### G.S.KIDD MEMORIAL SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Term 4, Week 6 20<sup>th</sup> November, 2019





It is hard to believe we are over half way through Term 4. The students continue to work towards our Positive Behaviour for Learning, striving hard in all areas of being **Responsible, Safe and Respectful.** This was certainly shown in all of the students' behaviour during our recent school excursion to Dubbo in Week 5. The students had a wonderful time, and were all excellent ambassadors of their school. All the students who remained at school also displayed amazing **Responsible, Safe and Respectful** behaviour. Congratulations to all GSK students.

This week we feature an article written by one of the students from the Emu Room.



#### The Ugly Witch

One night a boy called Ben was walking past a haunted house. A Witch was inside the haunted house making children soup for dinner. The Witch yelled out to Ben to come inside her house. When Ben went to the door the Witch grabbed his arm tightly and dragged him to her cage that was full of dogs and cats. The Witch opened the cage door and pushed Ben in. Ben was very, very scared.

The witch went to the pantry to get some more vegetables. While the Witch was gone Ben reached out and got the key to open the cage. All of the cats and dogs ran out of the cage to the pantry. The dogs bit the Witch and the cats scratched the witch. The dogs and cats pulled Ben out of the soup and pushed the witch in. That night the dogs, cats and Ben had witch soup

for dinner.

By Rebekah Thomson

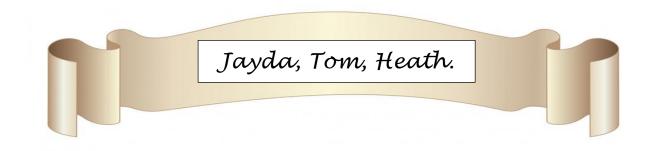


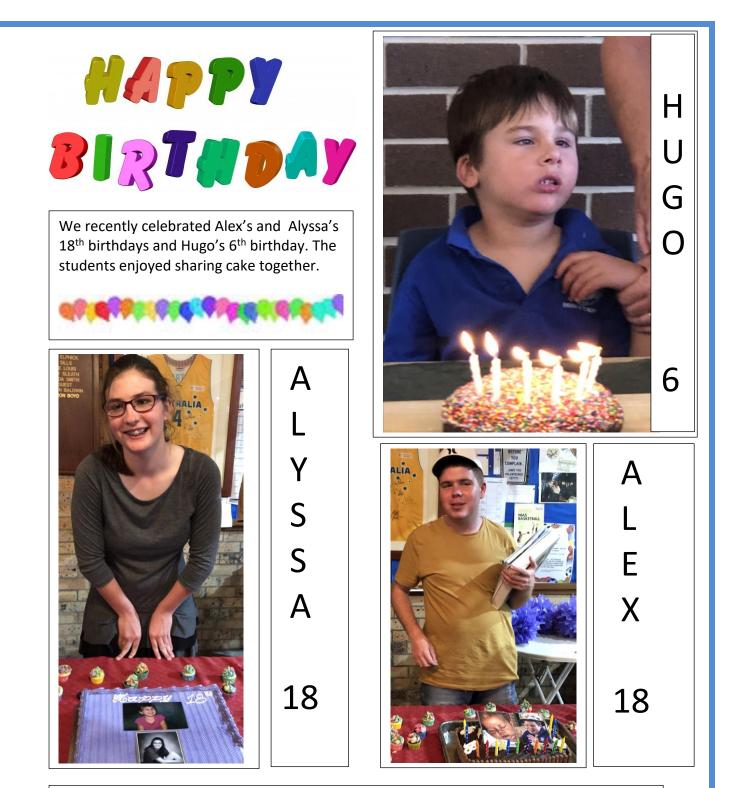
#### Memorial Service

On Friday 8<sup>th</sup> November we held a Memorial service in honour of Tom Knight, Heath King and Jayda Hannaford. It was lovely to see families and friends gather together with our staff and students to remember these three very special people who touched our lives in so many ways during their time here at G.S. Kidd School. Plaques were laid in memory of each of them on our new Memorial Wall in our school garden. The families of Tom, Heath and Jayda are always in our thoughts. A special thank you to the P & C for all your help and for the lovely morning tea that followed.









Some of our staff and students recently assisted at the Links For Life Disability Expo in Tamworth. Their hard work and efforts were very much appreciated.







Morning tea break at Coonabarabran.



#### First stop in Dubbo...... The Royal Flying Doctor Service.

The students thoroughly enjoyed their visit to the centre, engaging in an interactive exploration, experiencing state-of-the-art technology showcasing the courageous and innovative people of the Royal Flying Doctor Service.































