

Prairievale Public School

NEWSLETTER

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Wednesday 27 June 2016 - Term 2 Week 10

Dear Parents,

Lots of terrific things happening again at Prairievale PS.

Keep up to date on our website: <http://www.prairieval-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/>

Or download the skoolbag app from itunes or google playstore - just search "Prairievale Public School" Or search on Facebook "Prairievale Public School"

Synergy Dance Festival

Congratulations to our amazing Senior Dance Team (and Miss Ciocci and Miss Bowen) who performed an evening performance at the Synergy Dance Festival on 8th June and also a matinee performance the following week. We were so proud to see them performing and holding their own amongst dance groups from across Sydney, including High schools.



Next P&C meeting

Wednesday 10th August 2016 at 2pm

School Spectacular

We are schools Spectacular School!

The Schools Spectacular is the state's premier student showcase for the performing arts – and for you and your group, we offer a wonderful opportunity to see, hear and experience the best in family entertainment. Tickets for the 2016 Schools Spectacular will go on sale to the general public from Tuesday 14 June through Ticketek. The 2016 Schools Spectacular will be held at the following times: Friday 25 November, 11:00am (Schools' Preview) & 7:30pm Saturday 26 November, 1:00pm & 7:00pm

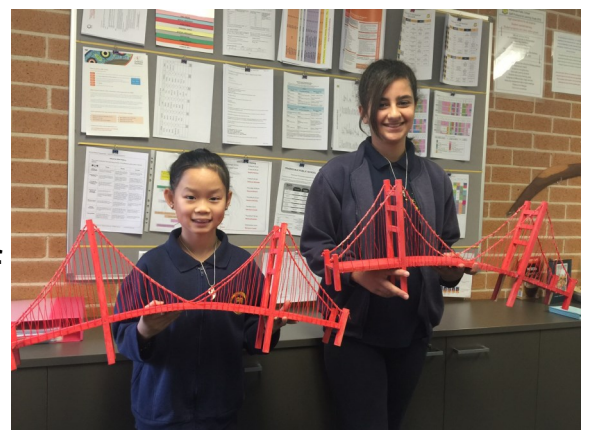


Attendance

We currently still have many students who are arriving at school late. Lessons begin at 9am and students arriving late are missing important school content such as Reading and Writing. A student who is 15 minutes late twice a week over a term will have effectively missed more than a whole day of school. The Home School Liaison Officer works closely with the school and has identified students who are regularly late. Notes have been sent home to these families. If you need any assistance in ensuring that your children arrive on time, please contact the office to make an appointment.

Suspension Bridge - Stage 3

Congratulations to the Stage 3 students who have been working on a unit about built environments. Anglina and Sandy from 5/6B built the Golden Gate Bridge as an example of a suspension bridge. Fantastic work girls!



LMBR

We are currently in the process of implementing a new office system. This is being introduced across all schools in NSW. This will mean that we may see some changes in how we manage money and paperwork in the office over the coming months. Our first change is that we now have a portal on our website for online payments. This is a secure payment option and allows you to pay by credit from home. Once paid, you will just need to provide the school with a receipt number. Another change is that we will need to be very strict with payment deadlines in the future. The new system means that we will be unable to accept payments on the day of an excursion, so it is important to pay on time so that they don't miss out.

Reports

Reports were sent home to parents on Monday 27 June. Although we do not have scheduled Parent Teacher Interviews, we encourage anyone who may have questions or concerns to contact their child's teacher to arrange an interview. If you require additional reports due to family circumstances, please contact the office so that this can be arranged.

Leave and Holidays

School holidays begin at the end of this week and students will return to school on Tuesday 19 July. Don't forget that the Athletics Carnival is on the first Wednesday back, and that all students are expected to attend.

I will be on leave for the first 2^{1/2} weeks of Term 3. During this time, Mrs Allum will be relieving as Principal and Ms Michetti will be running Stage 2.

I hope that everyone has a safe and relaxing break and we'll see you next term.

