

South School News

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Principal: Liz Dudley

Term 4 Week 5 - 10/11/2020

Principal's Message

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

What a wonderful, busy and exciting few weeks of learning we have had here at South.

NAIDOC WEEK

This week, we are celebrating NAIDOC Week. The theme this year is 'Always Was, Always Will Be', which recognises that First Nations people have occupied and cared for this continent for over 65,000 years.

This week, students will be engaged in a range of learning activities related to this theme.

Today, as part of our NAIDOC Celebrations, three of our senior Aboriginal students were presented with Proud and Deadly Awards.

Waylon Crowe, Brooklyn Barnes and Jacob Glenn were nominated for their dedication and positive attitude to learning. Congratulations boys.





Book Week

Welcome to another exciting Book Week at South. Mrs Adamson has organised some great experiences for this week including a COVID safe Book fair, virtual incursion with Author Sophie Blackall who is sharing her short-listed book, *Hello Lighthouse* and last but not least concluding the week with the Book Week dress up parade on Friday. The theme for this year is *Curious Creatures, Wild Minds*.

Yr 6 Incursion

Many excited Yr 6 students enjoyed two action packed days learning about Canberra. During their immersion they experienced a virtual visit to the Art Gallery and the War Memorial as well as a visit from Miss Norman and some of her PE students who recreated a visit to the AIS. Huge thanks to Miss Kerry for creating such an amazing incursion.



Yr 4 Depot Excursion

Our Year 4 students, as part of their local history unit visited The Depot last week and took a trip back in time whilst enjoying the wonderful collection of old cars and memorabilia that Neville and Deb Purtill have on display.

Thank you to Mr Sundstrom for organising this event.



Year 3 Island Sanctuary Excursion

Year 3 have been studying
National Parks and local
Indigenous culture throughout
Semester 2. To further consolidate
this learning, they spent a
wonderful informative morning with
Mr Moodie, in the Island
Sanctuary, connecting their
learning in the classroom with real
life experience.



Yr 1 Excursion Altina

The Yr 1 students had a fantastic day visiting the Altina Wild Life Park and enjoying the zoo-fari experience. The students enjoyed getting up close to the animals and learning about their habitats, diet and behaviours.

Thank you to Miss Parsons and Mrs Selleck for ensuring the day was filled with happy memories.

Game Challenger

Last week our two Game
Challenger teams competed in the semi-final round of the competition.
Unfortunately neither team proceeded to the next round but all students participated enthusiastically throughout the day working collaboratively using the design thinking model to create an app that would benefit the community. Thank you to Miss Baker and Miss Sutton.



Yr 5 Ministers Speeches

Nominations for the role of 2021 Minister will close this Thursday so that a timetable for the delivery of speeches can be released this Friday to the candidates.

Speeches are due to the office this Friday.

P&C Meeting

The next P&C meeting is scheduled for next Tuesday, 17th November at 7pm. All participants are asked to RSVP to Heidi Plant, as this meeting will once again be via zoom. hei_deni@hotmail.com

Have a wonderful week!

Liz Dudley Principal

2021 Kinder Orientation

What a wonderful morning was had in the kinder rooms, last Friday as our teaching team welcomed our kindergarten students for 2021.

Our new kinders and their buddies quickly became acquainted and spent a wonderful morning with Mr Morris and Miss Baker.

Session 2: 13th November 9:15-10:45am **Session 3:** 20th November 9:15-10:45am

Intensive Learn to Swim

Our Intensive Learn to Swim program will commence in Week 7. The program will run from 23rd November to 4th December. This year due to COVID restrictions this program is only being offered to our Yr 2 students. Notes will come home this week.

Presentation and Yr 6 Graduation

With the easing of restrictions, I can confirm that the Yr 6 Graduation and Presentation Day will take place. These events will be COVID safe and to that end at the moment remain closed events for our community. As these events are finalised more information will be shared.

Senior Athletics Carnival Results

Results of the Carnival were:

Champion House - Warbreccan
Snr Boy Champion - Liam Ford
Snr Girl Champion - Ava Richards
11yr Boy Champion - Chase Bartlett
11yr Girl Champion - Sarah Duffey
Jnr Boy Champion - Lachie Campbell
Jnr Girl Champion - Bella Hillier
Snr Boy C/Ship Race - Cobi Johnson
Snr Girl C/Ship Race - Ava Richards
Jnr Boy C/Ship Race - Bella Hillier
Snr Boy Field Events - Liam Ford
Snr Girl Field Events - Ava Richards
Jnr Boy Field Events - Talen Barnes
Jnr Girl Field Events - Bella Hillier



ROAR Colouring In Competition

Students from K/1 Fahey, 1 Freeman and 2 Wu were treated to a ROAR session on feelings provided by Jess and Cate from Intereach. The students listened to the story 'The Huge Bag of Worries' and were given a colouring In Competition. Congratulations to the students below who won a bag of goodies.



Fishing For Friends and Golfing with the Stars

Over the past fortnight, two wellbeing programs have been in full operation.

As part of the Fishing for Friends program, a group of Year 3 students have visited Twin Rivers and a group of Year 5 students, Willoughby's beach. During both excursions, there were plenty of bites but, unfortunately no one landed a fish. Hanah Alpen came close, but the Brim wriggled itself off her fishing line, just as she was about to land it on the beach.

