

# THE WALLUMETTA **NEWS**

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## The Values We Share

## Term 4 Week 1\_ Excellence

Term 4 Week 1– Excellence				Term 4 Week 2 – Excellence			
KP	Suan	2/3KM	Alix	KP	Syafira	2/3KM	Zak
KCW	Alex	3F	Keegan	KCW	Keeley	3F	Noemi
KH	Jenna	3/4R	Remy	KH	Lucas	3/4R	Harry
1P	Montana	4P	Eric	1P	Jeet	4P	Ghazal
1 <b>S</b>	Holly	4C	Bridgette	1 <b>S</b>	Orlando	4C	Jiani
1B	Markus	5L	Keira	1 <b>B</b>	Ollie	5L	Oliver
1F	Lucas	5E	Emilia	1F	Julian	5E	Layla
2J	Ben	5/6C	Cameron	2J	Elliot	5/6C	Nicholas
2C	Julia	6M	Sophie	2C	Leo	6M	India
2H	William	6G	Hannah	2H	Emma	6G	Abbey

## **Student Congratulations**

Well done to our Boys Soccer Knockout team gallant in defeat against Tacking Point Public School last week. What a fantastic achievement to place third in the State competition. We are all very proud of your efforts. A huge thank you to their coach Mr Roberts for his ongoing encouragement and enthusiasm.

Congratulations to Peggy (1F) who won the Granny Smith writing competition 'Why is your granny so special?' Peggy's entry read:

"I like my Granny because she is a champion at baking rissoles and sings the best songs." Peggy proudly rode in an open-topped fire engine with her granny and 5 friends in the Granny Smith Festival Parade last weekend. Well done Peggy!

Congratulations to all of our film makers on both films being chosen for screening at the Northern Sydney Region Arts Alive Film Festival at the Dendy Quays, Opera House, on Thursday 5 November. A huge than you to Miss Koutoc and Ms Jenscok who, once again, have provided encouragement and inspiration to our aspiring film directors!

Congratulations for a fabulous effort to our Milo Cup teams who competed in the latest round of this competition last week. Team A progresses through to the next level on Tuesday 3 November that will determine who represents NSW in Melbourne this year. A fantastic effort boys!

In news hot off the press, the following students received prizes in the Young In Art Competition.

Amber P – Highly Commended for her artwork titled 'Stunning Flowers'

Tilly A – Commended for her artwork titled 'What Are You Looking At?'

Allegra P – Commended for her sculpture tilted 'Scary Tree'

Congratulations girls and thank you to Mrs Cowlishaw and Miss Borg for coordinating this program.

## **Kindergarten Orientation Program**

On Tuesday 20 October and 27 October 9.30 - 11.30 am, we are holding our orientation mornings for new Kindergarten children and parents for 2016.

During these sessions the kindergarten children of 2016 will spend time within the Kindergarten classrooms while the parents will be presented with information on the aspects of starting school at Gladesville. There will also be an opportunity to meet staff, parent community members and other new Kindergarten parents during our 'starting school marketplace'.

We look forward to welcoming you and your family to the Gladesville school community.

Judi Partland Principal

#### Term 4 SRC Reps

The students listed below have been elected by their peers to represent their class on the StudentRepresentative Council. Congratulations to:1B Stella T2C Lachlan F2H Timothy L

1B Stella T 1F Lucas C 1P Finlay W 1S Jake P 5E Aaryan S 6G Sadaf P

2J Charlie F 3F Keegan V 4P Siena P 5L Tobi S 6M Taylor B 2H Timothy L 2/3KM Giulio M 3/4R Harry M 4C Aidan M 5/6C Conan W

Hilary Judge Coordinator

#### **Sports News**

The GPS Boys Soccer team performed exceptionally well in last week's State Knockout Finals at Valentine Park. They played magnificently in their semi-final against Tacking Point PS before conceding an unfortunate goal in the last minute of play to go down 2-1. While disappointed, the boys demonstrated great team spirit and fantastic sportsmanship and were able to lift and defeat Hillsborough PS 2-1 in the play-off for 3rd place. This team has represented our school with great distinction for the duration of the competition and I am extremely proud of their level of dedication, skill and enthusiasm.

We sent two teams to the Sydney Final of the Milo T20 Cricket Cup last Wednesday where they had the chance to play a series of games against other Zone Champions. The Boys continued to play an exciting brand of cricket with our Blue Gladesville team emerging as Sydney North Champions for the second successive year after defeating Shore Prep in a thrilling final. The boys will now advance to the State Final on Tuesday 3 November at Blacktown Sports Centre. If the team is successful on this day they will earn the right to fly down to Melbourne to play the National Final at the Melbourne Cricket Ground.

