



THE WALLUMETTA NEWS

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The Values We Share

The following students are to be congratulated for receiving values awards at the end of last term.

Term 4 Week 1– Respect

KD	Joe	3F	Taliah
KH	Georgia S	3B	Max
KCW	Zara	3/4R	Nina
KP	Lauren	4A	Iris
1P	Amelia	4M	Amelie
1T	Freya	5G	Ben
1M	Isla	5L	Ebru
1F	Edward	5/6E	Amy
2M	Noemi	6C	Conor
2J	Alex	6N	William
2KM	Zahra		

Term 4 Week 2 - Integrity

KD	Jake	3F	Barney
KH	Keira	3B	Alex
KCW	Markus	3/4R	Uma
KP	Ollie	4A	Aaryan
1P	Skye	4M	Tobi
1T	Xavier	5G	Tom
1M	William	5L	Brian
1F	Hamish	5/6E	Sophie
2M	George	6C	Paige
2J	Akasha	6N	Lara
2KM	Nicholas		

School Planning Parent Forums

Thank you to all the parents who have indicated they will be attending one of 4 forums to be held next week. This is a great opportunity to come and chat with a member of our executive team and let us know **what you think we do well and what we could do better**. Spaces are filling fast so please contact the office asap if you would like to participate. Times are 2.00 – 3.00pm on Monday 3, Tuesday 4, Wednesday 5 and Friday 7 November. Information can be found on the Notes page of the website.

For parents unable to attend one of these sessions during school hours, please feel free to email me directly with any feedback or suggestions you have at judith.partland@det.nsw.edu.au.

Student Congratulations

Our students and teachers have been busily involved in many activities recently.

Young In Art

Congratulations to Amy P (3F) who was awarded first place for Year 3 /4 in the recent 'Young In Art' competition for her artwork titled **Beach Impression**. The judges commented that Amy 'had beautifully captured the beach on a summer's day, with use of vivid blues and yellows in classic impressionist style'. Amy received \$150 prize money.

Congratulations also to Andrea L (KCW) who was awarded Highly Commended for her artwork titled **Rainbow Cow** and Patrick H (4M) who was also awarded Highly Commended for his artwork titled **Deadlox**. Both Andrea and Patrick received a \$60 art and craft voucher.

Thank you to Mrs Judge for co-ordinating this event at school.

Bennelong Music

Hamish S, Georgia C, Uma D, Amirah Y and Noah D performed in The Bennelong Music "Superband" for the International Ping-Pong Championships over the weekend. The band was invited by local MP John Alexander and the students from Gladesville Public were part of 25 children representing music in the Bennelong Electorate from Year 4 to Year 10. They received amazing reports and we are very proud, not only of their performance, but also of their outstanding behaviour and professionalism. These students were selected for their musical ability and will be taking part in future events.

Filmmakers

Congratulations to all three film-making groups for having their films, '*Hunt for Memories*', '*Teacher's Pet*' and '*Reflection to Find Perfection*' chosen to be screened at the ArtsNorth Film-Festival at the Dendy Opera Quays on November 6. Well done to film-makers Elizabeth B, Alana, Lara M, Imogen B, Sofia, Chloe R, Tully, Max, Chloe B, Imogen G, Alessia, Nadia, Conan, Elizabeth M, Mitchell, Abbey, Oscar, Emma, Josh, Connor L, George D, Rose, Lara Z, Monique, George G, Imogen K, Conor H, James J, Giselle, William, James D, Spiro and Siobhan.

A wonderful achievement with special thanks to their teachers, Ms Jencsok, Ms Kotouc and Mrs McDaid.

Athletics

Congratulations to Hannah M for her outstanding results at the recent State PSSA Athletics Carnival. Hannah placed 2nd in the Shotput event and will now represent NSW in the National PSSA Carnival in Tasmania. A spectacular achievement Hannah!

Parent Thanks

A huge thank you to all parents, led by our Grounds Committee Coordinator Helen Kirkman, for their efforts at the Working Bee on the weekend. Our school grounds are looking really beautiful, and we sincerely thank all families involved for their hard work. It is really appreciated.

Kindergarten Orientation 2015

Kindergarten Orientation Invitations were posted home at the start of term so I urge any families who have younger siblings starting Kindergarten in 2015 to enrol as a matter of urgency if you haven't already done so.

Judi Partland

Principal

SRC for Term 4

Congratulations to the students who have been elected to represent their class at the SRC.

Nikita 1T

Anika 1P

Emily 1M

Lennart 1F

Spencer 2J

Jack 2KM

Meghann 2M

Gemma 3F

Shyan 3B

Shanni 3/4R

Maea 4A

Harry R 4M

Harry I 5L

Jedd 5G

Pishoy 5/6E

James D and Siobhan 6N

Vanessa 6C

Hilary Judge

Coordinator

New Book Club

Magazines from a great new supplier, Redgum Book Club, will be sent home this week. Please note all orders should be made online, by phone, fax or mail by 17 November.

P&C News

GPS P & C End of Year Celebration

Date : Saturday 29 November 2014

Time: 6:00 – 10.00pm (or longer for those who want to party on)

Venue: Bayview Tavern, Gladesville

Cost: \$25 per head (includes a drink voucher and assortment of canapés)

RSVP – Monday 24 November

Come and celebrate the end of the school year. We know the end of year is busy so rather than lots of separate class dinners join us for a whole school get together!

Help the Kindergarten families celebrate the end of their first year at GPS and say farewell to the Year 6 families. Catch up with everyone before the holidays! Come for some or all of the evening.

Please use the following link to book your tickets <http://www.trybooking.com/GGSE> or <http://www.trybooking.com/109984>

Alternatively please put your name/number/email/Child's class on an envelope and enclose either cash or cheque payable to Gladesville Public School P and C Association and place the envelope in the P&C box at the GPS office.

Please contact Melissa or Marnie with any questions at gladespc@gmail.com

Twilight Market Friday 21 November:

Come to an evening of shopping hosted by GPS P&C, with a variety of stalls to cater to your shopping needs especially in time for Christmas.

Date: Friday November 21, 2014

Time: 2-8 pm

Venue: Gladesville Public School Hall (entrance of Linsley Street)

Cost: Free Entry

Visit our Facebook page www.facebook.com/GPSTwilightMarkets

Uniform Shop

The Uniform Shop will be open the two orientation days, Tuesday 4 and 11 November from 10.30am-12pm and on Friday 7 November from 9.30am-11am for 2015 Kindergarten Children. For these open times we will be in the hall near the Kindergarten rooms.

Universal Children's Day

A special service celebrating Universal Children's Day will be held on Sunday 2 November at 11.00am at the Bahai House of Worship, 173 Mona Vale Rd, Ingleside.