ObstAcool Course - change of date

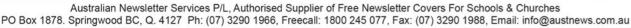
The new date for the ObstAcool course will be on Thursday 25th July 2019. Children are welcome to still collect sponsors until Wednesday 24th July.

There are some great prizes to be won on the day.



These advertisers support us, please support them









Issue 10

Dear parents and carers,

It is hard to believe this is the last week of Term 2! It has been a great term and the students have worked hard in all areas of learning.

Obstacool Fun Run Postponed

Due to bad weather, the 'Obstacool' Fun Run was postponed and will now be held Week 1 of Term 3, on Thursday 25 July. Fingers crossed the weather is kind to us for our second attempt.

NAIDOC Celebrations

The official NAIDOC week this year is during the school holidays. In light of this, Smithfield PS will celebrate NAIDOC next term on Monday 5 August. Please keep an eye out for further information, regarding the day's organisation, closer to the event.

Reports will go home this Wednesday. I am impressed with the level of effort and progress students across the school are demonstrating, which is reflected in their reports. Please take the time to read through your child/ren's reports with them. Praise them for their efforts and discuss their future learning goals for next semester. As mentioned in the last newsletter, Parent-Teacher interviews will be held early in Term 3 where parents and teachers will discuss student goals for Semester 2. Stage 2 and 3 students are encouraged to attend the interview with their parents. Notes regarding booking an interview using the online system will go home at the beginning of Term 3.

Term 3

Teachers return on Monday 22 July. On this day, teachers will participate in professional learning on new syllabus documents. Students return on Tuesday 23 July.

School Plan in Action

As promised, below is the next School Plan in Action instalment. This week I will explain process three, 'Provide opportunities for students to engage in a range of creative and academic activities,' from Strategic Direction 1: Students Learning.

Smithfield PS offers a range of extra curricula activities including; dance groups (including cultural dance), sporting teams, skipping, chess club, drama club, coding and robotics, gardening group, choir, university academic competitions, Tournament of Minds, book club, boot camp, Playground Busters, buddy programs, Student Representative Council, debating, etc. This year, teachers will evaluate the effectiveness of these programs in developing a sense of belonging for students. They will also survey students to see what sort of activities they would like to have offered at the school in the future.

Extra-curricular activities play an important role in developing a sense of belonging and increasing student self-worth and confidence. I suggest all parents encourage their children to participate in a variety of extra-curricular activities.

I would like to wish all students and families a safe and happy holidays. Enjoy the time with your families and I look forward to seeing you all next term.

Regards

Jodi Harris **Relieving Principal**



1st July 2019



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Bronze					
Trisha	2K	Moto	2S	Savannah	1/2W
Emilie	2K	Lendra	2S	Jezil	1/2B
Alvino	2K	Zain	2S	Bebo	1/2B
Emaad	2K	Oleevya	2S	Elyas	1/2B
Muhammad	2K	Veronica	2S	Natalee	1/2B
Mariana	2K	Helina	1/2W	Sherbel	1/2B
Pebbles	2K	Danny	1/2W	Helen	1/2B
Ryan	1/2ME	Zachary	1/2W	Gemmy-Lee	11
Ashley	1/2ME	Andro	1/2W	Reemas	1L
acob	1/2ME	Tayla	1/2W	John	1L
saac	1/2ME	Diana	1/2W	Ashur	1J
Dzenan	1/2ME	Chloe	1/2W	Henry	1J
Maison	1/2ME	Hussein	1/2W	Reynalda	1J
Eden	1/2ME	Ali	1/2W	Reynalda	13
		Caleb	1L		
		Mia	1L		
		Ethan	1J		

Aboriginal Gardening Club

John, Adam, Kobi, Oshana, Lazar, Gemmy-Lee, Ivy and Zahlya are involved in the development of Smithfield Public School's Aboriginal Gardening Club. They have been doing an amazing job at planting, weeding, watering and looking after the garden beds near the demountables, during their lunch time, twice a week. Well done! We would like to take this opportunity to thank our parent helper, Tricia Murphy, who took part in the launch of the gardening club.





SCHOOL DATES TO REMEMBER

2/07/2019 3-6 Rewards Day- class movie middle session 4/07/2019 Stage 2 Excursion - Kurnell 4/07/2019 Stage 1 Art Expo 5/07/2019 School Assembly 22/07/2019 Staff Development day 23/07/2019 Students return for term 3 1/08/2019 PJ Disco 5/08/2019 NAIDOC Celebration 6/08/2019 School Athletics Carnival

We are now taking Preschool and Kindergarten enrolments for 2020. Enrolments can be collected from the front office. Please ensure you bring your child's immunisation history statement from Medicare, birth certificate or passport and proof of address.

PROFESSIONAL LEARNING FOR TEACHERS

3/07/2019	Write, Know, Teach
3/07/2019	Support Unit Planning Day
3/07/2019	Grammar and Teaching
4/07/2019	Stage 3 Planning Day
23/07/2019	PBL Meeting
31/07/2019	Write, Know, Teach
31/07/2019	Grammar and Teaching 4-6
7/08/2019	Grammar and Teaching4-6

Congratulations

		Avery	КС
Audrey	K/1N	Rachel	КС
Penny	K/1N	Tyara	КС
Eva	K/1N	Reeleen	КС
Mehdi	K/1N	Emaan	КС
Alan	K/1N	Miranda	KMA
Aurelien	K/1N	Johnah	KMA
Ollie	K/1N	Vincent	KMA
Pippa	K/1N	Silvia	KMA
Nathan	K/1N	Lujain	KMA
Ruby	K/1N	Sokhom	KMA
Cindy	K/1N		
Maymonah	KFO	<u>Silver</u>	
Elijah	KFO	Lord	1/2B
Lanaa	KFO	Dunya	1L
Leonela	KFO	Nathan	2K
Emma	KFO	Emaad	2K
Riley	KFO	Trisha	2K
Kathryn	KFO	Elijah	KFO
		Tiana	1/2ME
		Ashley	1/2ME

