Dear Families,

I hope you are able to stay warm and dry. Spare a thought for our Year 6 & 7 students doing aquatics today!

Volunteers Week

Many thanks to the wonderful volunteers who help our school. Some of these people have been involved for MANY years as well as those who have just started volunteering, including those who help out as members of Governing Council, ensure the security and safety of our facilities, assist in the canteen and breakfast club, cover and re-shelve books in the library and support various classroom programs. Students, staff and families greatly appreciate the work of our fantastic volunteers.

Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability

Our school is involved in the Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability, an annual collection that counts the number of school students with disability throughout Australia and the level of reasonable educational adjustment they are provided with.

This information helps teachers, principals, education authorities and families to better support students with disability to take part in school on the same basis as students without disability.

The information provided through the national data collection will enable all Australian governments to better target support and resources to benefit students with disability. The data will help schools to better support students with disability so that they have the same opportunities for a high quality education as students without disability.

Every year all schools will collect the following information for each student with a disability:

- the student’s level of education (i.e. primary)
- the student’s level of adjustment
- the student’s broad type of disability.

The information collected by schools will be provided to all governments to inform policy and programme improvement for students with disability.

Personal details such as student names or other identifying information will NOT be provided to local or federal education authorities. If you do not want your child’s information to be included in this data collection, please notify the office in writing.

Breakfast Club

As of next week, our Breakfast Club will be available every morning from 8.30am. Many thanks to our volunteers (esp. Lee). More help would be appreciated.

National Excellence in Teaching Awards

Nominations are now open to nominate an inspirational teacher or educator. Go to: asg.com.au/nominate to recognise the great work done by our staff.

Alison Lynch, Principal

---

**What’s happening?**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Event Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>21st May</td>
<td>Aquatics (Yr 6 &amp; 7)—all day at West Lakes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Wednesdays</td>
<td>Footsteps Dance - Rec.—Year 5</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5th June</td>
<td>Pupil Free Day</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8th June</td>
<td>Queen’s Birthday holiday</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9th, 10th, 11th June</td>
<td>Start Smart Financial Literacy sessions</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>11th June</td>
<td>Camp Quality Puppet performance</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Maths in Room 3
Reception with Miss Henderson

In Room 3 we do lots of engaging activities to help us to learn about numbers, patterns, shapes, counting and more!

Everyone in our class had a number and we had to put ourselves in order from one to twenty two. It was tricky but we got there in the end!

Liam put his numerals in order.

We use ten frames to help us to count quickly.

Lilee and Charlotte can make and extend patterns.

When the weather is nice we love to learn outside. Summer and Jayse are counting leaves and rocks.

Here we are sorting objects into a huge graph based on their shape. We spoke about the difference between 2D and 3D shapes and named many of them. Noel found a cube!

We all love learning!
Children’s University has been a huge success thus far, providing quality out of school hour’s activities for children. An important principle of Children’s University is that participation is entirely voluntary. We have been overwhelmed by the amount of interest expressed in the program, with 60 students currently taking part. But don’t worry if you are not currently involved, enrolments are set to re-open in term 2. In-school learning clubs available to students include cooking, picture book making, table tennis, iPad movie making and basketball. If your child is taking part in any other extra curriculum activities, please fill in a learning destination form to ensure their learning is recognised.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Time</th>
<th>Monday</th>
<th>Tuesday</th>
<th>Wednesday</th>
<th>Thursday</th>
<th>Friday</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Before School</td>
<td>iPad Movie Making</td>
<td>Mrs Lynch</td>
<td>Basketball Club</td>
<td>Mr Mach</td>
<td>Mrs Lynch</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Mrs Mel</td>
<td></td>
<td>Basketball Club</td>
<td>Mr Mac</td>
<td>Mrs Lynch</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Making Picture Books</td>
<td>Mrs Lucano</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Lunch</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>After School</td>
<td>Cooking Club</td>
<td>Mr Dale</td>
<td>Ping Pong Club</td>
<td>Mr Williams</td>
<td>Mr Neto</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Mr Neto</td>
<td>Ms Batten</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Ms Hopgood</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Important Info
- iPad Movie Making
  - Room 5
  - Max 10 Students
- Cooking Club
  - School Canteen Kitchen
  - Max 20 Students
- Ping Pong Club
  - Special Ed Room
  - Gym
  - Max 10 Students
- Art Club
  - Room H
  - Max 20 Students
- Basketball Club
  - Gym
  - Max 20 Students

Helping your child with reading
Our school has an online subscription to a wide range of reading resources that families can access. There are levelled readers, picture books, traditional tales etc online.

This is great to use when your child ‘forgets’ their reader, completes all books available at home, wants or needs extra practice and enjoyment in an online environment.

