



School Newsletter

9 August 2019

What's On!

Breakfast Club -

Every morning 8.30am-9am

School Assembly -

Fridays: Weeks— 5, 7, 9

Playgroup— Tuesday & Wednesday
9am-11am

WEEK 4:

Wednesday 14 August:

- Stage 1 Fizzics Education Incursion 9am to 3pm
- Sista Speak 2pm-3pm

Thursday 16 August:

- P&C Meeting 9am-10am

WEEK 5:

Monday 19 August:

- Book Week Book Fair 8.30am-4pm
- Book Week Parade P-6 2pm-3pm

Tuesday 20 August:

- Book Week Book Fair 8.30am-4pm
- Stage 3 Coral Reefs video conference

Wednesday 21 August:

- Student Parliament Workshop 9am-2.45pm
- Year 3-6 Creative Writers video conference 11am-12pm
- Sista Speak 2pm-3pm

Thursday 22 August:

- Parent Crochet class #1 9am-10am
- District Athletics Carnival

WEEK 6:

Monday 26 August:

- Choir rehearsal 9.30am-1.15pm

Wednesday 28 August:

- Year 1 - Emmy & Friends Child Protection Program 12pm-3pm
- Sista Speak 2pm-3pm

Thursday 29 August:

- Parent Crochet Class #2

Friday 30 August

- Unit excursion to MCA

Principal Report

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have already had a number of great events this Term. Last week Stage 3 visited Canberra. All reports indicated that the students had a fantastic time and really enjoyed learning about Australia's political system and history. The key sites included the Australian War Memorial, National Art Gallery, Institute of Sport, Australian Museum and old and new Parliament House, where they observed a Federal Parliament question time. Thanks to Mrs Duricic for organising the excursion and Ms Cooper, Mr Tran, Mrs O'Grady and Mr Gerrard for attending.

This week's open day and Education Week assembly events went well with over 60 parents and friends attending. We hope that you enjoyed the day including the choir, class slideshows and dance group performances. Students I have spoken with enjoyed guiding parents around the school and our special guest speaker Mackenzie Loxton gave a great speech that encouraged all our students to be confident and strive to reach their potential in life.

Today our Mindcraft Team is presenting their design for the Western Sydney Airport complex to a judging panel at Western Sydney University. Mr Gerrard's team was chosen as one of 10 finalists from a list of over 100 schools.

During the last holidays we had an obstacle circuit built in the back playground. This has proved very popular with junior students and as of today has 2 span bridges. There will be more playground improvements coming over the next 12 months.

Regards

M Ralph
Principal

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Education

2168 Children's Parliament Update - Term 3 2019

The 2168 Children's Parliament is a Communities for Children initiative, funded by the Australian Government through Mission Australia and delivered by Liverpool City Council. Ten primary schools in the 2168 postcode area are participating in the program and they include Ashcroft Public School (PS), Busby PS, Busby West PS, Cartwright PS, Green Valley PS, Heckenberg PS, Hinchinbrook PS, Sadleir PS, Miller PS and St Therese Catholic School. Each year elections are held in each school for the Parliament, with four Members elected from each school.

During Term 1 and 2, our 40 elected Parliamentarians from years 5 and 6 participated in numerous workshops in preparation for the Children's Parliament sitting held on 12 June 2019 at Liverpool City Council's Council Chambers. The workshop topics included debating, public speaking, children's rights, and responsibilities in relation to rights, and preparation for the Children's Parliament sitting. The Parliamentarians are improving their problem solving and critical thinking skills, and collaborating with other schools to create positive changes in the local area and beyond. Critical thinking is a key objective of the Children's Parliament activities and feedback from both students and teachers to date report that this has been a key achievement of the project. Parliamentarians have also had an opportunity to experience first-hand the workings of government/parliamentary democracy through role play with a visit to NSW Parliament House.

As part of these workshops, the Parliamentarians identified and debated issues of importance to them, from those that impact their lives to issues that impact the local community in which they live and go to school.

Parliamentarians have learnt to brainstorm and identify problems that affect them, debate and present their ideas in a clear and concise manner. They presented the issues and solutions to politicians at the Parliament sitting on Wednesday 12 June. In attendance were 40 Parliamentarians from participating schools and they presented on issues of:

Safety;

Cultural discrimination;

Childhood obesity and unhealthy eating.

Their presentation was supported by feedback from a survey of 686 students from grades 5-6. Parliamentarians demanded advocacy and commitment from all levels of government to bring positive changes for children. Parliamentarians have done a marvellous job and they have made us very proud. Congratulations to all the students who have been involved.

