Principal’s Report

Dear Parents and Carers,

Hola!

Three years ago when we were looking at introducing a language to the school, the main focus was on ensuring whatever language we chose, the quality of the teacher would be the most important factor. Last week Senorita Irene demonstrated her passion and dedication to the role through an amazing Spanish Fiesta Day! The amount of time and effort that Senorita Irene put into organising the event highlights her willingness to not only engage students in her culture, but the culture of many Spanish speaking countries. If you didn’t get the chance to join us for the day, Senorita Irene added a Mexican Twist to the day that included cooking lessons, dance classes, craft sessions, and instruments made from recycled empty jars and polystyrene boxes! Most importantly, each workshop had a purpose, which was to highlight elements of a Spanish or Mexican culture! The paella lunch and churros snack was also an added feature of the day.

Senorita has posted photos of the day on ‘Flexibuzz’ for families that were unable to come along for the day.

Big thank you to Senorita Irene for organising the Fiesta! Also a big congratulations and thank you to the students as I was very proud of the positive feedback that I received from the facilitators of the workshops, visiting families and staff about the way in which they supported each other and participated in the activities.

Festive Concert Art Show
Thursday 14th of December Art Show Opens 5:00pm

Reminder that our Annual Festive Concert/Art Show is scheduled for Thursday 14th of December. This year to give parents more of an opportunity to enjoy the artistic pieces created by the students; the Art Show will be open from 5:00pm. We are also encouraging families to bring along a picnic dinner and drinks, as we will be welcoming back performer Louis to entertain everyone before the student performances. Louis joined us for our Father’s Day breakfast at the Sunshine Social this year, and from the positive feedback, we had to welcome him back to help us celebrate the 2017 school year!

On the night, students need to head to their classrooms at 6:00pm to get ready for the performances.
The Festive Concert/Art Show is always a special night, which is why I am hoping everyone can join us to sing, dance and celebrate!

Alex Artavilla
Principal
Sunshine Heights Primary School

First Day of School for 2018 Students
Students in Year 1 to Year 6 - Thursday 1st February 2018.
2018 Prep students will be - Monday 5th February 2018.
Our final curriculum day for the year will be on Monday 5th of November 2018.

Prep Transition dates:

- Session 1: Thursday 16th November 9:30-11:00am
- Session 2: Thursday 23rd November 9:30-11:00am
- Session 3: Thursday 30th November 9:30-11:00am

Fundraising

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2017 Book Packs

Book Pack Payments are now due.

Your earliest attention would be greatly appreciated. If you require assistance, please see the office.

Thank you

Lessons starting from $14.00
5% discount to parents wishing to enrol more than 1 child.

Enrolment forms are available from the School Office or contact Genesis Music School Direct on 0421 426 674

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