

Stage 6 and Careers Update

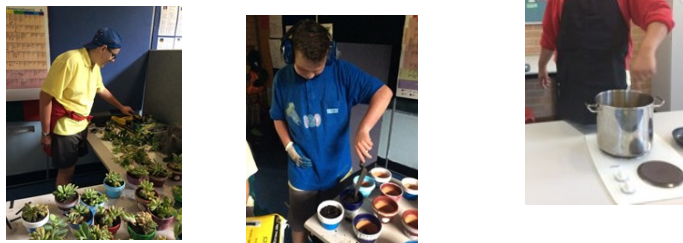
Stage 6 students made *Para Pickles* and *Pots* during Technology groups this term. Students were involved in all the stages of making the pickles, from sterilising the jars, to cutting up the vegetables and stirring the pickles as they cooked. The pots were individually painted and decorated by the students, then planted with succulents. The pots and pickles were sold on Thursday at the IDO Expo at the Fraternity Club. The funds raised will support Year 12 in their end of year activities. Thank you to Tracy Cardile for helping to man and pack up the stall.



Stage 6 parents are reminded that there will be 2 meetings next Wednesday 21st March in the school hall. The first is at 10:00am and the second at 5:00pm, both will run for about 1 hour. All parents and carers are invited to attend. Merryl Bennett will be talking briefly about the Transition to Post School Options and the tours she will be running in May to visit organisations in the Illawarra.

There will also be information on the subjects Stage 6 are studying, our camps this year, fundraising for the formal and schoolies. Class teachers will be in attendance at the 5pm meeting.

Looking forward to meeting with everyone,
Stage 6 teachers and SLSOs.



On Friday Charles Mc Farlane as a member of the NSW Special Olympics team went for afternoon tea with the Prime Minister The Hon. Malcolm Turnbull at Kirribilli House on Sydney Harbour. Congratulations, Charles on your sporting achievements.



Para Meadows Ex-Students Group

Anyone interested in joining the group in 2018 please contact Genevieve on **0417651862** or email:

genovevecertificate@yahoo.com.au

You will be most welcome to come along and join in the fun with lots of social activities! Open to all school leavers and adults with a disability.

Held at Para Meadows School hall from 7pm-9pm every fortnight on a Wednesday night \$3 to attend. There are drinks and chips to purchase and we also serve a light supper

Dates for 2018

28Feb/14Mar/28Mar/11Apr/9May/23May
06Jun/20Jun/4Jul/18//01Aug/15Aug/29Aug
12Sep/26Sep/
10Oct/24Oct/07Nov/21Nov/
05Dec(Xmas party)

Volunteers needed

If interested in helping contact Genevieve on 0417651862 or Karla on 0402492901

Attention Canteen volunteers:
If you are unable to attend your day please phone Tracy on 0438273836
CANTEEN ROSTER



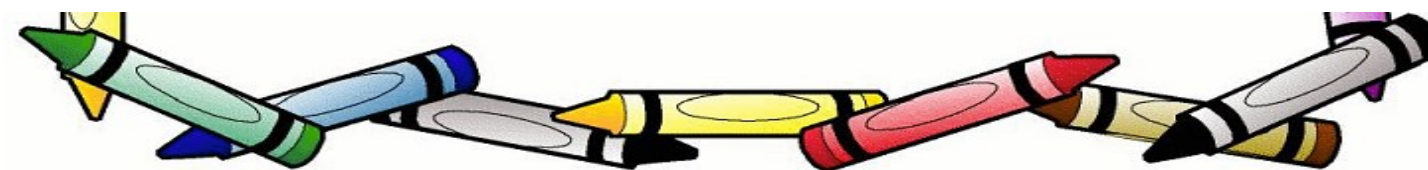
Thu 15th Mar	Jessica
Fri 16th Mar	Paula & John
Mon 19th Mar	Bronwen
Tue 20th Mar	Ian
CLOSED	
Thu 22nd Mar	Tracy& Megan
Fri 23rd Mar	Paula & John
Mon 26th Mar	Kayleen
Tue 27th Mar	Jean
CLOSED	
Thu 29th Mar	Jessica
Fri 30th Mar	Closed P/H



Week 7 14/3/2018

Para Meadows School Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Please come along and join us at our **2018 HARMONY DAY & GRANDPARENTS DAY ASSEMBLY** in the hall at 9:45am on Friday the 23rd of March. After the assembly there will be opportunities to go to the classrooms before joining staff in the staffroom for morning tea.

