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Term 4, Week 5, 2024

## UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER

Week 5	School Dentist Visit
Week 5	Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> November Sports Day School day ends at 2:05 Community welcome!
Week 5	Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> November School Closure Day
Week 6	Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> November Pupil Free Day
Week 7	Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> November Portfolio Nunga Graduation 4:00pm
Week 7	Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> to Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> November Year 5/6 Wirraway Camp
Week 8	Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> December Year 6 Transition Visit to Playford International College
Week 9	Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> December Year 6 Graduation
Week 9	Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> December School Year Finishes Early Dismissal 1:05pm

### Year 5/6 Camp

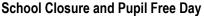
In Week 7 our year 5 and 6 students head to Wirraway for a 2-night camp.
All payments need to be finalised ASAP.

Students who have not paid in full are not able to attend camp, so we ask that this is paid as soon as possible.

### PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

We are looking forward to seeing as many of you as possible at Sports Day this week. The children are all so excited to share the day with you. Come in team colours to join in with the fun and wear your running shoes to take part in the tug a war and sprint at the end!



As per our usual structure, our Sports Day will be followed by a School Closure Day on Friday and a Pupil Free Day on Monday. We hope that this extra-long weekend of rest gives our students the energy burst they need to maximise their concentration for the remainder of the term. Teachers will use this time to work on student reports and we will complete our 2024 annual review and 2025 improvement planning.

### Class Structures 2025

Our class structure across the school will remain the same for 2025, with the only exception of starting the year with two reception classes and adding a third in for the mid- year intake.

Reception – Room 18	Reception – Room 19
Reception (mid-year)- Room 20	Year 1 – Room 21
Year 1/2 - Room 4	Year 1- Room 5
Year 3/4 – Room 1	Year 2/3 – Room 2
Year 2/3- Room 3	
Year 4/5 – Room 12	Year 4/5 – Room 13
Year 5/6 – Room 14	Year 5/6 – Room 16

Students will be notified of their 2025 classroom and teacher through a note that will be sent out with reports on Tuesday of week 9. This will be followed by a transition visit to their new classrooms on Wednesday afternoon of Week 9. If you know of students in the community intending to enrol, please encourage those families to do so as soon as possible.

### **Christmas Raffle**

We are still collecting donations from local businesses and families to contribute to our three special hampers that are currently being raffled. Ticket books have been sent home and are due back by Wednesday the 11th of December. The raffle will be drawn on Friday the 13th of December. Please see Cher or Kerry if you need more ticket books.

Kind Regards, Julie Brown, School Principal



# Year 6 Aquatics

On Friday of Week 2 our year 6 students, along with Mr Koenig, Mrs Johnson, Mrs B, Jeanette and Emma travelled to West Lakes Aquatic Centre for a day on the water with a variety of activities including kayaking, surfing, sail boating and canoeing. The weather was perfect, and all students had a great time, with many laughs and memories made throughout the day













### Instrumental Music Performance

On Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> November our instrumental music students held a performance at the Shedley Theatre. Accompanied by Ms Craig, all students showed their school values and were part of an





Please dismount your bike or scooter when entering the school grounds

### **Lions Hearing Dogs**

Recently Ms Craig organised for the Lions Hearing Dog
Program to bring in a puppy in training to show some of our
students what they can do and how they are trained. The
students enjoyed seeing them respond to different
commands and alarms.





Australian Dental Foundation

Healthy smile tip #2

### Supervise

Supervise your child's brushing until age 7-8 for proper dental care or until they can tie their own shoelaces.

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### **Breakfast Club**

Every school day our site hosts breakfast club. Mrs Rigney, along with guests from Kickstart for Kids and social work students, welcome students from 8am until 8:45am in the library kitchen. Students can choose to have toast or cereal for breakfast before they start their learning.