Important dates in Term 3:

Week 4: Group 1 Workshop at Heckenberg Community Centre Wednesday **14 August.**
(Group 1: Ashcroft PS, Busby PS, Busby West PS,
Cartwright PS and Green Valley Public School)

Week 5: Group 2 Workshop at Heckenberg Community Centre
Wednesday **21 August.**
(Group 2: Heckenberg PS, Hinchinbrook PS, Sadleir PS, Miller PS and St Therese PS)

Week 8: Group 1 Workshop at Heckenberg Community Centre
Wednesday 11 September.
(Group 1: Ashcroft PS, Busby PS, Busby West PS, Cartwright PS and Green Valley Public School)

Week 9: Group 2 Workshop at Heckenberg Community Centre
Wednesday **18 September.**
(Group 2: Heckenberg PS, Hinchinbrook PS, Sadleir PS, Miller PS and St Therese PS)

Should you have any questions about the 2168 Children's Parliament please contact the Project's Coordinator Shaieste Heidari HeidariS@liverpool.nsw.gov.au or 0408 585 134.



This activity is a partnership between Liverpool City Council and Mission Australia under the Australian Government funded '2168' Communities for Children Programme.

EDUCATION WEEK

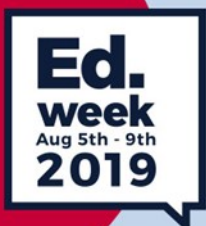
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On Thursday parents and care givers were invited into our school to celebrate Education Week. To begin the day, we held a whole school assembly where student talent was showcased through choir and senior dance group performing. To highlight student achievement through the year, each stage presented a snapshot of learning through a slideshow and Education Week Awards were presented. Mackenzie, a former student, was the guest speaker at the special assembly and gave an insight into how perseverance and challenging yourself will bring rewards.

Parents then had the opportunity to join their children in their classrooms for a range of activities. Students then were guides, taking their parents on a tour around the school to highlight different locations such as the library, sensory room, computer room, community language room and outdoor play areas.

Many parents stayed and enjoyed a picnic lunch and joined in some games outside. It was fantastic to see so many families joining us to celebrate Education Week 2019.



**Every student,
every voice.**

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#EdWeek19



Photography Club

Mr Tran coordinates a photography club during recess on Thursday. Students will be given the opportunity to show their interpretation of different concepts through creative photography. They will justify and explain how their photographs represent the theme and invite others to provide feedback. The theme for week 2 is Life.



Figure 1 Zara T 3/4A

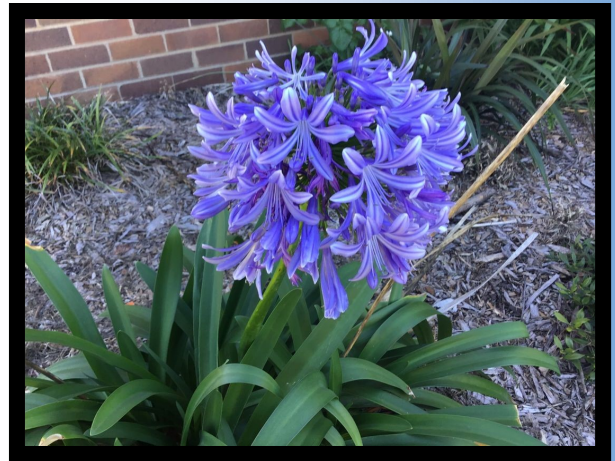


Figure 2 Monica T 3/4A

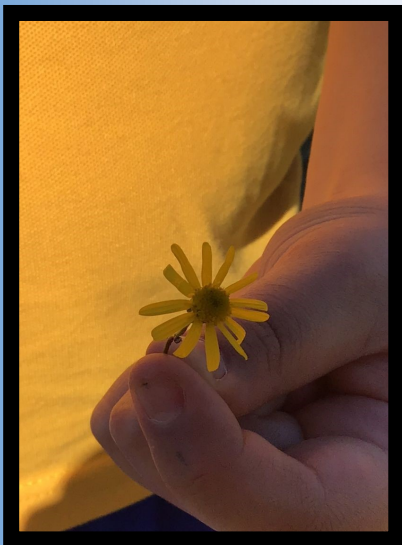
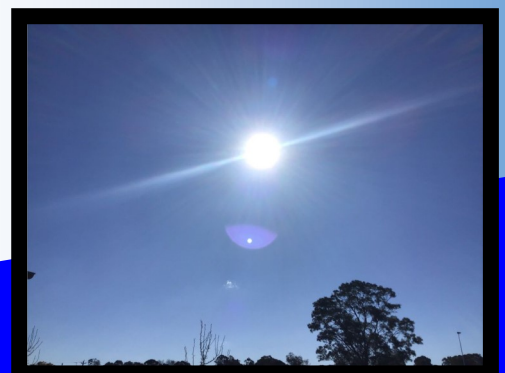