Go to: www.in2era.com.au
logon: burtonstudent
password: burtonstudent49a

For information on Children’s University and upcoming events, please visit the website

http://www.childrensuniversity.com.au
Volunteer’s Week

A MESSAGE FROM THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION
AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT— SUSAN CLOSE

“When I visit schools and sites, I often see or hear about volunteers’ contributions. You take on many different roles – from helping in classrooms, coaching afternoon or weekend sports, staffing canteens, organising events, accompanying students on excursions, serving on committees or governing councils, to transporting children in care so they can maintain contact with relatives, or teaching languages in our ethnic schools so children can know their heritage. Each role provides incredibly valuable support to children and their communities.

Not only do you help schools and sites to run more smoothly, you also help children and young people to develop skills, confidence and self-esteem. By donating your time and effort, you convey the message to children that they – and their education - are important.

Those of you who volunteer at your child’s preschool, children’s centre or school are also helping to set them up for success in their studies.

Research tells us that children whose parents are involved in their education are more likely to stay in school longer and do better. As many of you have discovered, helping out in the classroom is a great way to find out what your children are learning and to get to know their teachers better.

This week, I join with your schools and sites in saying “thank you” to all our volunteers. Thank you for giving generously to your community and for being mentors and role models in children’s lives. I wish you all a wonderful week celebrating your efforts.”

SAPSASA Football

On Friday, May 8th, our year 6/7 boys competed in their first SAPSASA knock-out football match. For many of the students it was their first football match and the boys had been looking forward to it for a long time. The anticipation was building all week and the boys were nervous and excited for the match against our opponents Elizabeth North. The game was played in great spirit and all students across both teams displayed great effort, attitude and sportsmanship. It was a close match throughout with the lead changing several times and there was only 1 point the difference between the two teams at three quarter time. The Burton boys managed to kick 4 goals to 1 in the last quarter to win by 23 points. The boys were ecstatic with their first win. The win was a nice way to reward the students for the time and effort they have put in during and after school. We would like to thank the parents and classes for coming out and supporting us, it created a great atmosphere for the team and the school as a whole. We are now awaiting our opponents in the next round. Details to come shortly.

Mr Williams (coach)

Final score
Burton Jets 7.10.52
Elizabeth North 4.5.29

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Room 1</th>
<th>School Value Certificate</th>
<th>Classroom Certificate</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Room 2</td>
<td>Jasmine Scott</td>
<td>Pisey Thy</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Room 3</td>
<td>Hayley Breeze</td>
<td>Levi Norris</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Room 4</td>
<td>Kalyssia Nou</td>
<td>Declan Pumpa</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Room 5</td>
<td>Henry Armstrong</td>
<td>Kevin Beng</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Room 6</td>
<td>Isabella Misseri</td>
<td>Krissy Saunders</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Room 7</td>
<td>Tanner Haynes</td>
<td>Jhun Jun Vilanueva</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Room 8</td>
<td>Skye Bennett</td>
<td>Bonnie Singkhamsack</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Room 9</td>
<td>Ella Litchfield</td>
<td>Savanah Jordan</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Room 10</td>
<td>Amity Semlitzky</td>
<td>Declan Gamble</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Room 11</td>
<td>Jazmine Sampson</td>
<td>Austin Beng</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Room 12</td>
<td>Penndara Keo</td>
<td>Charlotte Ta</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Room 13</td>
<td>Harmonie Lobo</td>
<td>Cameron Davies</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Room 14</td>
<td>Angelique Clavell</td>
<td>Tyler Huntley</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Room 15</td>
<td>Vanessa Glancey</td>
<td>Jaime Shoemark</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Room 16</td>
<td>Ta’Liya Pheng</td>
<td>Aimi Nguyen</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Room 17</td>
<td>Tinashe Saman-jeypese</td>
<td>Jayden Toohey</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Room 18</td>
<td>Harry Soksambo</td>
<td>Amer Hodzic</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

School Value Certificate

Classroom Certificate

Room 1  Opal Bennett  Romazan Sadiqi
Room 2  Jasmine Scott  Pisey Thy
Room 3  Hayley Breeze  Levi Norris
Room 4  Kalyssia Nou  Declan Pumpa
Room 5  Henry Armstrong  Kevin Beng
Room 6  Isabella Misseri  Krissy Saunders
Room 7  Tanner Haynes  Jhun Jun Vilanueva
Room 8  Skye Bennett  Bonnie Singkhamsack
Room 9  Ella Litchfield  Savanah Jordan
Room 10 Amity Semlitzky  Declan Gamble
Room 11 Jazmine Sampson  Austin Beng
Room 12 Penndara Keo  Charlotte Ta
Room 13 Harmonie Lobo  Cameron Davies
Room 14 Angelique Clavell  Tyler Huntley
Room 15 Vanessa Glancey  Jaime Shoemark
Room 16 Ta’Liya Pheng  Aimi Nguyen
Room 17 Tinashe Saman-jeyese  Jayden Toohey
Room 18 Harry Soksambo  Amer Hodzic