



Parap Flyer

Newsletter of Parap Primary School • Darwin Northern Territory

Term 2 Week 3

3 May 2023



IMPORTANT DATES

School Council Meeting
Tuesday 16 May 6:00pm

AFL Gala Day
Wednesday 17 May

Walk Safely to School Day
Friday 19 May

NAP Science Trial—Yr 6
Monday 22 May

National Simultaneous Storytime
Wednesday 24 May

Assembly
Friday 12 May—8:30am
Performance by
4/3 Spinella

Friday 26 May—8:30am
Performance by
2 Chappell

A message from the Principal

Dear families and friends,

On Friday 21st April 2022, our ANZAC Commemorative Assembly was run by our school captains and vice captains. Our special guest, Warrant Officer Jacinta Doyle, gave a speech about the connections between the values of the Anzac's and our own school values.

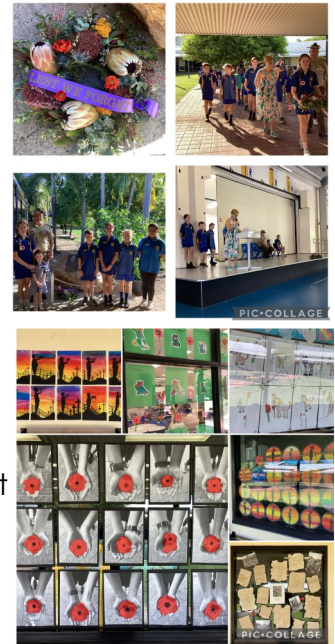
Sergeant Stuart Dorrian walked with the SRC out to our memorial stone. Our oldest and youngest students laid a wreath on behalf of our school, in memory of the service men and women who died at war.



On Tuesday 25 April 2022, our school captains and vice captains attended the Dawn Service, accompanied by me at the Darwin Cenotaph War Memorial. I know that they learnt a lot about the importance of working as a community and always displaying respect for others, from the speeches made by the dignitaries who participated in this event.

This week we have seen our students transformed for the annual School photos. Girls and boys have enjoyed coming to school with their hair done in some fantastic styles. The sibling photos being spread over two days has also been successful and has meant that this has been more efficient for our families.

Many of our year 5 and 6 students participated in the Hockey Gala Day last Friday. It is always fabulous to hear about the joy and anticipation of our students but even more pleasing to learn that they demonstrated our school values and proudly represented our school.



Our School Mission

Working Together, nurturing personal achievement and lifelong learning sustained by explicit values and strong school, family and community partnerships.

Our School Values

PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY, INCLUSION, COOPERATION and GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP

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Hockey Gala Day

Year 5 and 6 students attended the School Sport Hockey Gala day last Friday.



A great day was had by all students, who demonstrated great sportsmanship and resilience throughout the day.

" On Friday I tried hockey for the first time and I recommend that you should try hockey because I had a great time learning about hockey"

Kyte Year 5



Road Safety

Last Friday our school enjoyed a visit from Hector who revised road safety for our Primary Year Classes. The Commonwealth's Assistant Minister for Infrastructure and Transport (The Hon. Carol Brown) also joined us.



Anna Macarounas who is the Community Engagement Officer for Road Safety NT invited Hector to sing and dance for our students from Year 3-6 in this lesson about, road safety, the use of seat belts and bike safety.

It was great to see how many of our students remembered the chants and joined in the session.



Art Project - Yr 3-6

Over the last fortnight students from Year 3-6 have been working on a school art project. We have made one large female turtle and over 20 small hatchlings.



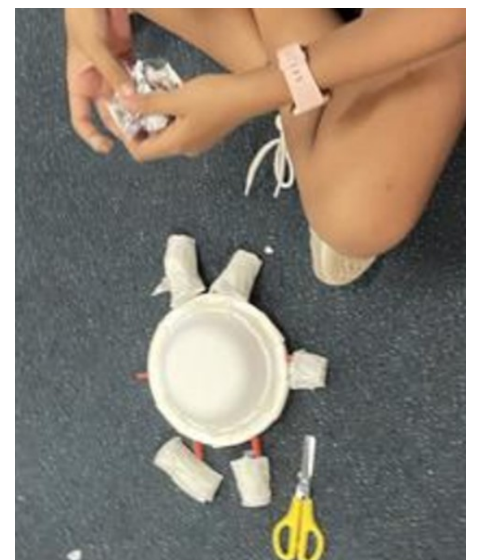
Flat Back Turtles arrive on the Nightcliff Foreshore to lay their eggs. Our school is entering this large piece of work into the Nightcliff Seabreeze Festival, which will be held next weekend.



