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# Flinders News

TERM I WEEK 6 THURSDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2021



**DATES TO REMEMBER:**  "Never stop learning because life never stops teaching" - Kirill Korshikov

#### From the Principal's Desk...

#### Dear parents and caregivers,

The weather was very kind to us for our annual splash day last week! It was a great way to reaffirm the positive relationships staff have been busily building with students and families to start the year.



Governing Council AGM is week 8, Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> March at 5:30pm. At the AGM our 2020 annual report and governing council report will be presented and this will be followed by the election of new members to the 2021 Governing Council. A short meeting will follow to elect the chairperson, treasurer and secretary.

If you are keen to become involved in the school, and would like to be nominated for Governing Council, please contact the front office to express your interest and ensure you attend this meeting. All families are welcome to attend. A crèche will be held in the library for children.

#### Updating parent contact details and emergency contacts

Some of you may have changed your phone number or address over the holiday break. It is really important that we have your current contact information for when we may need to make contact. Please check the student information sheet sent home and update any information that is incorrect before returning to the school.

#### Year 6 & 7 Students to high school parent information

We are planning for the unique departure of our Year 6 & 7 students at the end of this year as Year 7 moves to being taught in a high school setting from 2022. In order to prepare for the move we will be providing parents and students with information throughout the year. Our staff will be focussing on how we construct an environment for students at our school to ensure a successful final year of primary school.

#### **Consent form for Chief Executive approved Early Dismissals**

Every student would have bought home an Early Dismissal consent form to be signed. It is important for this note to be signed and returned to school to give permission for your child to leave school grounds one hour early on the last day of each term. Thank you for your cooperation.



**MONDAY** 8th March



**Update** your contact details

Notices have been sent home. Please check we have the right information.







## Wellbeing Leader - Ange McAuliffe



## "ALL STARS"

# Term 1 Week 6

Students are selected by their teacher and peers to participate in a shared lunch and some free time to acknowledge the great work they have been doing this term.



ROOM 1		
Kaniah Martlew	AS	For increased attendance on time and improved work attitude
Zaida Johnstone	AS	For reaching out to others and helping them
Jimmy Naylon	R	For fantastic attendance and increased participation
ROOM 2		
Chloe Amos	AS	Pushing herself in mathematics
Chloe Miller-Thomas	AS	Growing confidence in class
Azaliah Gentle	R	Showing confidence when contributing to class discussion
ROOM 3		
Jackson Tuip	AS	Continually on task and polite to all his peers & teachers
Denzel Nayda	AS	100% effort and positive attitude towards his learning
Tyzailin Roderick	R	Improved attitudes and work ethic in literacy & numeracy
ROOM 4		
Prem Sandhu	AS	Always ready to learn and participates in all activities
Katie Lee Piper	AS	Demonstrating whole body listening and always has a go
Lahtika Ware	R	Working really hard making sound improvement
ROOM 11		
Reese Butler	AS	For being a fantastic role model for other students in RM 11
Robyn Brady	AS	For always participating in learning and improved attendance
Quorlesha Johnson	R	For treating others the way she would like others to treat her
ROOM 12		
Charley Whittaker	AS	Focused learning behaviours
Spencer Parkinson	AS	Focused learning behaviours
Jermaine Cox	R	Improved focus on his learning
ROOM 18		
Anoeliah Coulthard	AS	Happily attempts all her learning tasks
Sophie Tuip	AS	Treats others as she would like to be treated
Benjamin Pollard	R	Working hard to stay focused during his learning
ROOM 19		
Jassiah Sailor	AS	Working hard in literacy, showing whole body listening
Milee Kay	AS	Working hard in literacy, showing whole body listening
Hailey Bullock-Morgan	R	Working towards whole body listening and not following others



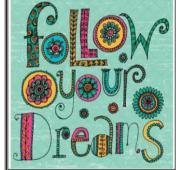
### Words from the Pastoral Care Worker

Here we are, 3 days into Autumn and halfway through the 6th week of the first term already. Time is flying by as we all try to get through our busy schedules and make it to the end of another week.

Now is such an important time for our children to be growing in their creativity and learning new ways to dream, it is our responsibility as adults to guide them in ways that are encouraging and inspiring. The world can be filled with negativity and it can be a lot for our children to navigate through on their own. We need to fill their sponge like minds with words of affirmation and build them up in a way that they feel like they can do anything.

Have fun, loosen up and don't be afraid to share what your dreams may have been when you were their age (even if you didn't go down that path as an adult). Our children look up to us and they need to be reassured that we are behind them and cheer them on along the way.

















This term in History, Room 3 have been watching the ABC Kids series 'My Place' to help with our understandings of how people lived, and how places in Australia have changed and adapted since the 1800's before European settlement. We have discussed and shared our thoughts on child workloads today compared to the 1800's, the use of tools across both eras, as well as how our daily schedules would compare to those of children back in the 1800's.

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