PARENT EMERGENCY CONTACT DETAILS

It is a legal requirement that parents provide the school with the current address and phone information of all primary carer givers. As part of the enrolment process parents agree to provide this information so the school can best support each student in case of accident or illness. Parents and carers need to be contactable between the school hours of 9:00am and 3:00pm.

HOLIDAYS IN SCHOOL TIME

As a school we encourage families to take holidays in the breaks provided. However, there are always times when this is not practical or an emergency comes up. In these situations, please contact the school for an application for extended leave-travel certificate which is required for any leave longer than 5 days and or the holiday has the child leaving the state or country. Custom officers can stop a child flying without the certificate. There is a link to the form on the school website parameadow-s.school@det.nsw.edu.au and under Parents and Community and then Attendance and Absences.

POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR for LEARNING (PBL)

Over the next few weeks the teachers will be reviewing our PBL rewards system within the classrooms and across the school. We will update everyone as soon as we find the best way to reward all the positive behaviours in Para Meadows.

Best regards for the upcoming fortnight , **Gill Hendry**

UPCOMING EVENTS

14/3 P&C Meeting 9 :30am @ school

There will be no school banking on Friday 16th March

23/3 Grandparents Day and Harmony Day 9:45 am and stay through for a morning tea

29/3 PRIMARY EASTER HAT PARADE 11:30am -1:00pm with afternoon tea provided

30/3 Good Friday (Public Holiday)

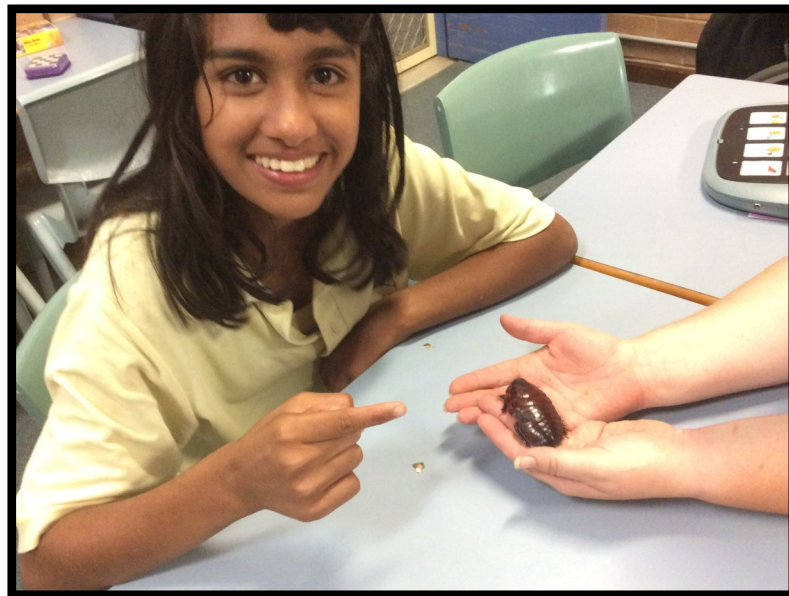
2/4 Easter Monday (Public Holiday)

6/4 Primary 4 Assembly Item and Communication Parents Meeting straight after assembly.