Nikki Perrin
Principal

25 Reading Nights

1/2A

Byron Drake
Simandra Jabar

1P

Isho Louy
Elina Yousif

2SE

Larissa Kena
Annisha Taylor
Laki Utumapu
Angelina Pasi

3/4L

Alvina Bathio

4/5M

Tonga Pasi

5/6O

Luna Nguyen
Sain Asmaro
Bronel Kaldy

5/6S

Quindira Supriyono
Jayden Lam
Tyreece Vanegas

K-6S

Dylan Valeri

50 Reading Nights

K/1M

Phoebe Namrood
Jacynda Nguyen

1/2A

Simandra Jabar

2R

Andrew Adil
Carlina Lazar

2SE

Annabelle Pham
Larissa Kena

3/4L

Alvina Bathio

3/4Q

Clara Hanani

5/6O

Antonella Marrouki
Ilan Alsaifi
Luna Nguyen

5/6S

Mikaela Liu
Kuet Lay
Carlo Artinian
Silipa Utumapu
Timmy Dang
Azra Tekin

100 Reading Nights

K/1M

Eda Halisdemir
Adrian Anyoel
Izaak Fenech

1P

Renalda Dallo

2R

Alisha Ung
Niram David
Noor Rhaima

3/4B

Narseen Gorla

3/4Q

Cheal-C Moffat
Leo Jebbo

5/6S

Aiden Duong
Yesim Halisdemir

75 Reading Nights

K/1M

Aidan Pham
Daania Supriyono
Alma Korajac
Klwden Jato
Alijah Manu
Ninor Issa

1P

Lily Jebbo
Natalina Lay

5/6S
Chloe Tran
Kyan V
Maggie Zhang
Savanna Deans
Silipa Utumapu

2R

Noor Rhaima

3/4L
Alvina Bathio

2SE

Ariana l'Anson
Ela Cetinay

3/4Q
Leo Jebbo



125 Reading Nights

K/1M

Daphne Hwang
Pateel Pamboukian

5/6O

Jesse Moffat

5/6S

Aiden Duong
Sallie Ton
Mathew Chandra
Sophie Condell
Misak Pamboukian

150 Reading Nights

3/4B

Jayden Le

5/6O

Jesse Moffat

From the P&C

Thank You to all the parents and staff that helped make the P&C Disco as success. We raised \$680.55 from the night.

Second-Hand uniform sale raised just over \$100. Thanks to everyone who purchased uniforms.

Thanks!

Bronze Awards



Congratulations to the following students on receiving your Bronze Award.
Great Effort!

Ameera Supriyono	2R	Quindira Supriyono	5/6S
Mohammed Sabeeh	3/4L	Alma Korajac	K/1M
Sai Sio	K/1M	Hao To	K-6H
Jweil Danial	3/4L	Ariana l'Anson	2SE
Daphne Hwang	K/1M	Maria Adam	5/6B
Khanh Pham	KG	Angela Namu	3/4L
Anthony Caruana	K-6C	Domini Le	K-6H
Christian Barcos	K-6H	Merin Jiji	1/2A
Linh Tran-Bittner	5/6O	Mohamed Al-Mayahi	K-6S
Robika Odicho	5/6O	Atila Aslan	3/4Q
Trisha Tran	4/5M	Clement Jong	4/5M
Daniel Majoja	KB	Justin Tran	K-6C
Kevin Nguyen	K-6H	Joshua Thai	KG
Adam Conlon	1P	Natalina Lay	1P
Connie Toohey	1/2A	Ashourina Israel	1P
Carlina Lazar	2R	Miranda Badal	2R
Grace Choe	2R	Alijah Manu	K/1M
Ayman Degia	1P	Mark Sabri	1P
Isho Louy	1P	Maryam Abdulahad	5/6B
Miry Soko	5/6B	Somar Isaac	5/6B
Riwan Amin	5/6B	Rawan Al Saifi	3/4L

Bronze Awards (Cont'd)

Congratulations to the following students on receiving your Bronze Award.
Great Effort!

