

Miranda North Public School Newsletter

Week 10 Term 2



Reports

In line with the Department of Education Policy on Reporting to parents, I wish to advise that student reports were sent home yesterday. This report provides information on what students have been learning and their future goals. If parents would like an interview to follow-up on the information within the report or a specific query about progress, please make the office know so a mutually beneficial time can be arranged.

Maintenance Program and Upgrade

During the school holidays a variety of work will be carried out on the school grounds. This will include tree maintenance and removal to ensure the safety of our students.

The work to replace our playground and install Covered Walkways has also commenced and will continue through and beyond the holidays.

New carpet will be installed into the demountable classrooms, having just completed the painting of the rooms.

Thank you to P&C

I would like to thank the P&C for their support of the school over the past two terms. Their fundraising efforts have helped to supply additional learning resources to the school and furniture. Initially, in support of the bike education program the P&C organised for three bikes to be purchased and used at school for students who did not own a bike or were unable to bring their bikes to school.

The P&C also donated more than \$2000 worth of readers to support the focus on Decodable Reading in school for Kindergarten and Year 1.

Finally, with the new library, the P&C have purchased an amphitheatre ottoman costing more than \$5000, which will provide seating for the class group during lessons. This will be just one of the new learning spaces within the library.

End of Term and Beginning Term 3

Friday is the last day of Term; PSSA teams will be competing during sport for their last matches.

The Department of Education will continue to provide additional ongoing cleaning . Thank you for the support of the students learning, keeping students at home when they are unwell, ensuring that our school can be kept operating during this health crisis.

Students will return to school on Tuesday 19 July.

Our Athletics Carnival will be held on Thursday 21 July at school. Thank you for the responses to make the decision on the carnival's location.

Finally, in Week 1 of next term as part of NAIDOC Week, the whole school will participate in performances by Walangari Karntawarra, a cultural group looking at dance, music, and Dreamtime Stories.

Wishing our school community a wonderful break over the holidays. We look forward to seeing everyone in Term 3.

Upcoming events

- 1/7 100 days of Kindergarten
- 19/7 Students return to school
- 21/7 Athletics Carnival at School
- 20/8 P & C Trivia Night

Sensory Garden

A huge thank you to Mrs Whitmore and Miss O'Donnell for all their work with our new sensory garden. Our school enviro heroes began adding plants to see, smell and feel planter boxes. We would like to give a huge thanks to Bunnings Warehouse Caringbah for their generous help. We can't wait to show you what else is in store!



Public Speaking Finals

Our Public Speaking finals were held in the school hall on Monday. All the speakers should feel very proud of their efforts. The topics were diverse and the delivery of each speech was impressive.

The final results were:

Stage One

Winner - Shay O

Highly Commended - Sage V

Stage Two

Winner - Daniel R

Highly Commended - Willow M

Stage Three

Winner - Nicola T

Highly Commended - Allira O

Congratulations to all speakers and thank you to Ms Barley for all her encouragement and organisation, coordinating another year of excellence in Public Speaking at Miranda North.



Congratulations Alex

Congratulations to Alex S who was selected to represent Miranda North in the Sydney Southwest Symphonic Winds Ensemble. Alex was one of 92 kids from years 5 to 9 across Sydney to be selected on merit via an audition process to be part of the band. Alex went to a three day camp at Stanwell Tops with the other musicians and is working towards a performance at the Opera House later in the year. Congratulations Alex!



Congratulations Seth and Duke!

We wish Tommy B an amazing time in Madrid, travelling with his SSFA SAP team to attend the MADCUP an international youth soccer tournament playing against teams like Real Madrid, Paris, St Germain and Atlético's Madrid youth squads at Atlético Madrid's home stadium.

Madrid was recently named the world capital of Sport 2022 and is hosting the biggest celebration of international youth sports. Best of luck in Spain Tommy!





**SAVE
THE DATE!**

NAIDOC
10AM THURSDAY 7 JULY
GUNNAMATTA PARK
CRONULLA

CELEBRATING NAIDOC WEEK

A poster for NAIDOC Week featuring a young child in traditional Indigenous dress, including a feathered headdress and body paint. The text is overlaid on the image in orange and blue banners. A circular logo at the bottom left reads 'CELEBRATING NAIDOC WEEK'.



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90th Birthday Celebration Sat 27 August 9am-3pm

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A colorful poster for the Engadine Public School 90th Birthday Celebration. It features a central illustration of a carousel with three horses and a striped tent. The text is in bold, stylized fonts. At the bottom, there is a list of activities and sponsors.