



14th March—Term 1 Week 7 2018

WALAWAANI NJINDIWAAN (Welcome everyone)

Young Leaders Day

Our ten School Leaders, Mr King and Keira headed off to Sydney on Sunday for an overnight excursion to attend National Young Leaders Day. We checked in to the YHA Sydney Central where we met students and teachers from other regional schools who were also there for the conference.

We went out for dinner at the Hard Rock Cafe in Darling Harbour, followed by ice cream and fun in Tumbalong Park before heading back to the YHA for the night. We were all up bright and early Monday morning excited for the big day ahead.

The National Young Leaders Day is an annual event run by Halogen, an organisation focused on inspiring the leaders of tomorrow. The event was held at the International Convention Centre. This year's conference was hosted by Actor Gemma Knight and DJ Raf who kept the audience entertained and engaged throughout the day. The guest speakers were Motivational Speaker John Coutis, Sydney 6ers cricket player Lauren Cheadle, Author and Illustrator Matt Cosgrove and Winner of The Voice Harrison Craig. They talked about some of their life experiences, overcoming obstacles, resilience, the importance of having goals to strive for and challenging yourself. The students are all now excited to continue developing as leaders themselves as well as inspiring the future leaders of the school. They will all be involved in leading the school ministries as well as sharing the knowledge they gained at the conference with the whole school at assemblies.

The excursion was so much fun! We all had a great time and really enjoyed the conference.



PRINCIPAL REPORT

WHAT I LOVED ABOUT THIS WEEK

What a dedicated group of parents who attend and contribute to our school P&C. The parents have been working to put together an amazing school fair that is fast approaching. If you are a parent who would like to help out, this would be an excellent opportunity to step up and give a hand. You are welcome to catch up with our Community Liaison officer, Keira Olsen, in the front office, if you have any enquiries or questions about how to join in. Look forward to seeing you all on the 23rd March for the school fair.

TWILIGHT SCHOOL FAIR

Next week we will be having one of our major P&C fundraising events. Friday afternoon the school will be transformed into a twilight fair with many fun and exciting things going on all over the school. Please support .

SKATE PARK IN THE MORNING

Students who visit the skate park on their way to school in the morning are often arriving at school well after the bell. If you are a parent who has given your child permission to do this, please ensure that they are able to know the time and leave the skate park before our school bell goes. I appreciate your support in this matter, keeping our students safe.

Belinda Doyle (Relieving Principal)

WORDS OF THE WEEK

Confidence is the ability to feel beautiful without needing someone to tell you.

Office News

Dates to Remember

16th District touch football

23rd Twilight School Fair

29th Clean up Australia

19th "Wake Up and Read"

28th Disco

4-6 April 4/5/6 Camps and Year 3 Sleep over

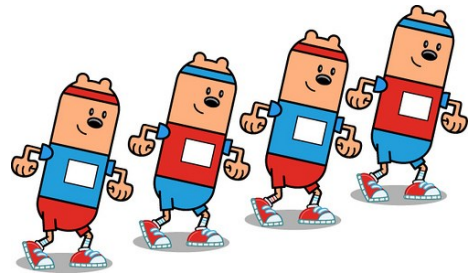
Sports Teams

Wattle-Bidhudhu 1276

Geebung-Babadhal 1418

Appleberry-Wandaama 1213

Lilly Pilly-Galangara 1183



The BMX track



The students have been having a blast on the new BMX track this term and the BMX leisure sports group have been doing a fantastic job of maintaining it. However we need to reinforce the fact that you must have a proper BMX bike to use the track. This is our school and Department of Education policy and mountain bikes are **not allowed**. Please ensure your BMX bike is safe to use. This includes working brakes, handlebar grips in good condition, a tight chain and tyres that are fully inflated.

"Wake Up and Read"

On Monday 19th March, Early Stage 1 and Stage 1 (Year K, 1 & 2) students will be entertained and informed about the magical world of books and the knowledge they contain through a performance called 'Wake Up and Read'.

The show will be performed in the school hall at 12:30 and will be of no cost.

Derek Hauwert

SCHOOL DISCO



Wednesday NIGHT 28th March IN THE SCHOOL HALL

4pm TO 5pm for INFANTS 5pm TO 6pm for PRIMARY

\$2 ENTRY

DRINKS, LOLLIES, CHIPS

GLOW PRODUCTS FOR SALE

SO COME ALONG AND HAVE SOME FUN

Blast Off

Bronze:

Gunarug Ashton Palmer, Riley Madden, Mason Piper.

Bilima Oskar Driscoll, Daniel Williams, Adam Witz.

