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'Quality Education in a Friendly, Caring and Supportive Environment'

#### Dear parents,

#### Welcome Mr Guinane

Email:

Website:

We were so happy to welcome Mr Guinane to our school this week. He has absolutely hit the ground running and has quickly become popular amongst students with his gentle manner and attempts to mark the football backwards during break times.

#### **Cross Country**



The students who represented our school during the cross country today made us proud. They each ran their own race and gave their all. Well done to Isaac and Angus Ferguson who placed third

and fourth and to Rylea Bailey ran a spectacular 11th. Thank you to Mr Guinane and Heidi Ferguson for supporting them during this event and to parents who took the time to cheer them on.





### Respect

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#### Excellence

## Relationships

SCHOOL COUNCIL Acting Principal Julie Ladd

President Leah Bailey

Vice President Shannon Zimmer

**Treasurer** Heidi Ferguson

Finance Committee Leah Bailey Heidi Ferguson Julie Ladd

Minute Secretary Julie Ladd

Members Leah Bailey Heidi Ferguson Rae O'Toole Joelene Simsen

#### ANZAC Dawn Service

The dawn Service for ANZAC Day will take place on Sunday at 5:45 am. Students from Bridgewater Primary School will be laying a wreath at the service. This week they learnt some facts about ANZAC Day with Mr G and created a poppy garland. This will be on display during the post service community breakfast. Please ensure that your child is in school uniform if you decide to attend – we would love to see you there!

#### Grounds Grant

A surveyor came out to the school last Friday to measure the playground area that has been identified for synthetic turf. This information will be passed to the playground architects who will contact the school (including students) for feedback around a design. The oval across the road will not be included in the project, just the area around the playground and the back of the school. Hopefully there will be enough money for a space-net or equivalent to replace some of the old metal equipment.

#### Lunch orders, Breakfast and Lunch Club

Unless notified otherwise, the breakfast and lunch clubs will take place on the following days:

Breakfast Club – Mondays and Wednesdays

Cheerios cereal

Toast with peanut butter/vegemite/jam

Porridge Fruit cups Warm Milo

Occasionally eggs (if the hens are on the lay)

#### Lunch Club – Wednesdays

Cheese toasties Spaghetti/Baked Beans and cheese jaffles Fruit Chicken Noodle/Beef Stock Pot/Pumpkin Soup and bread Possibly fruit pie (made with canned fruit) at times

#### Lunch orders - Friday

Order forms will be sent home with each newsletter and are due by Thursday so that Jo can take them to the bakery. Lunch-orders are an optional extra and not in any way an expectation each week.

If your child has any medical issues with any of the food listed above or you would prefer that they did not participate, please let Mr G, Jo or myself know.

Thank you to our chaplain, Ali Gillett, who continues to coordinate our school meals program.

#### **Student Attitudes to School Survey**

The portal for this survey is now open for school access. Students will be surveyed in the coming weeks about their feelings towards school, learning, resilience etc. If your child is in grade 4-6, please read the consent information attached to this newsletter.

We take student voice seriously at our school and hope to use the information we receive for future planning etc.

#### **The Very Hungry Caterpillar Production**

On Tuesday the 27th of April, the Prep students will be heading to the Ulumburra Theatre to watch 'The Hungry Caterpillar' production. If your child is in Grade Prep, please find the permission form attached. The cost for this excursion has been covered by the school fees for 2021.

#### Inglewood Disco

Some of the students at Inglewood Primary School have been organising school projects. Our students have been invited to a teacher supervised disco next week. They are also selling muffins that will be delivered on a Thursday when we are at the school

#### **Collaborative Learning at Inglewood Primary School**

Please find attached to this newsletter some new permission forms. A few details have changed (such as staff transport) and it is important that consent to participate and travel is up to date.

#### **Assembly**

Assembly has been changed to Thursday afternoons at 3:10pm so Mr G can participate.

Have a great weekend, Julie Ladd (Principal)

## Student Awards - Aussie of the Month

The classroom awards recognise students who are demonstrating skills that are in line with our school values, Respect, Excellence and Relationships. Please note that this award will be presented next Thursday.



Student	Reason
Noah	Noah has been working hard to improve his understanding across a range of curriculum areas. He was an excellent leader and role model to his younger peers during the sad passing of our chicken, Noodles. Noah will be present- ed with his certificate at the assembly next week.

## mpoant Dates

Term 2 Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5
Monday 26th	MAY	Monday 10th	Monday 17th
Breakfast Club	Monday 3rd	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club
	Breakfast Club		
Tuesday 27th		Wednesday 12th	Wednesday 19th
Prep Excursion Ulumbarra	Wednesday 5th	Lunch Club	Sydney Dance Co
Thearter—The Very Hungry	Lunch Club	School Council Meeting	Lockwood Sth Hall 2-3pm
Caterpillar	Regional Cross Country		
	Disco 5-7pm	Thursday 13th	Thursday 20th
Wednesday 28th		MARC	Cluster Athletics Day
Lunch Club	Thursday 6th	Assembly	
	Inglewood Extension		Friday 21st
Thursday 29th			Newsletter
MARC	Friday 7th		
Assembly	Finance Meeting		
	Newsletter		

No Birthdays this newsletter...



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# Schola*s*tic Book Club



Issue 3 is attached to this week's newsletter, please return orders with money to the school office box by Thursday 6th May, order on line through LOOP

# **ANZAC DAY DAWN SERVICE**

At the Bridgewater Memorial Hall, Sunday 25th April, 5.45am. No March. Free Gunfire Breakfast to follow. School Uniform is to be worn. Students will lay a wreath to convey our respects to our service men and women.



