is My 2 Front Teeth

*1H 1D 1M*

Wake up Sleepy Head *1S, 1KW*

Snowflakes / Jingle Bells *2C, 2J, 2F*

Wake Up It's Christmas *2M, 2K, 2T*

Starry Night *Glee / Recorder*

Lift Up Your Voices *Glee*

Reindeer Boogie Woogie *3L & 3C*

Christmas at the Hop *3B & 3K*

Oh Christmas Tree *Year 4*

Aussie Jingle Bells *Year 5*

Feliz Navidad *Year 6*

One Song *Everyone*

We Wish You a Merry Christmas

*Everyone*



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School.

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