Figure 3 Reem and Jessie-Leigh 3/4A



Figure 4 Sevaio 4R and Sia 4R

Figure 5 Mya 3/4A, Carmelo 3/4A and Sera C3/4A





SADLEIR PUBLIC SCHOOL

BOOK WEEK

WEEK 5

READING IS MY SECRET POWER

P-6 BOOK PARADE



Monday 19 August

2:00 - 3:00pm in the hall

Come dressed as your favourite book character. Bring the book with you and walk in the parade.

BOOK FAIR

Monday 19 & Tuesday 20 August

8:30 - 9:00am

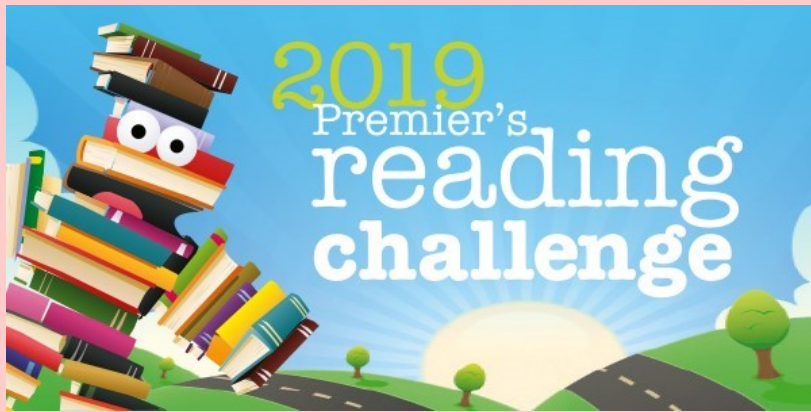
AND

Lunch & Recess

AND

3:00 - 4:00pm





**Congratulations to
2 Gold, Suraiya, Nivin,
Yaseen, Sia, Nu, Nu,
Nooralah, Zara, Abir,
Tanish, Issra, Ahmed,
Woton, Iesha and Ellena.**





LIBRARY WITH MISS MALONE

LIBRARY BAGS

Students are advised to use a library bag to protect the school library books when borrowing.



CLASS LIBRARY DAYS

MONDAY

2 Violet, 1 Orange, 4 Ruby

TUESDAY

2 Gold, 6 Magenta, 3 Silver

WEDNESDAY

1/2 Mauve, K Green, K Blue,
3/4 Aqua

THURSDAY

5/6 Cyan, 5 Teal, 3-6 Yellow

FRIDAY

5/6 Purple

*All students can borrow at
lunch and recess also.*

UPCOMING LIBRARY EVENTS

Book Parade 19th August 2019

Book Fair 19th & 20th August 2019



STAFF NEWS

Reported by
Aisha and Xanthe



Mrs Tantoco

Where were you born?

The Philippines

What is your background?

Filipino

If you were not a teacher or didn't work in a school, what would you like to do?

I would like to be a psychologist.

What is your favourite part of teaching or working in a school?

Watching students achieve their goals no matter how big or small.

If you could take your students on an excursion, anywhere in the world, where would it be?

I would love to take them to Europe.

What is your favourite movie?

The Lion King



Mrs Pap

What is your background?

I was born in Bosnia and Herzegovina (Sarajevo)

If you won the lottery and had to give the money away, what would you do with it?

I would share it with my family and give some to charity.

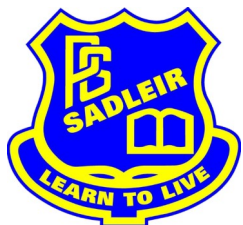
If you were not working in a school, what would you like to do?

I used to be an accountant so I would like to do that again.

What is your favourite subject at school?

Maths





ndis National Disability Insurance Scheme



On Thursday 1st August, Leanne Stap, our Health Coordinator, took parents through the National Disability Insurance Scheme and assisted parent with queries and important tips on how to support their child through the NDIS.

For any further information on the NDIS or how to apply, Leanne Stap is here at Sadleir every Thursday or see Mrs Shashati to make an appointment.

Coming Up Next ...

In our Community

Community Workshop



Come and learn the craft of basic crochet with Mrs Pap

Thursday 22nd August 9am-10am

Thursday 29th August 9am-10am

Thursday 5th September 9am-10am

The first 10 parents will receive a **FREE** crochet needle and wool to start their very own creation!



Playgroup



We would like to welcome Elana and Simon to our Playgroup this Term.