The students have had lots of fun working on these amazing papier mâché creations and will begin painting them in the next few days.



Photos of the finished products will be sent out soon. It would be fabulous if our Parap families could attend the festival and vote for our work. The prize is decided by the number of votes and we know that you will all love the work of our students.



Certificate of Powerful learning - Term 2 Week 2

RESILIENT LEARNERS

6 Hawken	Eliza F
4/3 Anita	Aanshika S
4/3 Ryan	Maxine R
4/3 Worthy	Scarlette H
2 Giallouris	Indiana W
2 Liveris	Kenzie L
1 Rowe	Digby P
1 White	Millie P

Have a growth mindset.

SELF-DIRECTED LEARNERS

5 Houghton	Charlie B
4/3 Anita	Ezekiel G
4/3 Spinella	Katerina L
4/3 Spinella	Parker M
1 Rowe	Zahra H
1 White	Joey T
1 Sinclair	Daly R
1 Sinclair	Sylvie T
T McGill	Luna C
T McGill	Olive T
T Giallouris	Memphis G

Demonstrate a readiness and willingness to learn.

CURIOUS LEARNERS

5 Houghton	Sharon V
2 Chappell	Riya K

Ask questions to expand their knowledge of the world.

COLLABORATIVE LEARNERS

6 Davies	Ruby A
6 Davies	Noah C
5 Bishop	Brax N
5 Bishop	Cooper W
4/3 Bound	Owen D
4/3 Ryan	Levi J
4/3 Worthy	Logan M
2 Liveris	Mary R

Cooperate with others in play and learning.

CREATIVE LEARNERS

6 Hawken	Scott G
4/3 Bound	Kesha D
2 Chappell	Anas F
2 Giallouris	Layla N
T Sutton	Evie B
T Giallouris	Isabella H

Open their hearts and minds to possibilities.



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LITTLE DANCERS CLASSES

Every Saturday Morning at 9am
5 Charlton Court, Woolner

DARWIN PERFORMANCE ACADEMY

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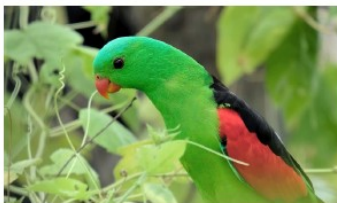
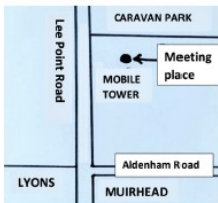


Launch Date 12th May 2023
Event Date 15th June 2023



GOULDIAN WALK

Come and join us around the Lee Point dam area to look for the iconic Gouldian Finch and some of their friends. Access to most sites is suitable for wheelchair users who have someone to assist them.



Bring binoculars if you have them, and insect repellent (recommended) to this **Free Event**, which commences on Saturday 6th and Sunday 7th of May. Start Times on both Saturday and Sunday: 7 am, 5 pm.



IDEAS IN NUTRITION

Vegetables are Very Good

Accredited Practising Dietitians recommend sending vegetables to school every day. Vegetables are packed full of vitamins, minerals and fibre. You could try...

- 1 Get your kids involved
Could they help you shop for, put away, chop or taste the vegetables?
- 2 Chose a vegetable they like
You could ask; "What vegetable would you like in your lunch box? What shape would you like your vegetable to be cut?"
Make it easy
- 3 Vegetables can be a bit harder to chew. If you think they are finding it tricky you could try cutting it into smaller pieces or mixing it into a wet dish.
- 4 Pick the right time
After school and just before dinner are often hungry times for kids. This can be a good time to offer vegetables.