This week Tully S has flown down to Hobart to represent NSW in the National PSSA Tennis Championships while next week Rory S, Ryan S and Tully S will represent Sydney North at the State PSSA Cricket Championships in Barooga.

Four rounds remain before the semi-finals of the Summer PSSA competition with all teams still in contention. After Round 10 our teams were placed in the following positions: Junior Girls T-Ball – 3rd Junior Boys T-Ball – 2<sup>nd</sup> Senior Cricket – 2nd Senior Cricket – 1st

David Roberts Coordinator

### Young in Art

The annual Young in Art Competition will have its Official Opening on Wednesday 21 October at Hunters Hill Town Hall commencing at 6pm. Selected artworks from all classes were submitted to this competition, well done to those artists, listed below, whose work is being displayed at this exhibition:

Kindergarten	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3
Dorothy L	Gloria C	Charlie F	James B
Josephine B	Noah K	Isaac T	Bridget B
Joshlyn J	Joe S	Chloe B	Ellise T
Freya A	Jessica C	Sofia L	Amelia S
Saul E	Shahoren H	Nikita S	Lachlan L
Alex H	Issy P	Demi K	Nyssa M
Xavier M	Evie W	Jacinta S	Charlee K
Lucas Mc	Jonte S	Sophie Y	Leon S
Lexie C	Jackson C	Scarlett F	Hugh Mc
Isabel N	Alex T	Arisa D	-
April E	Lauren M	Amanda N	
Amelia C	Holly M	Isabel H	
Emily Mc	Olivia C	Edward W	
	Remy S	Amber P	
	Julian W	Elysia F	
	Ocienne F		
	Ava P		
	Isabell M		
	Allegra P		
Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	
Amy P	Nicole N	Tully P	
Alex J	Layla B	Jacob Z	
Eleanor S	Xanthe T	Taylor B	
Elisa Y	Sophia C	Sophie R	
Sophie M	Naomi C	Kenny L	
Georgia S	Miyu T	Rory S	
Tilly A	Georgia S	Jedd D	
Finn F	Bea A	Elizabeth M	
Bella G	Kaden B	Lara M	
Amelia D	Amelie B	Ben K	
Jasmine K	Maynard D	Imogen G	
Eric H	·	Max S	
Elizabeth A		Andrei S	
Nina S			

#### Special Congratulations to:

Amber P (Year 1) Highly Commended Award Tilly A Yr 3 & 4 artwork & Allegra P in Year 1 who received Commended Awards. The judges' comments show the skill and effort involved in these creating works: "Nice technique, beautiful, simple. Free use of colour and space." "Amazing! So emotional and individual. Colours are bright and fun." "Fabulous use of recycled materials. Very original and innovative. Cleverly executed." Well done!

Jackie Borg and Vanessa Cowlishaw Coordinators

#### Wakakirri People's Choice Awards

Voting for the Wakakirri People's Choice Awards has opened to allow people to view and vote on the NSW finalists. Watch the State winning GPS production and make your opinions heard; <u>http://www.wakakirri.com/mainsite/nsw-primary-peoples-choice-award-gladesville-public-school/</u> Voting closes on 30 November, encourage friends and families to vote too!

Alicia Elsinga Coordinator

#### **Gladesville Public School P&C**

P and C Associations are the forum for parents and citizens in government schools who have an interest in their child's education. In 2016 some key positions within Gladesville Public School P and C will become vacant. The P and C would like to invite all parents to consider becoming a member. Without a fully functioning P and C for the school, the essential services could cease to exist. For example the closure of the uniform shop would result in out-sourcing to retail outlets and higher prices. If you are interested in one of the following positions, please contact Ali – alisonfield@stonerecruitment.com.au for more information and to be put in contact with current position bearer. All of the following positions will become vacant at the November AGM meeting on Wednesday 25th November

> President Vice President/s Secretary Treasurer Vice Treasurer Uniform shop co-ordinator/s Events co-ordinator/s Music co-ordinator – strings and band Grounds co-ordinator.

Our next meeting is October 28th. All welcome – we will be acknowledging and farewelling parents whose children are leaving the school and who have been integral part of the P and C over the years. We look forward to hearing from you.

Ali Andrews President

# **GPS P&C EVENT – THIS SATURDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER**

Please remember to buy your tickets today, Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> October, for this Saturday Night's P&C End of Year Celebration. http://www.trybooking.com/JIGQ