

NEWSLETTER

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2019 Thursday 7th November

DATES TO REMEMBER

Peruvian Fiesta Day

Wednesday 20th November

2020 Prep transition program

Wednesday 13th November

9:15am to 11am

Thursday 21st November

9:15am to 11am

Grade 6 Transition (Secondary School)

Tuesday 10th December

Student Reports sent home

Friday 13th December

End of Year Festive Concert/Art Show

Thursday 12th December

Grade 6 Graduation

Tuesday 17th December

Principal

Alex Artavilla

School Council President

Gordon McKenzie

School Supervision Times

8.45am - 9.00am

3.15pm - 3.30pm

'We are a child safe school and compliant with child safety standards. Child safety policies available on website.'



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PRIMARY SCHOOL

****Due to Gr 3/4 Camp we will not send home a paper copy of the newsletter this week.**

Preparing for 2020

****If your child will not be returning to the school in 2020, please let us know at the front office as we are starting to organise our school structure for next year.**

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope everyone enjoyed the extended long weekend. Staff were hard at work planning for our future Vision and Mission. We still have a little bit more work to do and I will update you with details over the next few weeks. In compliance with department regulations all staff have also completed several online learning modules.

As I write, all reports from the campers are that they are having an amazing time and are participating in a variety of exciting activities. Not sure how much sleep everyone is getting...
See Flexibuzz for photos.

Some exciting news:


I am pleased to announce that the Grade 5 and 6 students from Sunshine Heights Primary School were all successful in making the shortlist for the recent Sunshine Short Film Festival. We were lucky enough to receive 2 awards:

3rd prize: Monster School (Grade 6A)

2nd prize: Scary Secrets of Sunshine Heights (Grade 5A)

Congratulations to all our students and special thanks to Miss Francine for all her hard work supporting them.

Jacinta Goldie
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Fundraising Survey

The Fundraising Survey is now closed. Thank you to all staff and parents who participated to share their thoughts.

Big thank you to Andrea (mother of Cooper from 2B) who has volunteered so much of her time to help shape a fundraising concept that reflects the vision and values of the school. Thank you also to the members of the committee.

Peruvian Fiesta

Our Peruvian Fiesta is coming up on November 20th from 9am to 3:15pm. Senorita Irene as planned a range of activities which students, families and teachers will have the opportunity to partake in throughout the day. There will be music, dancing, cooking, craft, sport and a delicious Peruvian lunch! A food order form has been sent home with all the information to order the special Peruvian meal, 'Papa Rellena' (Potato Croquette). Please make sure you put your order in before Wednesday the 6th of November. Our Peruvian chef Evelina will be very excited and happy to see many children trying her national food.

What to wear for the day? Peruvian colours (red and white) or some Peruvian outfit. Señorita Irene has seen Peruvian hats (called 'Chullos') at the Vic market. Surprise us!

Please, join us on the 20th of November to celebrate our SPANISH DAY with a Peruvian theme. All families and carers are welcome!

Parent Questions for Student Reports

Also don't forget that parents can now submit questions for the student reports which will be going home in December. A notice regarding parent questions was sent home last week. This is an opportunity for parents to 'have a say' about the type of information that they receive about their child's academic and social progress.

A final note...

If you have any concerns about your child or the school, feel free to drop in for a chat – or you can catch up with me in the yard before or after school.

Enjoy the term!

Jacinta Goldie
Acting Principal