



October
2020





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 Even though the weather has been wet and cool, we only have 4 more weeks until summer. Stage 1 have been getting ready for the beach with swimming lessons at Bexley pool. Water safety is a very big issue in Australia and we encourage parents to keep up with swimming sessions if possible after the program is finished so that students can practise their newly acquired skills. Pics on p10&11.


 Despite the fact that we have only been back for 3 weeks this term we have had lots of great things happening at school. Our Transition program for our kindergarten students for 2021 started in weeks 2&3 and from all reports went very smoothly. We have lots of students who can't wait for 2021 to begin. Pics on p8&9.

 The Department of Education has changed the start date for Term 1 2021 as there will be 2 days at the beginning of the year when only teachers will be required at school. Stage 1 students will now start on Friday 29.01.21 and kindergarten will start on Monday 01.02.21.

 In preparation for Christmas our local Federal Parliament member for Barton, the Hon Linda Burney MP, has chosen 5 drawings from a very impressive submission of artworks produced by our Stage 1 students. The artworks chosen were created by Jayden, Nayla, Charlize, Zak and Naranbilguun and will appear on the Barton greeting cards this year. Our students also participated in the Bayside Art Competition and won a 3rd prize and Young Artist Encouragement Award. See p4 for winners.

 Book week was celebrated a little later this year and unfortunately we were unable to visit the Arncliffe Library due to COVID-19 restrictions. Our book character parade was held in the first week of this term, however, COVID 19 restrictions prevented us from inviting parents but there are some great pics on p6&7 and a slideshow on the website.

 Everyone dressed up again last week for Spooky day and Mrs Ford has had the office looking VERY spooky for weeks. Unfortunately the weather wasn't that great for trick or treating but we had lots of fun dressing up and doing spooky dancing. Pics on p12&13.

 Pick up and drop off times are typically very dangerous times for young children with lots of cars in the vicinity of the school. If you drive to school and intend to use the school carpark please make sure that you observe the rules outlined on p5.

Vanda Quinn
Principal

Term 4 ends: Wednesday 16.09.2020

Term 1 begins: Friday 29.01.2021 (Stage 1)

Monday 01.02.21 (Kindergarten)

