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NEWSLETTER

Week 4 Term 2

21st May 2018

Sports uniform - Tuesdays
Library bags - Fridays

School Day: 9.15am – 3.15pm
lunch: 11.15-12.15pm
recess: 1.40-2.00pm

Term 2 Week 4

- ◇ Robokids # 3: Lego WeDo Tuesday 22 May
- ◇ National Simultaneous Reading online: Wednesday 23 May
- ◇ Crazy Hair/Mufti day: Friday 25 May in support of Stewart House – gold coin donation
- ◇ Orders for Pie/Sausage rolls DUE: Friday 25 May

Term 2 Week 5

- ◇ Robokids # 4: Lego WeDo Tuesday 29 May
- ◇ Numeracy Workshop for parents: Thursday 31 May 9.30-10.30am Connected Classroom
- ◇ Pie & Sausage Roll Lunch: Wednesday 30 May

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Dear Parents and or Caregivers,

Congratulations to the following students who received Merit Awards last week:

K/1	Jessica Darwish Noah
1/2	Louis Matthew
15 Stamp Cards	Sofia Dominic
20 Stamp Cards	Apollo
Playground Merit Certificate	Eoin Jessica Alyssa
Student of the Week	TIG

Thank you

Thank you to Lenore and Louise for selling the cakes last Friday. Thank you also to the parents who kindly listed the ingredients on their cakes. The cake stall is a P&C fundraising activity, but is also a 'treat' for our students. As always, no students miss out on a cake if they should forget their dollar donation. Thank you also to the parents of our students who have dietary requirements and who kindly provide their child with a suitable alternative.

Home School Liaison Officer (HSLO)

The regional Home School Liaison Officer visited out school last week to monitor student attendance. Thank you to Mrs Maclean who runs weekly reports on student attendance and to the teachers who mark our rolls diligently.

It is a timely reminder that students should attend school regularly and be punctual in the mornings as rolls are marked shortly after entering classrooms. If your child is sick/absent please inform the office by telephone, email or written note with the reason for the absence. Schools are required to monitor student attendance.

Last week the regional Work Health and Safety Officer also met with me. The school undertook the Health and Safety reflection tool to formulate our annual plan/timeline. Our school complies with our Health and Safety responsibilities and obligations and will continue to do so.

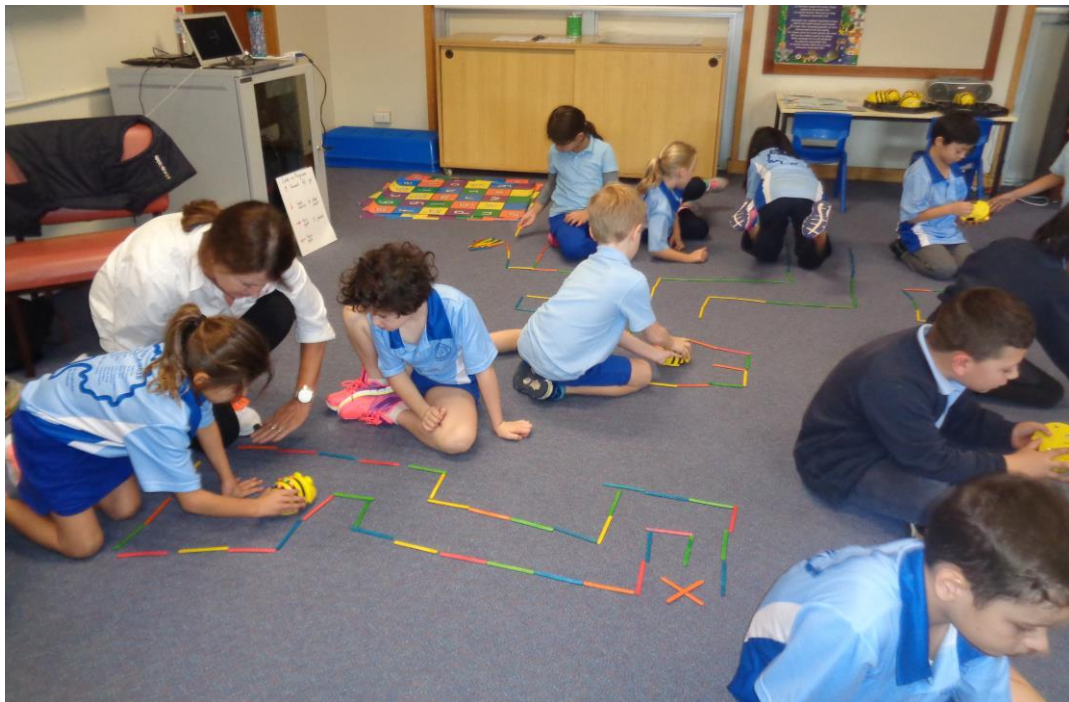
200 Years of Chinese Migration to Australia 1818-2018

Last night it was my pleasure to attend the commemoration of 200 years of Chinese Migration to Australia at the Sydney Town Hall. Congratulations to Miranda who sang at the event.

Term 2 Week 4

Robokids # 3: Tuesday 22 May

Students will be learning Lego WeDo in this robotics coding session. Thank you to the parents who have already participated in the focus groups and responded to the Survey Monkey online.



National Simultaneous Reading: Wednesday 23 May

National Simultaneous Storytime is held annually online across schools to encourage young Australians to read and enjoy quality picture books. It promotes the value of reading, visual literacy and creative and creative thinking using this year's Australian children's book *Hickory Dickory Dash* by Tony Wilson and Laura Wood.



Stewart House fund raiser – mufti Crazy Hair Day: Friday 25 May

Each year the school supports Stewart House in a variety of ways. Stewart House is a live-in facility which supports public school students to have a complete physical and educational check-up at no expense to their families. This year, as well as having our two used clothing collections, we are also having a crazy hair and mufti (normal, sun-safe clothes) day in support of Stewart House. Please spray or gel your child's hair **at home** before coming to school. We request a gold coin donation on the day, in support of Stewart House.

Orders due for our Pie/Sausage Roll Day: Orders due by Friday 25 May

Term 2 Week 5

Numeracy workshop for parents: Thursday 31 May @9.30am

You are welcome to attend a Numeracy workshop given to provide information on the developmental levels of 'Counting as a problem solving activity' or the Early Arithmetical Strategies that students use when adding and subtracting. This session is purely informative. It will be held in the Connected Classroom on Thursday 31 May at 9.30-10.30am.

Pie and Sausage roll lunch: Wednesday 30 May **CASH ONLY Orders due:** Friday 25 May

On Wednesday 30 May our students are given the opportunity to have pies and sausage rolls for lunch. This is a voluntary activity. Parents/caregivers decide whether your child participates.

The order form is at the end of this newsletter. **Small pies for \$1.70 (you may order more than one) and large sausage rolls for \$3.00 are available.** Please send your order note and money in a brown paper bag with your child's name on it, so distribution to students is easier. **CASH ONLY** – as monies are paid directly to the baker.

Thank you to Sharon and Lenore for collecting the food from the baker and then bagging the food for the children. We would like to have orders back by **Friday 25 May** – as they have to be ordered with the baker on **Monday 28 May**.

PIE AND SAUSAGE ROLL DAY –30 MAY

PLEASE RETURN WITH MONEY IN A BROWN PAPER BAG – BY Friday 25 MAY

Child's Name: _____ Class: _____

I would like _____ small pie/s (\$1.70 each) I would like _____ sausage roll/s (\$3.00)

CASH ONLY PLEASE I enclose \$_____ in a brown paper bag for his or her lunch.