Marcello Jong	5/6B	Tonga Pasi	4/5M
Francis Rasho Yaqo	3/4L	Chloe Tran	5/6S
Sandy Nguyen	5/6B	Leanne Nguyen	4/5M
Sabrina Maimone	5/6B	Cheal-C Moffat	3/4Q
Ata Halisdemir	3/4L	Tina Lefua	5/6B
Joshua Tale	5/6G	Siena Bozkent	5/6G
Fabyan Adil	KB	Kevin Phan	KB
Ela Cetinay	2SE	Antonio Navarrete	4/5M
Clement Jong	4/5M	Gary Nguyen	5/6B
Mack Oshana	5/6G	Izaac Fenech	K/1M
Eleni Nielsen	5/6S	Mahreen Hassani	3/4L
Amanda Toma	KG		

Just A Reminder - Uniforms

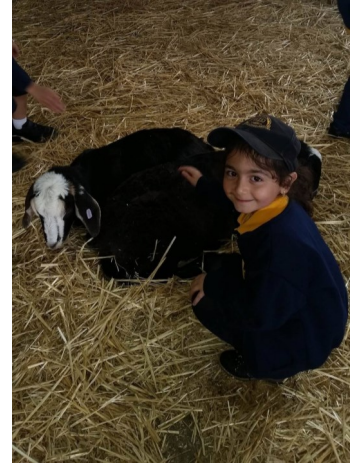
As the weather is getting colder, please ensure your child is wearing a school jumper / jacket when leaving home to keep warm as it gets very cold in the playground. Please make sure all uniforms are labelled with your child's name so it can be returned if lost.



Kindy - Farm Excursion



Kindy - Farm Excursion (Cont'd)



IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT SCHOOL PAYMENTS (POP)

Dear Parent & Carers

Prairievale Public School has begun to accept online payment using the Department of Education's Parent Online Payment (POP) System. A button to access this online payment system titled '\$ Make a Payment' will be visible on the utility bar on the front page of our school's website at <http://www.prairieval-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/> By selecting this link, parents and carers will be taken to a secure Westpac QuickWeb payment page, from which they can make online payments.

Please note: As a Westpac-hosted solution cardholder and account details will be held securely, helping to protect the school and its customers from fraudulent transactions as well as assisting in meeting the Payment Card Industry Data Security Standard (PCIDSS) compliance requirements.

Thank you for your patience and understanding as we transition to our new finance system. We are hopeful the addition of an online payment facility will prove of benefit to families. If you have any questions, please contact the Administration Office.

Just a reminder:

EFTPOS Payments: We will not be able to accept EFTPOS payments between **25 August and 5 September 2016**. From **8 September 2016**, EFTPOS payments will be accepted as before.

Cash and cheque payments: Between **29 August 2016 and 5 September 2016**, we will also not be able to accept payments. From **8 September 2016**, cash and cheque payments will be accepted as before.

CLASS IN FOCUS

K/1M

K/1M learnt about measuring and comparing areas using informal units. We walked around the school to discuss the various areas and which area they thought was the biggest and the smallest.



The children in K/1M also love working with numbers. They learnt how to jump on a number line to complete a number sentence.



PPS Calendar

July

Friday 1	Last Day of Term 2
Monday 18	First day back for Term 3 (Staff Only)
Tuesday 19	First day back for Term 3 (Students Return)
Wednesday 20	Athletics Carnival
Thursday 28	Year 3 & 4 Bike Excursion (3/4I, 3/4L & 4M)

August

Tuesday 2	NAIDOC Performance
Tuesday 9	Year 3 & 4 Bike Excursion (3/4B, 3/4Q & K-6S)
Wednesday 10	Zone Athletics Carnival P&C Meeting
Wednesday 17	Zone Athletics Carnival

September

12-16	Swim School - Years 3-6 only
Wednesday 14	Regional Athletics Carnival
19-23	Swim School - Years 3-6 only
Friday 23	Last Day of Term 3