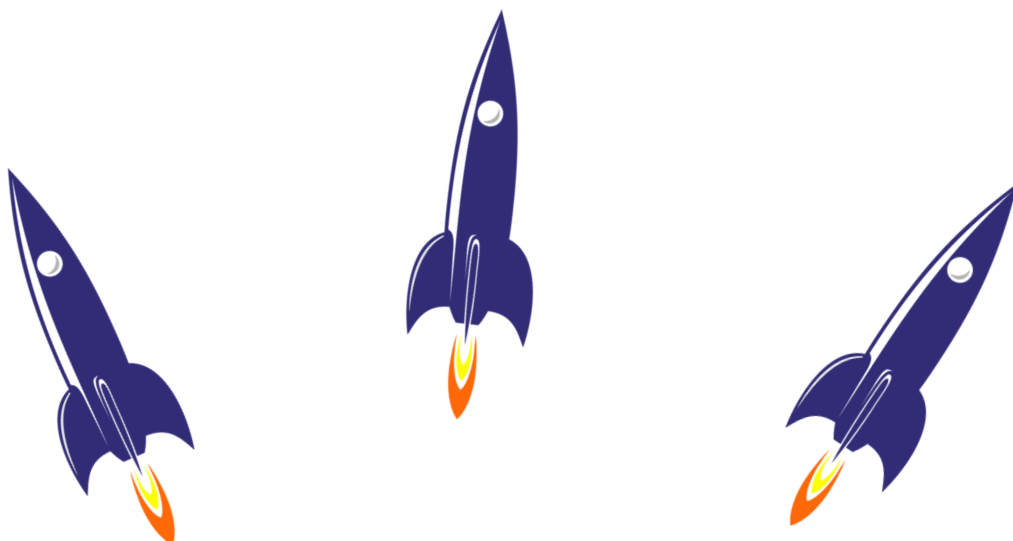
Gurgadj Kalayah Rayner Williams, Georiga Gomes Ware, Harrison Sutton, Liam Vale, Tiana Holden, Mahalia Stewart, Maliyah Ryan, Neil Cooley, Sophie Sheppard, Scarlet Rose Lowey.

Maaran Hannah Weston-Sigworths, Zoe Ellis, Dekoda O'Neill, Bridie Hilton, Aaron Cannon, Ellie Thompson, Madison Connelly, Emmet Burnett, Matilda Scheib, Emma Schusser, Phoenix Paskins, Caleb Nelson, Jayden Lee, Riley Phillips, Brayden Lewis, Kody Shaw, Nicola Sammut, Charlotte Duff, Riley Scott, Caitlyn Allan.

Djungga Alyssa Williams, Jamila Webster, Kayla Todd, Leilani Ryan.

Gurimbaga Kayla Scott, Draí Cowan, Jarris Thompson, Jye Apperley, Chelsea Murray, Ciaira Silk, Shanye Bonanno, Sienna Crowe.

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Clean Up Australia Day 2018

On Thursday the 29th of March 2018 from 12pm until 1.35pm Sanctuary Point Public School Students will be participating in Clean Up Australia Day. This is a registered event with Clean Up Australia. Students in Years 5 and 6 will be visiting Paradise and Palm beach and cleaning up along the Basin's foreshores. Students in Years 3 and 4 will be cleaning up around the Sanctuary Point Bike Park. Students in Years 1 and 2 will be cleaning up the areas directly outside the school grounds and kindergarten will be tidying the areas within the school.

Although the school will be providing plastic bags on the day, we strongly encourage students to bring their own gloves and rubbish bags.

Clean Up Australia demonstrates that people across the planet are willing to do something themselves to help protect and care for their environment. It is a great school initiative and community project and we look forward to contributing to the local Sanctuary Point community.

Mr Browne

Kindergarten's Picnic in the Playground

The revised date of the Kindergarten's Picnic on the Playground will be Thursday the 5th of April, from 12.00- 1.35pm. Your child is welcome to come in mufti, dressed as their favourite superhero. There will also be superhero themed games followed by a picnic. This year at Sanctuary Point Public School one of our wellbeing priorities is healthy eating. We would like to encourage all students to bring a healthy plate of food to share with the class during the picnic. If you have any questions please feel free to speak to your child's classroom teacher or myself.

Regards,

Stephen Browne

Relieving Assistant Principal

Belinda Doyle

Relieving Principal



As we were heading towards National Day of Action against Bullying and Violence on Friday 16th March 2018, we focused on the No Bullying unit of the Bounce Back Program.

Bullying is being mean and unkind to someone over days, or weeks or longer. Bullies will often say, write, text or do mean things that hurt the other person's body, feelings or possessions. Bullying is not having an argument or if someone does something mean or nasty. Understanding the difference is paramount to assist us with knowing how to deal with the situation.

Ask your child what activities they've been doing in class to support our Bounce Back program.





★ Please join us ★
for

**Sanctuary Point
Public School**

Twilight Fair



Friday 23rd March

3pm-7pm

**Markets • Food Stalls • live Music • Face painting • Side Show Alley
• and much more •**





GET ECXITED!

There is less than 2 weeks until the biggest fundraiser for our school year is underway.

Raffle tickets went home today with your eldest child at this school. Please return all raffle tickets including unsold tickets to the canteen, or your child may place them in their class lunch order tray.

There are heaps of fantastic prizes to be won and the raffle will be drawn at the school fair.

Good luck.

If you know of anyone that would like to enter their car or motorbike into the Show 'n' Shine we still have plenty of spots available. Please get in contact with the school.

It will be a fantastic, fun afternoon for all ages.



Cultural Mentor
Sanctuary Point Public School

Sanctuary Point Public School is seeking expressions of interest for a Cultural Mentor to work within their team 3 days per week.

Any queries regarding what the Expression of Interest should look like please contact Ashlee Williams at Sanctuary Point Public School.

This position is identified for a Traditional Custodian of the Yuin Nation due to the language component of the role. The successful candidate will work closely with the Aboriginal Education Officer (AEO) to implement programs that assist Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students and staff.

Your Expression of Interest should address the following criteria.

- Traditional Custodian.
- Good knowledge of the local Dhurga Language.
- Proven ability to engage community.
- Ability to work with staff and children.
- Awareness of the complexities of Aboriginal families, communities and issues.
- Ability to design and implement resources, programs and staff development that support positive Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander student outcomes.

Please forward your Expression of Interest along with your resume to

Ashlee Williams

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