Simon enjoyed playing with Jaxyn and dancing to the Wiggles and Elana made stars with playdough and had fun painting with her hands.





Pirate Pancake Day

Tuesday in week two, was Pirate Pancake Day and lots of students and teachers wore pirate costumes. We had to remember to wear our pirate costumes and if we did not have a pirate costume, we could wear mufti. I wore mufti. Some students had black, gold or red pirate hats with skull and crossbones on the front. Some had eye patches and hand hooks. Some teachers had striped clothes and the best dressed teacher Mrs Morabito. There were no swords because they are dangerous.

The P and C were raising money for the school. Parents collected the gold coins from our classrooms. The students gave one or two dollars.

At recess we had the pancakes and the pancakes were delicious. We got two or four pancakes on plates with strawberry or chocolate toppings. Some students had strawberries, bananas and ice-cream on the pancakes.

The P and C cooked over 300 pancakes and raised \$728.60

Riley 1 Orange





**COMING UP
NEXT!**



**Thursday 15th August
9.10am-10am
Connected Classroom**

On the agenda:

- Playground equipment designs
- Colour Run planning



**Father's Day Stall
Thursday 29th August**

**ENVELOPES RETURNED TO SCHOOL OFFICE
BY FRIDAY 23RD AUGUST, 2019.**

**Father's Day Raffle drawn
Friday 30th August**

**ALL MONEY TO BE RETURNED TO OFFICE BY
FRIDAY 23RD AUGUST, 2019.**

Book
from
3 August



BOOK WEEK FUN

17 – 24 August 2019

Free activities for children 5+
at your local library.

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Sing, dance and read with us at Baby Rhymetime, Toddler Time and Storytime, dressed as your favourite book character, and join us at our special Book Week events.

MAGIC OF BOOKS

Discover the magic of books with magician Lindsay Gardner.

Sat 17 August, 10.30 – 11.30am

Miller Library

Ages 5-12

RECREATE

Celebrate Michael Speechley's shortlisted book 'The all new must have orange 430' by joining us to create something new using recycled materials.

Tues 20 August, 4 – 5pm

Casula Library

Ages 5-12



STORYFACTORY: MAGIC INK ZINES

As a new witch or wizard, you've been tasked with creating a guide to navigating the Magik Ink School of Writcraft and Quillery. Guides will be published as zines crafted during the workshop.

Tues 20 August, 3.30 – 5.30pm

Liverpool City Library

Ages 8-12

BACKYARD BUGS

Explore the amazing world of bugs in this interactive show, which celebrates shortlisted book 'Here comes stinkbug' by Tohby Riddle.

Wed 21 August, 4 – 5pm

Green Valley Library

Ages 5-12



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BIRDS OF A FEATHER

Create a ceramic bird feeder to entice beautiful birds into your backyard in celebration of shortlisted book 'Black Cockatoo' by Carl Merrison and Hakea Hustler.

Thurs 22 August, 4 – 5pm

Moorebank Library

Ages 5-12

COSPLAY DAY

Come dressed as your favourite book character or make a superhero costume. Join us for a show, meet a surprise guest, get your face painted and strike a super pose.

Fri 23 August, 3 – 8pm

Liverpool City Library

All ages – no bookings required



JACQUELINE HARVEY WRITING WORKSHOP

Put pen to paper and develop ideas for your stories with Jacqueline Harvey, best-selling author of the series *Alice Miranda*, *Clementine Rose* and *Kensey and Max*.

Sat 24 August, 10.30 – 11.30am

Carnes Hill Library

Ages 7-12

MEET JACQUELINE HARVEY

Meet children's author Jacqueline Harvey to learn how she became a writer and have your book signed.

**Sat 24 August,
11.45am – 12.45pm**

Carnes Hill Library

All ages – no bookings required

KARI 20th Anniversary

GALA DINNER

Friday 13th September 2019

International Convention Centre Darling Harbour

This year marks KARI's 20th year in changing lives and keeping culture. To mark this celebration, we are holding a 20th Anniversary Gala Dinner at the International Convention Centre in Sydney's Darling Harbour. We would like for you to come and join us for an evening of entertainment, celebration and culture! It will be an excellent way for community members and corporate Australia to come together and celebrate Aboriginal culture and excellence. The night is inclusive of 3 course meal, beverage package, live entertainment as we look back on KARI's achievements over the past 20 years, thanks to your support.

Keep an eye out on KARI's social networks for upcoming announcements. Tickets for this event are limited, RSVP now to secure your spot. This event is not to be missed!

To book tickets, go to www.trybooking.com/book/event?eid=528130

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