

# The Sir Henry Parkes Memorial

## PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



LEARNING SAFETY RESPECT

Term 2 Week 5 2019



### Brainstorm Show

Yesterday our students enjoyed participating in the interactive show—‘The Human Race’, presented by Brainstorm Productions. A short clip from the show is on our FB page.

The show is an **anti bullying** and **resilience** program for primary schools that reinforces **positive relationships**, and provides resources to **help reduce the incidence of bullying** at school and online. It encourages **tolerance, kindness, respect** and **empathy**.

### Principal Awards

Congratulations to Cooper W, Maya and Zoe—who each received a Principal Award at last week’s assembly for exceptional manners and citizenship. Cooper has been caring for others in his classroom and Zoe and Maya showed initiative and cleaned up our playground last week.

Well done kids!

Principal’s Awards are awarded to students who have been nominated by members of staff, other students or community members.

### SRC Social

Mark Wednesday June 12 on your calendars—we will be holding a school social on this date.

We will be holding a K-2 social, followed by a 3-6

social. Times and costs are to come.

The theme is BLUE.

Have a great week ahead!

*Miss Anna Starcevic*

Principal

### School Banking

Our school participates in the Commbank School Banking Program. It is an easy way for your children to learn valuable money skills. Throughout the year, if your child banks with School Banking, they will be encouraged to develop strong saving habits and be rewarded for demonstrating regular saving behaviour.

The front foyer has a display showing incentives for your child to bank with Commbank.



## Girls Cricket PSSA Knockout Competition

A huge congratulations to Kyanne, Elly P, Mikayla, Jessica, Matilda, Adele, Beth, Ellie, Annabelle, Annie and Olivia for their tremendous effort on Thursday. The team played Mullumbimby Public School at Shirley Park. We batted first, with the girls scoring 131 runs with only 3 out. Special mention to Matilda, Kyanne, Adele, Olivia and Annie for scoring individual runs. Elly P even managed a four! When it was time to bowl the girls ensured their aim was straight down the pitch. Only allowing 93 runs, they bowled out three opponents and caught/run out another four. Well done Beth and Elly P for teaming up to get the first opposition out. Kyanne did an excellent job in captaining the team and keeping the spirits high. The girls showed excellent teamwork and sportsmanship, representing the school with pride.

Of course the day could not have gone ahead so smoothly without the excellent umpiring of Alan Donges, assisted by David Fowler. A huge thank you to the Fowler family for transporting equipment to the park and all the other parents who came to support their children. Your support encouraged the girls to perform their best on the day. The girls now travel on to verse Wee Waa Public School. Location and date for the next game is not yet set. Good luck girls in the next round!

**Jen Givens—Girls Cricket Coordinator**



### THIS WEEK'S POSTIVE BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING LESSON (PBL)

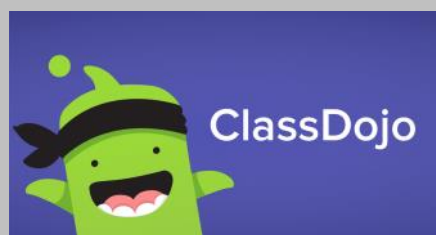
### PBL Term 2 Week 5



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This week in our PBL lesson we focused on safety. We reinforced that we always keep our hands, feet, body and other objects to ourselves. This is important so that we don't hurt or upset anybody. Everybody deserves to feel safe when they are at school.

We remind ourselves and each other to always meet our three core values of learning, safety and respect every day. If we do the right things, we may get rewarded with Class Dojo's.





# Warabas



The end of Term 1 and the start of Term 2 have been extremely busy in the Warabas room. We have had many great opportunities including camp, Careers Day at THS, Oracles of the Bush, a STEM Day, GRIP Leadership Conference, presenting our assembly item as well as many sport trials and

knockout games.

This term we are working on the concept of representation in English, number talks in Maths, space in Science, the Gold Rush in History, music in Creative Arts as well as continuing our Bounce Back and PBL lessons.



We are looking forward to continuing with our sporting activities as well as additional opportunities such as debating public speaking and preparation for the eisteddfod.

## Northern New England Cross Country

On Friday May 24 forty two TSHPMPS students, two staff members and a dedicated band of parents travelled to the Glen Innes Standing Stones for the Northern New England PSSA Cross Country event. We were lucky to have a gorgeous autumn day with clear skies and warm weather, suited excellently for long distance running.

As participants and parents walked the 2km and 3km courses at 9:30am it became clear for everyone that it would be quite a challenging event with many steep hills and portions of uneven ground to navigate.

