

## ESCHOL PARK PUBLIC SCHOOL

# The Grapevine

#### Term 3 Week 8

Dear Parents and carers

The next two weeks will be busy so please ensure you put a copy of this newsletter in an obvious place so you don't miss anything.

#### Leaders for 2021

On Monday a very large group of year 5 students gave their initial speeches to the stage 3 students for them to vote for the 10 leadership team members. Congratulations for standing up and giving fine speeches.

The ten members of the Leadership team for 2021 are: Ava G, Claire W, Grace B, Kayleigh C, Krystal V, Logan G, Ashton H, Brenden D, Jake P and Sacha C.

Congratulations to these students. These students will give their speech to the Years 2-5 students this Friday. After these speeches the Yrs 2-5 students will vote for the Captains and Vice Captains from this group.

#### Silver BBQ

#### Monday 30 November 2020

Ninety excited children attended the Silver Award BBQ. A special thank you is extended to Mr Leonard (our GA) for cooking up so many sausages!

#### Gold Morning Tea Monday 7 December

Invitations will be given out this week to the children who have earned their Gold Award and have traded in their Silver awards. Unfortunately, parents of Gold Award Winners are not able to attend this special event this year.

#### Party Day: Let Loose Day - 9 December 2020

This year our Party Day will be a little different for the senior students who normally leave the school grounds for the day. This year all students K-6 will remain at school for a 'Let Loose Day' which includes fabulous good fun activities run by the Be Skilled Be Fit Company, Pizza Lunch and a movie.

Notes & Money due Friday 4/12/200

#### **Reports and Interviews**

The teachers are putting the finishing touches to the Semester 2 reports which will be sent home on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2020.

Teachers have been continually contacting parents over the last two terms when there have been learning or behaviour concerns concerning children in their classes. Teachers also spent countless hours contacting and guiding parents and students during COVID school closure time and then to those children who did not return until last term.

If you would like to discuss your child's progress with the class teacher, please send in a note to the teacher requesting this and outlining at least three times they can have a phone interview with you.

#### Reminder

Due to COVID restrictions and the requirement that we keep everyone safe, children are not to bring in cakes, lollies or even sealed lolly bags, cookie bags etc for birthdays. Children are also NOT permitted to give other children Christmas candy canes nor stick them to Christmas Card envelopes.

As we are not permitted to use the school bubblers, all children need to bring their <u>own water bottle</u> to school. During the recent horrible heat wave we had children with no bottles at school. We have run out of the huge box of disposable cups that we bought.

#### SCHOOL PLANNING INFORMATION

The last day of school for students is **WEDNESDAY 16 December 2020**.

The staff have completed time in lieu for the two professional learning days that are scheduled for 17 and 18 December 2020. They have remained at school on four occasions until 6.30pm completing various learning activities and evaluative projects.

There will be no staff (teaching or office) at school on these two days.

Mrs K Masciocchi Principal



## Dates for your diary

#### DEC

7 Gold Morning Tea

9 Party Day "Let Loose Day"

10 Year 6 Farewell

Presentation DayFarewell Arch and Special Yr 6Assembly @ 2pm

**16** Last day of student attendance for 2020

School resumes in 2021 on FRIDAY 29 January for students in Years 1-6. Kindergarten students start on Monday 1 February.



Remembrance Day

### Learning Awards



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**KW** Lynkan L, Casey K Haya A

**K/1P** Indie J Nicholas P

1/2C Darine B, Harry D Chad B

**1/2M** Omar S Ava F

1/2S Isabella B, Sisita F Ben P, Alexander E

2/3H Janan Z, Charlotte S Timothy F

3/4G Noah M Cadence F

3/4K Marlon H, Tyler L Ruqayyah S

**3/4N** Jamil H Aaliyah F

**4/5M** Adam A

**4/5S** Jack B, Cooper S Bianca D

**5/6B** Bryson R, Rokya A Junaid P

**5/6H** Maddison W, Carolana S

Mathew C

**5/6J** Zoe M, Aisha F Keisha J

### Awards: Positive Behaviour In our School playground

These awards are given to the students who display manners, friendliness and good sportsmanship on the playground during recess and lunch. These awards are counted as part of the trade up system. The tear off strips are placed in a special box each week and 6 are drawn out each Friday to receive an ice block voucher at the canteen.

Week 6: Unus 1/2M, Anisha 3/4K, Henry 1/2M, Aysha 1/2M, Ammar 1/2S, Georgia 5/6H

Week 7: Hunter 1/2S, Musab 1/2S, Paul 5/6B, Elyse 3/4K, Ishaan KM, Ashleigh 5/6J



## TRUTH QUALITY CARE AWARDS TERM 4 WEEK 6

Blake W, Jade L, Ariel H, Sapphire A, Lucas R, Israel E, Lillian M, Joshua H, Harry M, Aysha S, Abigail S, Summer A, Jhovana J, Taani F, Yasmeen P & Kayleigh C

#### **GOLD AWARDS**

Term 4 Week 6

Congratulations to the following students who have achieved their Gold Awards:

Miranda H, Bryson R, Dylan A, Meila L, Chloe A

## **Stage Gathering Award Winners**







Stage 2 Learning Awards & Truth Quality Care Awards





Stage 3 Learning Awards & Truth Quality Care Awards

## Visual Arts Awards: Term 4 Week 6 Winners









#### A massive thankyou to the businesses below that donated to our P&C Xmas Raffle for 2020















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