

Kalinda School Newsletter

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Week 7 Term 3, 2018

Wednesday 5th September 2018



Last Friday we had many dads, grandads and other visitors at our school to celebrate Father's Day. It was lovely to see so many excited faces. The students thoroughly enjoyed baking brownies and cupcakes for our visitors.

This week is School Administration and Support (SAS) Staff Recognition Week, a time to acknowledge and thank the often unsung heroes in our public schools. Our SAS staff play an important role in the school community. They are often the first people you see when you enter a school and are essential to maintaining positive relationships with our students, parents and the community. SAS staff at Kalinda School work in the office, classrooms and maintain and care for our school grounds and buildings and ensure the efficient management of our school financial and administration functions. Our school celebrated on Monday morning by inviting our SAS staff to breakfast before school. Many thanks to Julie M, Meg, Sue, Lesley, Anj, Brydie, Julie S, Carol, Adrian, Demi, Danielle and Jo who are all valued staff members at Kalinda School.

We would like to congratulate Aidden Connors who entered to Prose section at Leeton Eisteddfod. Aidden entered via video and was awarded First Place. Well done, Aidden!

Staffing change in the office: Julie Minato is on sick leave for the next few weeks. In her absence Meg Savage will be taking on the role as School Administration Manager, Monday – Thursday and Racquel Pattison will step in to take on Meg's role as School Administration Officer, Tuesday – Friday. We wish Julie a speedy recovery and look forward to her return.

Positive Behaviour for Learning:

Our Values Award this week was presented to Aidden Connors for displaying respect across the school.

Congratulations to PBL raffle winners this week, Patricia, Jarrel and Aidden C who have been displaying one of our 3 school values; Respectful, Responsible, Inclusive.



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Swimming Program Term 4: We are once again going to be offering all students without a Hydrotherapy Plan Swimming lessons in Term 4. As in Term 1, the school will be subsidising the cost of these lessons reducing the cost to families from \$135 to \$50 for 10 lessons. We do not wish for any child to miss out on these educational lessons and will assist families who are experiencing financial difficulty. If you would like support please contact the office.

Proud and Deadly Awards: We would like to extend an invitation to everyone in our community to attend the Proud and Deadly Awards at Griffith High School, in their hall, on Wednesday 12th September commencing at 10:30am.

Raffle Tickets: Our P&C are continuing with their outstanding fundraising efforts through a Movie Night and Raffle. We ask that you support our small yet dedicated and hard working P&C by selling these raffle tickets and return them as soon as possible. Don't forget that you can also come along and watch the movie Christopher Robin as a fundraiser evening. This is a Disney Movie is family friendly. Tickets are on sale from the school office \$20 each or 4 tickets for \$70.

Kalinda School P & C Assoc.
Movie Night Fundraiser



Where: Griffith City Cinema
When: Thursday, 13th September 2018
Time: 6.30pm
Cost: \$20 per ticket or 4 tickets for \$70
Tickets available from Kalinda School Office



Kalinda School P & C Assoc. Inc

Movie Night Raffle \$2.00 per ticket



- 1st Prize** – Samsung Galaxy Tablet with WiFi & Cellular (valued at \$456) donated by Telstra Store, Griffith
- 2nd Prize** – Alpha-H gift pack (valued at \$100) donated by Boheme Beauty
- 3rd Prize** - \$50 gift voucher from Christine Badoco Massage therapist
- 4th Prize** – Small round cake or goods to the value of donated by Vaccari's Bakery

Raffle Drawn- Thursday, 13th September 2018

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Malachite News

We have two new faces in Malachite.

Welcome to our friends Jarrel and Loli.



This term we have been learning about mini-beasts.

Malachite students took advantage of the lovely weather to go on a Mini-Beast hunt and take care of the school's new fruit trees.



During mathematics lessons this term, we have been playing shop and practicing our money skills.



Malachite has been doing cooking lessons on Tuesdays. We practice reading a recipe and following instructions. For Father's Day, Malachite a Ruby worked together to make some delicious cupcakes.

GREAT TEAMWORK!



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Kalinda School Planner 2018

	Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat/Sun
September	7	3 School Administrative & Support Staff Recognition Week P&C Meeting 7pm	4	5 Super Hero Day Gold coin donation Assembly 2:40pm	6 Student Banking	7	8/9
September	8	10 Book Week @ Kalinda School Theme is 'Find Your Treasure'	11	12 Learning Support Team Meeting 9:30am Proud and Deadly Awards GHS 10:30am	13 Student Banking P&C Movie Premier Night Fundraiser @Griffith City Cinema 6.30pm	14 Dress up as your favourite book character or for the Book Week Theme 'Find Your Treasure' Year 10 & 11 students present leader speeches to students	15/16
September	9	17	18	19 Assembly 2:40pm – School Leaders 2019 Announcement Review meetings Camp Yrs 5 - 8	20 Student Banking Camp Yrs 5 - 8	21 Camp Yrs 5 – 8	22/23
September	10	14	25	26 AECG Meeting GPS 2pm Swimming Carnival in Wagga Wagga	27 Student Banking Rewards Day for Term 3	28	29/30
October	School Holidays						
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October	1	15 Students and staff commence Term 4	16	17	18 Student Banking	19	20/21
October	2	22 Year 12 at Invictus Games in Sydney this week	23	24 P&C Carers Week Afternoon Tea in Library at 2pm Assembly 2:40pm	25 Student Banking	26	27/28
October	3	29	30	31 Year 7 Vaccinations AECG Meeting 2pm at GPS Athletics Carnival Wagga Wagga	1 Student Banking	2	3/4
November	4	5	6 Melbourne Cup Day	7	8	9	10/11 Remembrance Day (Sunday)

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