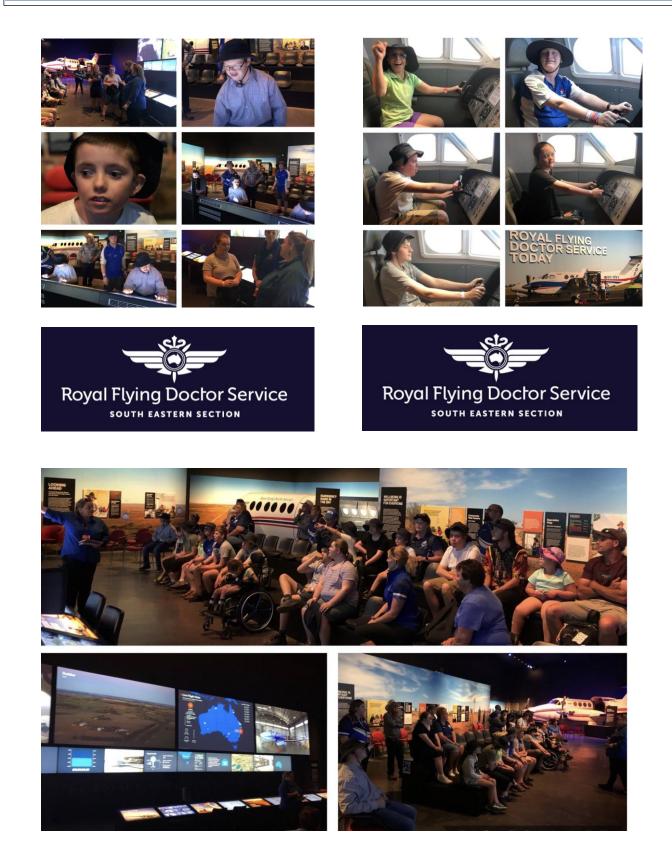


























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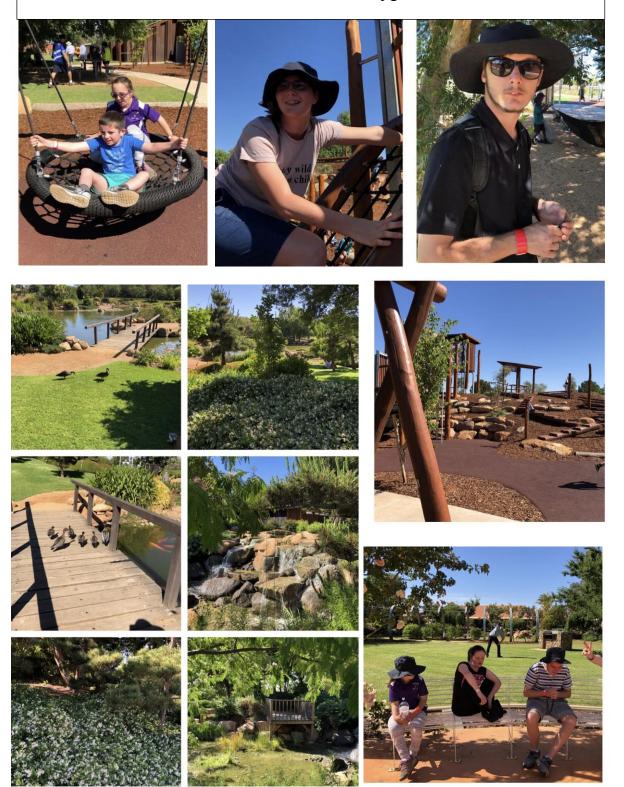








#### Botanical Gardens and Playground





We're Home.....

















#### **PRINCIPAL'S REPORT**

We have a number of key dates coming up:

- RDA Presentation Friday 29th November.
- Presentation Day and family fun afternoon Friday 6th December
- Christmas Lunch provided by the staff for the students –Friday 13th December.

As you can see from the photos in this week's newsletter the excursion to Dubbo last week was a wonderful experience. The students were extremely well behaved and proudly represented our school.

Thank you to the staff who planned the excursion and the staff who remained at school. A special thank you to the staff and volunteers who participated in the excursion. Your efforts were enormous and ensured that our students were able to have an incredible experience – thank you.

#### Principal Bec Maybury



#### CALENDAR:

Date	Day	Activity	Venue
Week 6 18/11	Mon-Fri	Shopping/Cooking	Woolworths/GSK
20/11/2019	Wednesday	Newsletter	
21/11/2019	Thursday	P & C Meeting 5pm	Library
29/11/2019	Friday	RDA Presentation	Showground
06/12/2019	Friday	GSK Presentation Day	GSK
13/12/2019	Friday	Student Christmas Lunch	GSK
18/12/2019	Wednesday	Last Day Of Term 4	

Our whole school Assembly now takes place every Monday afternoon. During this time we present our weekly PBL Awards.

For all regular updates, highlights and photos please visit our Website gskiddmem-s.school.gov.au or follow us on Facebook.

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#### **TODAY'S THOUGHT:**

"Look back and be grateful. Look ahead and be hopeful. Look around and be helpful." <sup>Unknown</sup>









