G.S.KIDD MEMORIAL SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Term 1, Week 2 5th February, 2020



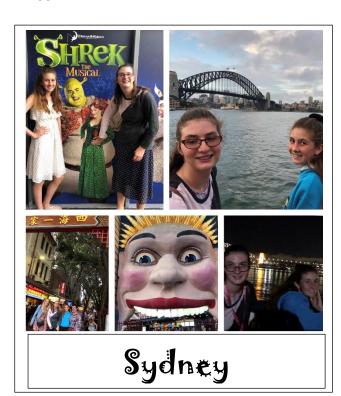


As this is our first Newsletter for the year we would like to welcome back all our students, families and staff after the Christmas holidays. We hope you all had a very relaxing and restful break.

It is great to see the students all settling in so well to their school routine.

We look forward to another busy and exciting year here at GS Kidd.

As promised, we are proud to continue to publish a feature article in our Newsletter written by one of our students. This week we feature an article by Alyssa Ferguson from the Fish Room.



My School Holidays

In the holidays I went to Sydney with my sister Jess and Mrs Hartley. We caught a plane from Tamworth to Sydney.

We stayed in a motel that was high up.

We went out to the Chinese for dinner. It was yummy.

We went to see Shrek the musical. It was so funny.

Then the next day we went to Luna Park and I won a Teddy.

Finally we went on the ferry back to the

Then we flew home.

By Alyssa Ferguson

Intoducing.... The Classes



The Classes Of 2020





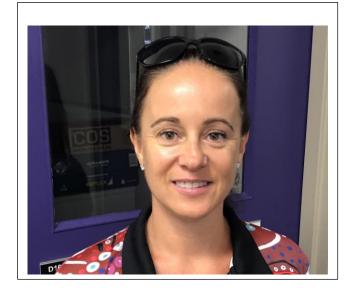






New Faces At GSK



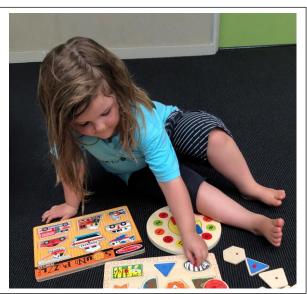




Keep an eye out for our new faces at GSK. We welcome two new staff members and three new students.

Above left Mrs Casey Frend Above right Mrs Brooke Wyllie Left Quincey Scanlon Below left Tanikka Pracy Below right Nathan Dawe











Last Friday Cameron celebrated his 16th birthday with all his friends at school. Thank you to the Tighe family for bringing in the delicious cupcakes. The students all enjoyed them very much.



During the school holidays several of our students had birthdays. Seamus celebrated his 15th birthday, Ava celebrated her 7th birthday, Darcy celebrated his 18th birthday and Nicola celebrated her 16th birthday. We hope all the students enjoyed their special day.



From the Garden

It is wonderful to see all the lovely fresh produce being picked from our own school garden and being used by all our students in their cooking programs.







G.S. Kidd P & C meet on the third Thursday of the month during school term. The meetings take place in the school library and commence at 5pm.

All parents and families are most welcome to come along. It's a great chance to support your school and meet new people.

For any enquiries please contact the P & C President Mrs Bec Dridan on 0428 377 137.



PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Welcome to the 2020 School Year.

It was wonderful to see students excitedly arriving at school last week to embark on their new year of education.

Welcome to our new students and their families, Nathan, Quincey and Tanikka.

Welcome also to our new staff members who have joined the team this year, Mrs Frend and Mrs Wyllie.

Beginning this week we will be meeting to complete students' Individual Education Plans (IEPS). If you haven't already done so, please return your note selecting a suitable time to meet to discuss your student's goals for Semester one.

Also, the annual permission and swimming carnival notes were sent home last week. Please return as soon as possible.

As you know, we have formed a partnership with Gunnedah South Public School to utilise their Canteen every Thursday. The ordering will take place through the app Flexischools.

As we begin the new school year I would like to take this opportunity to highlight that the staff of G. S. Kidd Memorial School are here to work with you to support the education of students. They do a wonderful job and invest much time and emotion in ensuring students are accessing curriculum and being exposed to a variety of programs.

I'm more than happy to meet with families to discuss matters however, as I am teaching more this term, please call the office or email Rebecca.maybury@det.nsw.edu.au to arrange a suitable time. We are looking forward to an exciting and productive school year.

Bec Maybury Principal.

CALENDAR

Week	<u>Date</u>	Day	<u>Activity</u>	<u>Venue</u>
<u>1-5</u>	<u>31/1, 7/2,</u>	<u>Friday</u>	Sport-Swimming,	<u>GSK</u>
	14/2, 21/2, 28/2		Fundamental Movement Skills	
<u>2</u>	05/02/2020	Wednesday	Newsletter	<u>GSK</u>
<u>2</u>	06/02/2020	Thursday	AECG Meeting 4pm	GDH PRESCHOOL
<u>3</u>	10 ^t – 14 th Feb	Mon-Fri	Intensive Swimming (to be confirmed)	GSK POOL
4	17 th -21 st Feb	Mon-Fri	Intensive Swimming (to be confirmed)	GSK POOL
<u>4</u>	19/02/2020	Wednesday	<u>Newsletter</u>	GSK

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:

"Every day may not be good...but there's something good in every day"

Alice Morse Earle

Positive Behaviour For Learning