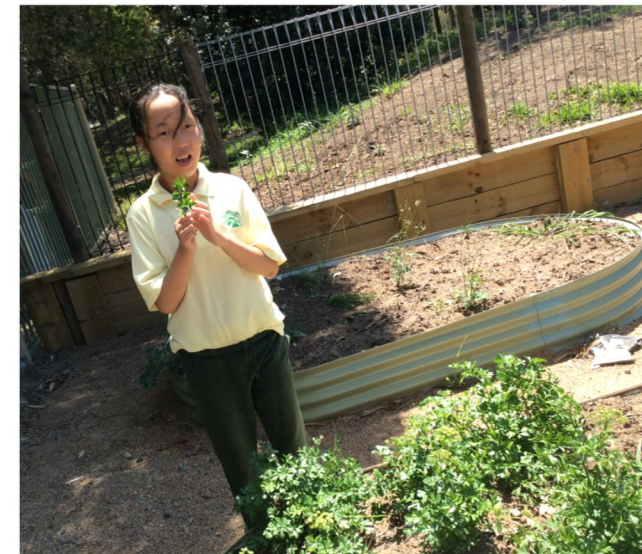
School Fundraiser

You can order the book or digital subscription by following the link <https://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/280859s>

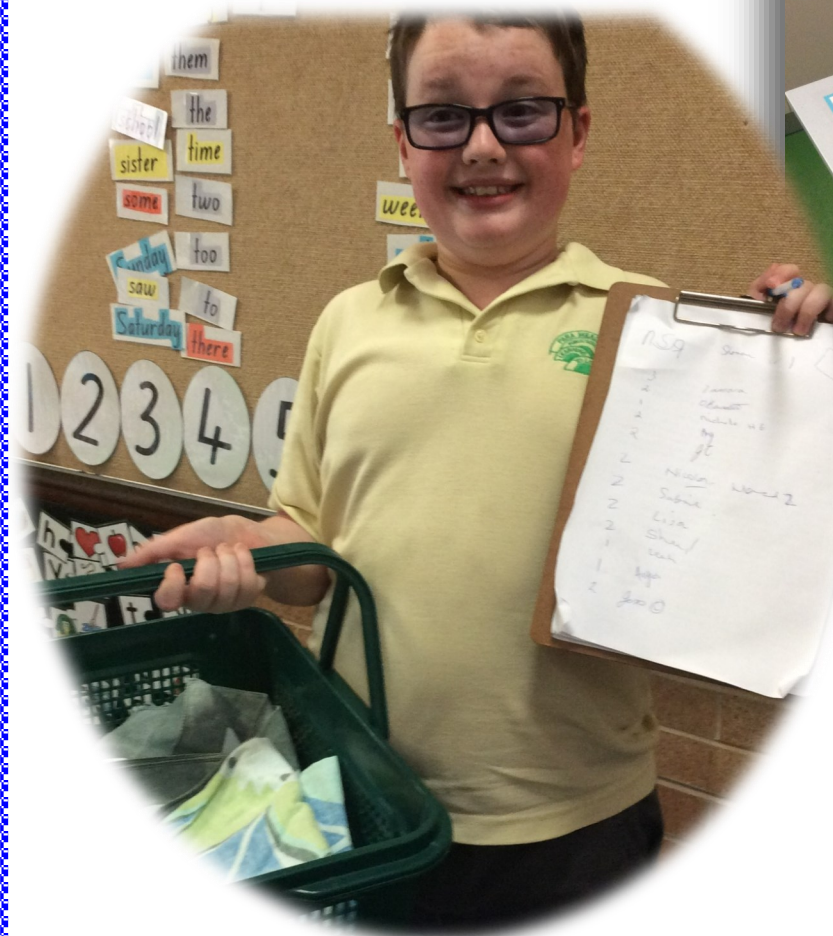




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HS1 have made a terrific start to 2018.

We have been very busy each day working hard on our literacy and numeracy skills, helping out our fellow students and classes delivering tea towels, learning how to keep the beat in music and preparing our school garden for planting.

We recently met some small and not so small critters during our Creepy Creature Experience.