

East Links

Term 3 | Week 1 | 24 July 2024



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PREMIER'S SPELLING BEE

In the last week of Term 2, the school held a final for this year's Premier's Spelling Bee Competition. We had Stage 2 and Stage 3 participants from each class selected to compete against each other in a thrilling elimination.

The competition was fierce with students having to spell words such as lacerate, sturgeon, purveyor, and resplendence. After 5 gruelling rounds in the junior and senior sections, we eventually crowned Marnia (4S) as Junior Champion and Aliya (3G) as Runner-Up and Noah (6N) as our Senior Champion, and Ariana (5Q) as Runner-Up. Marnia and Noah will now compete in the regional final, which will be held online next term. We wish them well! Thanks to Mrs Malone for organising the competition and the final.

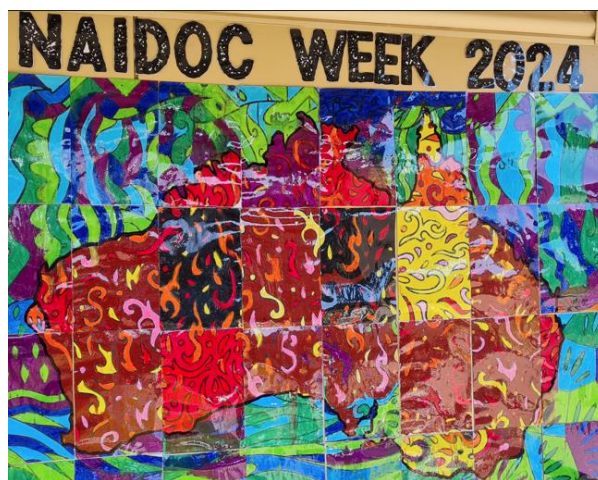


STATE MUSIC CAMP

Congratulations to Melandie, Sophia, Poppy and Candice who are all attending the Junior State Music Camp in Sydney this week. They are joined by Mr Thomas for a week of activities that celebrate all forms of music making and provide unique extension experiences for students studying music. High potential and gifted music students come together each year to receive expert tutelage and develop their music performance skills. During the week students rehearse and perform a range of engaging and high-quality repertoire culminating in a concert for families on the final night of the camp.

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NAIDOC WEEK PHOTOS



VALUES AND EXPECTATIONS

Griffith East Public School is guided by our core values to support and encourage positive behaviour. In Week 1-3 our focus value is Active Learning. The expectation for our students is that they demonstrate PERSISTENCE in their words and actions. Parents could discuss with their children what persistence means. Teachers will be talking with children in classrooms about trying hard and not giving up. One example of this is when a new concept or skill is introduced in a lesson. It's usually hard to understand at first, but over time and with persistence, skill and understanding develops.

"Our greatest weakness lies in giving up. The most certain way to succeed is always to try just one more time." Thomas Edison

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JUNE ACTIVE CITIZENS



KINDER MILO PARTY

Welcome back to Term 3. We ended a very productive Term 2 with great excitement. Kindergarten celebrated Milo's birthday party. The children had a fantastic time.....and so did the teachers!



TERM 3 CANTEEN HELPERS NEEDED

Friday 30th August
 Friday 13th September
 Phone Phoebe in the canteen if you can help. Ph: 69625273

NAIDOC WEEK AWARDS

Week 10

KA	Edoardo V	KM	Antonio R
KS	Talissa P	ID	Harlem C
1K	Kyzan W	1M	Dakota E
2B	Harlen S	2C	Jaxon H
2SC	Pakhi P	2N	Aalieah J
3D	Shiya P	3G	Dextan W
3/4H	Daniel G	4R	Sharleen K
4S	Kingston P	5C	Azarlah M
5G	Lilly W	5Q	Amelia J
6CB	Zavier F	6M	Zarlea F
6N	Reuben B		

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Must have missed that day?

Time with friends, assignments, an important math lesson or getting picked for a sports team – we don't want any one of our students missing out. Days missed here and there add up.

With regular school attendance your child will have the best opportunity to learn and improve their wellbeing.

GEPS - Term 3 2024

1	22 July Staff Development Day	23 July Students Return to School State Junior Music Camp	24 July State Junior Music Camp	25 July State Junior Music Camp KROP Dress Rehearsal	26 July State Junior Music Camp K-2 July Active Citizen K-2 assembly with 2C – 12.30pm	27/28
2	29 July	30 July PSSA Basketball K/O RDA 10.45am	31 July PSSA Soccer K/O	1 Aug P&C Meeting	2 Aug Athletics Carnival No K-2 Assembly	3 / 4
3	5 Aug Education Week Author Visits – Town Library Yrs 1, 5 & 6 Book Club orders due	6 Aug Education Week Author Visits – Town Library Yrs 2,3 & 4	7 Aug Education Week Open Day & GEPS Olympics	8 Aug Education Week KROP Performance	9 Aug Education Week KROP Matinee & Night Performance No K-2 Assembly	10/11
4	12 Aug State Junior Wind band National Science Week	13 Aug State Junior Wind band Dance workshop	14 Aug State Junior Wind band	15 Aug State Junior Wind band	16 Aug State Junior Wind band Bullying – Day of Action Zone Athletics Inclusive Sport Bowling	17/18
5	19 Aug Book Week	20 Aug Book Week	21 Aug Book Week Assembly and Parade	22 Aug MRHS Year 6 Transition	23 Aug Book Week	24/25

CANTEEN ROSTER

Mon 29 July

Kate Corbett, Kiara Duncan

Tues 30 July

Tamara Gibbs

Wed 31 July

Rebecca Crombie

Thurs 1 Aug

Jade Gooda, Rosanne Jones

Fri 2 Aug

Renee Condon, Glennis Damini

CAKE ROSTER Wed 31 Jul

Safaa Al-zghoul, Amanda Nietvelt, Alex Richards, Tamara Gibbs, Cristy Barber

COMING SOON!

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YOUR CHANCE TO WIN

First Prize \$2000

Second Prize \$1500

Third Prize \$1000

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