

Ingle Farm Primary School Newsletter

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MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

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Diary Dates:

Tuesday 27th November

STEM Excursion Rooms 18 and 20

Wednesday 28th November

Ladies of Variety Xmas Party Rooms 16 and W5

Thursday 29th November

End of Year Concert

Friday 30th November

School Closure

Thursday 6th December

Movie Excursion Reception, Years 1 and 2

Monday 10th December

Aqua Splash Excursion Rooms 1, 4, 14, 15, 18 and 20

Wednesday 12th December

Year 7 Graduation

Keep up to date with the
Ingle Farm Community!

Skoolbag 
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Dear Families

Our annual End of Year Concert is fast approaching. We are aware the possible strike proposed by the Australian Education Union is the same date, however even if this affects our school, it will only be a half day and the Concert will go ahead. We also have a team of students heading to Victoria Square for the Kick Start breakfast from 7am. This event will also go ahead regardless of the outcome of the teacher vote for the strike.

Teachers are currently working on class placement for 2019. Thank you for your feedback forms to support this process. Student placements will come home with student reports on the final day of the school term. Students will have an opportunity to visit their new learning space in the last week, so they can have time to meet their peer group for the new school year. We will have a number of new teachers beginning next year and we hope to have all staffing finalised before the end of term. We are also planning a change in class configurations. As you know our school is rich with diversity and we have looked at ways to provide more opportunities for our students to work together in their shared year levels. In 2019 all students in Years Reception to Year 2 will be in the Pink Unit (building 2). Year 6/7 students will be in the Blue Unit (building 1). Years 3 - 6 students will be in the Green Unit (building 6). This will combine students across our site for daily learning and interactions. This will make for an action packed end of term. All families will receive class locations with their placement details in reports.

I also wanted to let you know our website is currently being upgraded. We have basic information available during this transition period however keep your eye on our Facebook Page and Skool Bag app for news and communication. We thank you for your patience.

I look forward to seeing those of you who can join us at assembly on Friday and especially at our Concert Thursday 29th November. Hopefully you have the chance to enjoy a sleep in Friday 30th November on our Student Free Day. If not there are still spaces available at OSHC.

Warm Regards



Vanessa Mortimer
(Principal)

Respect

Honesty

Persistence

PE News

Our Years 3 to 6 students that took part in the before school basketball clinics put their skills to the test last week to celebrate Health and Physical Education Week. They joined Para Hills West, East Para and Pooraka Primary Schools at the Ingle Farm Recreation Centre for our very first Partnership Basketball Cup Carnival.

Congratulations to all players for their efforts on and off the courts. Teams represented our School Values and good sportsmanship with 3 of our 6 teams bringing home the trophy cups for their age groups. Congratulations to players that won awards for outstanding sportsmanship- Kate L., Samantha T., Jayden P., Adhil F., and Dylan F. Thank you to our Ingle Farm families who came out to support our players and teams.



Thank you to Mr Mark Gibson who continues to volunteer his time before school to work with a group of students in the Japanese form of self-defence- Aikido, and to Miss Crishel Bauer who held Wednesday morning netball sessions over 4 weeks.

In other exciting news, our school was acknowledged as one of 50 high achieving schools in the Premier's be active Challenge for 2018. Jasmine C. from Reception and Khyle L. from Year 4/5 attended a special ceremony to accept an award and monetary grant from the Premier and the Minister on behalf of our school. Congratulations to all participants for achieving such a successful outcome.

Stay active,
The Physical Education Team.



Our Reception, Year 1 and 2 classes also celebrated Health and Physical Education Week. They hip-hopped with Sara from MissFit to master a modern dance.

Library News



Congratulations to all our students who participated in the 2018 Premier's Reading Challenge. This year 77% of our students completed the challenge and they have now received their Certificates and Medals.

Seven of our students completed the challenge for each year they have attended Primary School. At assembly on Friday they will receive a 'Reader for Life 8 Years' certificate and a book they have each chosen.



Colour Fun Run

In week 2 we had a whole school Colour Fun Run.

We wore white t-shirts and ran through different obstacles whilst being showered in a rainbow of different colours! We had a special lunch and ice blocks at the end of the run to cool off! All the students and staff thoroughly enjoyed the very colourful day!



Rooms 18 and 20 Mini Carnival

This term, as part of our Business and Economics learning, the Year 7 Students in Room 18 & 20 hosted a Mini Carnival event, where students were required to run a stall and earn a profit. The students had to plan their budget, looking at their expenses, with the aim of making a profit. They worked extremely hard to produce a fantastic event. Students, from across the school, came down to participate and left with smiles on their faces. Some stalls that the students ran included: Whack-a-Mohammed, Hole in One, Enchanted Drawings, Sweet Blooms, Sugar Rush, Cotton 'n' Pop, Face Painting, Slime and Oh Crackers. The students were very successful, raising a significant amount of money which we are using to have an end of school celebration. We hope you all enjoyed our Mini Carnival!



SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY NEWS

Please be reminded that School Fees for 2018 are now OVERDUE.

Part-payment plans are available from Narelle in the Front Office.

Please bring your account up to date ASAP to avoid Debt collection.



School Canteen

Manager: Dani Flower
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Opening Times:

Monday to Friday
9:00am to 1:30pm



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After School Care: 2:45pm to 6:00pm

Vacation Care: 7:00am to 6:00pm