Our students displayed great determination, enthusiasm and resilience to complete the course. I was proud to see the students give every effort on the day and to happily support other competitors.

Many of our students placed in the top six in their age group which is a credit to the hard work and practice they have put into cross country this year.

The next event will be the North West Schools Association Cross Country which will be held in Mullaley at Mullaley Public School on Friday June 14. The top 6 place getters from the NNE carnival will be nominated for this event and will be given a permission note early in week 5.

Many thanks go to Jane Lawrence from GIPS for organising the event, the GIPS P&C for catering, parents on the day.

Mark Hurtz

TSHPMPS Sports Coordinator.

NNE Cross Country top six place getters in each age group are as follows:

12/13yr old girls 1st-Sahri 3rd- Elly 4th- Myiekah 5th- Jessica	11yr old girls 3rd- Matilda 4th- Annabelle 5th- Elizabeth	11yr old boys 3rd- Thomas 4th- Max
10 year old boys 5th - Cooper	8/9yr old girls 2nd- Pippa 3rd- Allira 4th- Cadence 6th- Lucy-Anna	8/9yr old boys 3rd Ryan 5th Flynn



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# You heard it straight from the Dhinawans...

... a collection of things we are enjoying this year.

I liked learning about eggs and bees and my 3 best friends are Bailee and Mrs Duff and Ellie-May. I love school.

Lucinda

I am enjoying my work in the class. I am enjoying playing with my friends.

Kyeisha

I like to do Look Say Cover Write Check.

Kinta

I like having my friends in my class.

Riley L.

I enjoy being at school because we do sport and are learning everything. I also like computers and Study Ladder.

Cadence

I enjoyed NAPLAN and having Mrs Duff as a teacher.

Annie

I love school because my two friends are Lucinda and Ellie-May.

Bailee

I have enjoyed playing rugby league and being with my friends.

William

I am looking forward to camp.

Kurt

I like having Mrs Duff as a teacher.

Ryan

I like learning about using cursive writing.

Annabelle

The thing I enjoy about this year is Seasons for Growth and a new teacher and my friends!

Riley B.

I like that I am getting more learning done.

Emakii

I've been enjoying handwriting.

Tash

I enjoy having Mrs Duff as a teacher.

Ellie-May

I like that we have tons of technology and sport.

Declan

I enjoy Maths and being in Seasons for Growth.

Jacob

I am enjoying Study Ladder, sport and having Mrs Duff as a teacher.

Eric

I like that we play handball and use technology at school.

Toby

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### TERM 2 School Planner and Canteen Information

Week/ Month	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 5 May	27	28	29	30	31
Week 6 June	3	4 Armajun Dental Screening	5	6 Assembly 12:00pm PSSA netball— Armidale	7 <b>RED Day— Salvation Army</b> NW netball trials—Tamworth
Week 7 June	10 <b>QUEENS BIRTHDAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY</b>	11	12 School Social Theme: BLUE	13	14
Week 8 June	17	18 P&C Meeting 5:30pm	19	20 Assembly 12:00pm	21 School Athletics Carnival—Fed Park
Week 9 June	24	25	26	27	28

## NEXT ASSEMBLY

DATE: Thursday June 6

TIME: 12:00pm

Class item: Balabalaas

### Winter School Music Program (Beat of the Bush)

If your child is applying for the Winter School Music Program (Beats of the Bush) over the July holiday break in Tenterfield please be advised that the promotional code to access the reduced registration cost is WINTERKODALY (in capitals).

## NEXT P&C MEETING

DATE: Tuesday June 18

TIME: 5:30pm

**EVERY  
SCHOOL DAY  
COUNTS**

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### Canteen Roster for Term 2

Month	Wednesday 29	Thursday 30	Friday 31
May	Rachel Brown		Nicole Arnold
	Monday 3	Tuesday 4	Wednesday 5
June			Candice Potter

### Homebake for Term 2

Monday 3	Angela Kerrigan
Wednesday 5	Jen Donadel
Friday 7	Bonnie Zappa

### Canteen Donations for Week 6

Cruskits	Jen King
Tomato Sauce	Sam Anderson
Block Cheese	Angela Kerrigan
Margarine	Robyn Hillier

## WEDNESDAY'S MEAL DEAL

### "Rolling On"

A chicken and gravy roll

Or

A beef and gravy roll

Or

A sausage roll

with a popper and a chocolate cream sponge roll

\$6.00

NO OTHER CHOICES.



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