AWARDS

K Blue

Khuslen: Writing sentences independently

Temka: Great illustrations of literacy focus

Baysaa: Improvement in reading

Ashley: Great listening skills

Valentina: Great effort in math's

Amgalan: Improvement with Fine motor skills

Saikhanaa: Enthusiastic when making cookies

Khangai: Improvement in computers

Ayra: Independently writing sentences

K Red

Zahraa: Great effort during fitness

Amy: Independently writing a holiday recount

Ulzii: Building his confidence with oral skills

Kayleb: Improved listening skills in class

Denham: Correctly using vocabulary in math

Leah: Improvement when independently writing

Odko: Confidently presenting news to his peers

Ayalguu: Independently writing

Misheel: Loves to extend herself

K Pink

Amaraa: Learning his friends of ten

Liam: Distinguishing between long & short vowel

Zahraa: Improvement in reading

Haydar: Great participation during music lesson

Uranjargal: Improvement in writing

Tsolmon: Consistent enthusiasm during reading

Iskra: Always delivering her news confidently

Undral: Consistent effort during reading groups

Sodon: Participation during music lessons

1 Green

Emma: For an excellent Holiday recount

Khukhmunkh: For working hard in maths

Gegeen: For writing a recount independently

Nandin: Welcome to AWIS

Dorian: Trying his best in all class activities

Tergel: Great work in maths

Billy N: Great effort in writing independently

Amyah: Great work in maths

Babuna: Excellent Starry Night piece of artwork

1 Yellow

Amar: Writing better simple sentences

Nour: Progressing in learning her sight words

Anar: Making equal groups with objects

Moussa: Sharing objects with leftovers

Ilchbold: Holding a beat in music

Mariam: Great enthusiasm in sport

Mikhail: Using his time wisely in class

Zak: Good comprehension during reading

Ermuun: Dividing numbers with remainders

1/2 Aqua

Arya: Writing a detailed recount

Juliana: Recognising beat in music

Prakul: Being a great listener

Hussein: Great attention to detail during art

Jack: Identifying 3D shapes

Erin: Great effort in writing

Tsomo: Great effort in swimming

Jackson: Spooky Halloween artwork

Anusha: Sharing objects equally into groups

AWARDS

2 Beige

- Batbadrakh:** Improvement in reading
- Ruby:** Working hard to learn new maths concepts
- Indra:** Hard work during all classroom activities
- Bodi:** Identifying most 3D shapes
- Emujin:** Creative thinking during writing
- Charlize:** Writing interesting questions/responses
- Ami:** Great concentration when completing tasks
- Tugs:** His improvement in reading
- Ali El:** Independently writing a recount



BOOK AWARDS

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|--------------------|-----------------|
| Ayah | Charlize |
| Nayla | Ali J |
| Tugs | Nomi |
| Valentina M | Nour |
| Zahraa K | Luka |
| Ruby | Moussa |
| Arya | Emujin |
| Soko | Erin |
| Indra | Haydar |
| Liam | Tsolmon |
| Mikhail | Amar |
| Jackson | Ami J |

2 Violet

- Dodo:** Good sportsmanship in 'bottles'
- Badral:** Improvement in reading
- Phillip:** Speaking enthusiastically about his holiday
- Davaa:** Improvement in independent writing
- Jayden:** Basketball skills in fitness
- Jessica:** Fantastic drawings of 3D objects
- Anand:** Impressive swimming skills
- Giuliana:** Spooky Halloween artwork
- Ninjin:** Using hands on materials for division

Koalas

- Anuka:** Singing beautifully
- Fatima El:** Interest in reading
- Manlai:** Playing sack race with friends
- Emily:** Telling her friends about her new glasses
- Tselmuun:** Welcome to Preschool
- Sara:** Pretending to be a Queen
- Batushka:** Playing DJEMBE with friends
- Kyle:** Detailed painting of a vampire
- Jessica:** Inventing a new game with friends
- Amina:** Being creative
- Sanchi:** Interest in counting
- Iveel:** Cutting skills

Possums

- Tushig:** Creative thinking skills how to melt ice
- Ukhaanzaya:** Following the actions to the song
- Youmin:** Helping take care of the garden
- Soko:** Being creative and creating teddy school
- Sisi:** Drawing an accurate portrait of her teddy
- Luka:** Great helper when making fairy bread
- Jasmine:** Creative painting with water colours
- Bao:** Following the dance moves to the song
- Leon:** Sharing his knowledge about dinosaurs
- Achlal:** Being a helpful friend to a new student
- Emuka:** Creating a story using magnetic board
- Tulga:** Welcome to preschool

SOCIAL SKILL AWARDS

Undrum

Mariam

Bolor

Mohammed

Naranbilguun

Amayah

Zak x2

Hussein

Ami



CONGRATULATIONS

To our winners in the Bayside Library Book Week Competition 2020

Young Artist Encouragement Award: Bujka

3rd prize Insects and Butterflies:

Nandin-Erdene



October Birthdays.....

Luka, Emuka, Jasmine (P) Batkhusel (K) Leah (KR)

Sodon, Boloro (KP) Babuna, (IG) Jackson, Arya, Hussein F,

Erin (1/2A) Hussein, Suvd, Jessica (2V) Tugs,

Charlize, Emujin, Ruby (2B)

HAPPY BIRTHDAY !!





PARKING PROTOCOL



As we are lucky enough to have a large carpark, parents are allowed to use it. This is a privilege not normally extended to parents/carers in other schools. In order for this to continue we need to ensure the safety of our students. If you intend to use the carpark please abide by the rules below or this privilege may be withdrawn.

Thank you for your co-operation,

Vanda Quinn
Principal



There is a 10km per hour speed limit in force at ALL times in the carpark.



Please reverse into a car space so that the rear of your car is nearest the fence. This rule is in place so that you have clear vision of any children when you are exiting the carpark.



Children in the carpark must be closely supervised by an adult at all times. Please deliver your children safely to the gate before letting go of their hand.



School staff have priority parking so please observe the signs.

BOOK CHARACTERS



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Transition Week 1



Transition Week 2



SWIMMING SCHOOL



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Spooky Day



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