Better luck next time, Hanah!

Everyone shared personal fishing stories and had a great time enjoying each others company. Special thanks to Marg Rankin for her insightful information and support.

On Tuesday afternoons, groups of Year 5 and Year 6 students have been visiting the local golf course to enjoy the surrounds and practise their golfing skills. All golfers hit some delightful shots, with some driving over 100 meters off the tee. Well done, boys!

All Year 6 students hit their drives over the water on the 2nd and 4th fairways. Congratulations to Dexter Hardman, Tom Rourke, Tyler Howarth, Jacob Glenn and Sebastian Leech on this achievement.

Both programs will continue in the next fortnight.

Philip Hodgkinson School Chaplain





2020 SCHOOL HARAZINE

Yes, it's that time of year already. We are on the way to producing our School Magazine. We are looking for donations to help keep the costs down. Donations of \$20 or more will ensure you receive a copy of the magazine and your business or family name will appear on the Donation's page in the magazine. If you would like to donate \$20 or more please fill in the slip below and return to school with the money.

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2020 Magazine Donation

☑ Yes I would like to make a donation towards the School Magazine production cost.

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Gold & Silver Awards





Congratulations to Indi Conallin, Hanah Alpen and Lena Seely for successfully completing the MiniLit program. We are so proud of you!



Presentation Perpetual Shields

Could all perpetual shields from the 2019 Presentation Day, please be returned to the office as soon as possible. Thank you.

Assembly Awards				
	Principals Honour Cards	Honour Cards		
K Klim	Charlotte King Bentley Morris	Liam Sutton Chase Dunn Ashton Londrigan		
K/1 Fahey	Pallas East Angus Priest	Cameron Smith Christopher Plant Sabrina Hasan		
1 Freeman	Darci-Lee Thomson Braxton Leetham	Whole Class		
2 Wu	Emily Plant Grace Kelly	Tamra-Leigh Sheridan Kayleah Harvey Christopher Dixon		
3 Alcott	Lara Redden Madison Keel	Danielle Nicholls Lena Seely Seth Fuess Issabel Carroll		
3/4 Gaze	Grace O'Connor Bailey Doncon	Jorja Woolston Sophie Towler Claire Hayes Callan Glenn		
4 Pearson	Ally McKenzie Hannah Reed	Mark Godfrey Mia Hensley Hayden Martin Lachie Campbell		
5 Hoy	Hamish Rhook Amelia Bennett	Hanah Alpen Zara Malin Chase Bartlett Ollie Fuess		
5 Fearnley	Amy Holloway Harry Campbell	Ashleigh Nicholls Sophie Redden Taven Doughty Eliza Hay		
6 Fitzgibbon	Brody Wills Jacob Glenn	Sarah Duffey Landon Daggett Alinta Warren Cobi Johnson		
6 Trickett	Keely Hussey Curtis Astill	Ethan Connolly Liam Ford Tom Rourke Gracie Allitt		

Dates for your Diary - Term 4	
Nov 13th	Book Week Kinder Orientation - Session 2
Nov 20th	Kinder Orientation - Session 3
Dec 8th	Year 6 Graduation
Dec 9th	Platinum Awards Presented
Dec 11th	Presentation Day
Dec 15th	Reports Go Home
Dec 16th	Last Day of School





The Deniliquin South Public School fundraiser recipe book 'the cook book' is almost here! This fantastic A4 recipe book with gloss laminate cover (easily wipes clean) contains 200 pages with more than 300 of your favourite tried and true recipes contributed by students, parents and staff.

biscuits and slices • cakes • desserts • soups • main meals
 salads • sides, starters & snacks... and more!

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Community Notices

School Travel for 2021



applications are now open

Applications for student travel in 2021 opened from Monday 12 October 2020.

Students who require a School Opal card or travel pass for 2021 can now apply online. A new application should be submitted if a student is applying for a school travel pass for the first time or requesting an additional pass as a result of a new shared parental responsibility situation (e.g. joint custody).

Students who have changed school/campus, changed address, repeated a year or received an expiry notification from Transport for NSW for their school travel entitlement should re-apply or update their details.

*Applications must be completed by the student's parent or legal guardian if the student is aged under 16 years. Students 16 years and over must complete the application form themselves.

Where there is a change of distance eligibility based on a student's grade, the system will automatically update a student's entitlement if they meet the new criteria. If they do not meet the new eligibility criteria, they will receive an expiry notification via email.

Students who have an entitlement approved under a medical condition which is due to expire will receive a notification advising them to re-apply.

Term Bus Pass holders will receive a notification to re-apply.

If a student needs to update their information or re-apply, they should go online to https://apps.transport.nsw.gov.au/ssts/updateDetails

Applications need to be submitted before 31 December 2020 to ensure that current student entitlements are updated and their current entitlement/card remains valid. If their application is submitted after 31 December 2020, the system will automatically cancel an entitlement/card and a new one will need to be issued.

Students in the Opal network applying for a SSTS or Term Bus Pass entitlement for the first time will receive their card at their nominated postal address. Cards will be mailed out from January 2021.