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“Cold temperatures, warm hearts”

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Coming Events

Thurs 14 June	Winter Practice
Wed 20 June	Assembly 2.45pm
Thurs 21 June	Oral Presentation
Fri 22 June	Winter Carnival
Fri 29 June	Last day for Term 2

Principal's Chat

Dear Parents,

On Monday, 28 May I went to a professional development (PD) about keeping our workplace safe. The PD touched on 5 main areas: prevention processes, preparedness planning, response procedures, recovery procedures and review processes.

Our school has a Behaviour Management Policy for students but we have never had a policy to keep the whole school community safe. The staff will be working on this over the year. It is not because Wandering PS is a violent place. It is because we should be prepared for any situation.

On Thursday, 7 June I went with Mrs Bailey on a PD related to the Online NAPLAN for 2019. Mrs Bailey is our ICT guru and is extremely supportive in this change over. In 2019 the Yr. 3 and the Yr. 5 students will be completing their NAPLAN testing Online.

I would like to thank the P&C for donating money towards transport for the Winter Carnival and the Circus. The Wandering Playgroup also donated \$126 towards the Circus. Unfortunately, due to a timetable clash, the students will not be going to Music Aviv at Williams in Term 3.

Scitech has been booked for Term 3 and will be at the school on the Tuesday, 31 July.

Principal's Award



Well Done Jack.

STARS OF THE WEEK



Congratulations Melanie and Xenia

Principal on Leave

I will be on leave from Friday, 23 June until Monday, 23 July 2018. Pippa Minter will be acting Principal in my absence. I will be heading to the UK for lots of cuddles from our new grandson.

Invitation

Dear parents and grandparents you are invited to attend an oral presentation given by the senior class on Indonesia. The presentation will be on Thursday, 21 June starting at 9:00 a.m. in the STEM room. After the presentation please stay and have a cup of tea.



Circus Incursion

Today the Circus came to school. The students and playgroup children enjoyed the entertainment of the Circus Challenge performer.

After recess the students participated in a circus workshop and learnt many skills like juggling, balancing, and tumberling.

Bulb Planting

The junior class have been bulb planting last week. There will be a lot of colour when spring starts. Keep a close look out and see what flowers bloom.



Yr. 6 Leavers Shirts

The boys are very proud of their shirts. I would like to thank the P&C for donating the leaver's shirts. The cost to the parents was for the printing only.



The Library Lowdown



As the month of May busily passed us by, I'm hoping that you all had a chance to 'Read More', celebrating the Scholastic initiative. Reading with your child at home has so many benefits including providing bonding time, it enriches language and vocabulary, improves concentration and focus, and develops creativity and imagination. How awesome is that? So take at least 10 minutes out of your day, to share a book with your loved ones and reap the rewards.

Leanne Rose – Library Officer

"You can find magic wherever you look. Sit back and relax, all you need is a book." – Dr Seuss

