

TONY MCCARTNEY'S FAREWELL DINNER

Mr McCartney will not be returning to The Risk. He has retired from teaching. We were lucky to farewell Tony last week. The P & C presented him with a gift and a beautiful card signed by all our students. Tony and his Wife have moved to Maryborough to be closer to family. The staff had a special dinner to acknowledge his contribution to The Risk community.

We wish Tony all the best for his retirement.



MEMORIES

Left - loved Risky Cup Day

Right - Always wore a smile



Left - Always keen for a game of touch footy

Below - Never shied away from a reason to dress up





The Risk Public School

NEWSLETTER

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Term 2 Week 10

ALL OF OUR ATHLETES ACHIEVE AT THE ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

The rain stayed away and the carnival began, The Risk students ran, jumped, threw and competed alongside their competitors from COLOURSS. Some athletes achieved their personal best while others just enjoyed competing. Wherever you looked students in green shirts were having a go with a "can do" attitude. Special thanks to Larry Condon and Tony McCartney for their work on the day. The setting up and packing up was supported by Geoff Dalgairns and Troy Garred. Extra hands are always appreciated thank you to both these parents. Congratulations to our seven "Risky Champions" -

- ♦ Rachael Piggott - Senior Girl Champion
- ♦ Marley Graham - Senior Boy Champion
- ♦ Xavier Cook - Runner Up Senior Boy Champion
- ♦ Travis Marvin - 11 Years Boy Champion
- ♦ Che' Garred - Junior Boy Champion
- ♦ Georgia Duley - Junior Girl Champion
- ♦ Loretta Faulks - Juvenile Girl Champion



WEEKLY AWARDS

STAGE 1

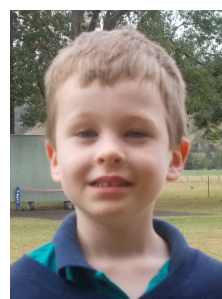
JETHRO GIBBS

STAGE 2

TARA COOPER

STAGE 3

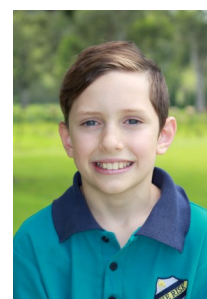
TRAVIS MARVIN



Mastering the logging on process



Writing an honest, emotional recount about the Athletics Carnival



Scoring 100% in his weekly spelling tests

TOGETHER WE LEARN

SCHOOL REPORTS

The students will bring home a mid-year report attached to the newsletter. The staff have modified this document in accordance with Departmental expectations on "What" to report and "How" to report. We would appreciate your feedback on this updated document. If parents would like to discuss their child's report please negotiate a suitable time with Sushira or myself.

NAIDOC DAY - THURSDAY 5th JULY

We will be travelling to Rukenvale Public School on Thursday to join with students and teachers from COLOURSS to celebrate NAIDOC Day. Transport will be by private car. Rukenvale P & C are offering a Meal Deal. Please complete the attached paperwork if you wish your children to purchase lunch on the day.

YEAR 3 - 6 MOVIE

One of the reading groups in the senior classroom has completed a novel study on the book "Wonder". It tells the story of August Pullman who was born with a facial difference and did not attend mainstream school until Year five. He wants to be treated as an ordinary kid - but his new class mates can't get passed Auggies extraordinary face. The book explores the themes of empathy, compassion and acceptance. After reading the book, the students are keen to watch the movie which has a PG rating. We plan to show the movie on Friday afternoon for years 3 - 6 ONLY. The Department of Education guidelines require parental permission for students to watch movies with a PG rating. Please complete yet another permission note, if you agree to your child watching the movie "Wonder".

MUFTI DAY - Wednesday 4th July

This Wednesday will be our mufti day. Students are to wear appropriate clothing with closed in shoes.

FRIDAY ASSEMBLY

We will host our End of Term Assembly on Friday Morning starting at 9.30am. This is a change in routine. Parents and friends are invited to come to the school to enjoy the students performances and celebrate their achievements. A morning tea will be available in the library after the end of assembly.

THIS FRIDAY'S LUNCHES

FREE Bacon and Egg Burgers with juice

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

Term 2 has been a very busy and enjoyable ten weeks. Your children need a holiday to recharge and relax. School will finish on Friday 6th July. Teachers and staff will return on Monday 23rd July for a School Development Day and students will return on Tuesday 24th July. This weeks quote was inspired from the athletics carnival -

"The Athletics Carnival is a day to encourage each other, challenge yourself, respect others, feel proud of yourself and to enjoy spending time with friends from other schools"

Isabella Rixon Year 5

"Enjoy this special time with your children"

Louise Petherbridge
R/Principal

EVENTS & DATES TO REMEMBER - TERM 2, 2018 (10 weeks)

LAST DAY TERM 2	6TH JULY
SDD TERM 3	23RD JULY
STUDENTS RETURN TERM 3	24th JULY

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