

Powerful, self directed learners who belong, believe and achieve

DIARY DATES

August 22nd

Book Week Assembly
and Pageant
@9:00am in PAC
~bring along a morning tea to share~

September 11th

Open Morning
9:00am-10:00am

September 16th

Science Incursion

September 17th

Year 4/5 Festival of Music
Excursion

September 18th

Brainstorm Incursion

September 19th

School Photo Day

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From Ms Keddie...

ROOM 7 FAIR

A huge CONGRATULATIONS to Mrs Wood and her year 4/5 students for organising and managing a highly successful fair on Saturday. It was great to see so many families take advantage of the lovely weather and support the fundraising for their class camp.

The students have been working on the researching, planning and organising for many weeks. They have managed budgets and made sure each of their games or stalls made a profit to go towards their camp.

Their leadership skills and teamwork were very evident on the weekend. I'm sure they will have a fantastic camp!

BOOK WEEK

Don't forget to come along and see our Book Week Parade this Thursday! Assembly at 9:00am in the PAC.

Premier's Reading Challenge

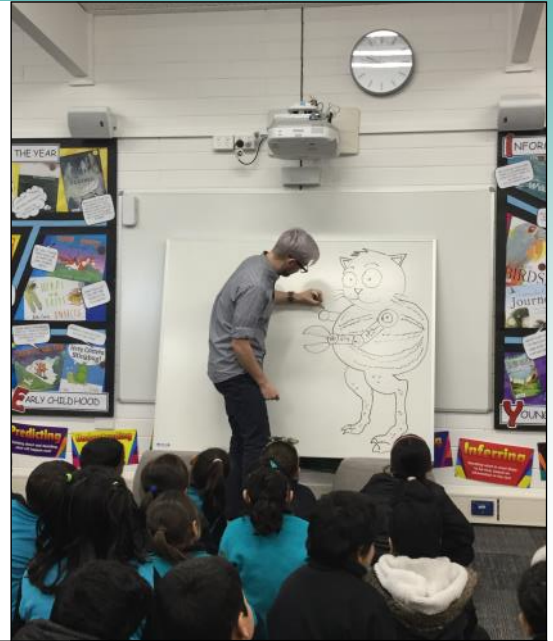
Just a reminder that students have until **August 23rd, 2019** to complete their reading for the Premier's Reading Challenge. Reading Records must be filled out and handed in to class teachers by this date in order to earn an award.




Dan McGuinness Visit

As part of our Book Week celebrations our Year 2– 7 students were treated to a visit from author and illustrator, Dan McGuinness. Dan has written his own graphic novel series, Pilot and Huxley, and has illustrated many other books, including Anh Do's, Hot Dog series. Dan shared with us his story and his inspirations for taking up drawing. He helped our students see how creative they all already are. Calling upon students' ideas, they together drew amazingly whacky characters living in some very unusual places.

Our students came away from the visit with an understanding that whatever they create is right! There is no wrong way to be creative—so just go for it! Dan taught us some great drawing tips too. Like adding a horizon line to our drawings when creating a background—everything above the line is in the sky and everything below is on the ground. With helpful tips like these and Dan's words of encouragement, it wouldn't be a surprise if we have some new graphic novelists popping up at Hampstead Primary School in the future.





BIG BOOK SALE

Thursday, August 22nd

Pre-loved books ranging from 50c to \$2

**Books available to buy before school,
straight after the Book Week Parade, and
at recess time.**

Located on the courts near Miss Tanner's office.

Book Week 2019

19th August—23rd August

Reading is My Secret Power

**Special
Book Week
Assembly**

**Thursday,
22nd August**
9am in the PAC

*All families
welcome*

**Book Mark Design
Competition**
+
**Library lunchtime
activities all week**

**Dress Up as
your favourite
book character!**

**Thursday, 22nd
August**

*School parade after
assembly*

Shared Morning Tea
Thursday, 22nd August

*Please bring along a plate of
food to share*

Room 7 news!

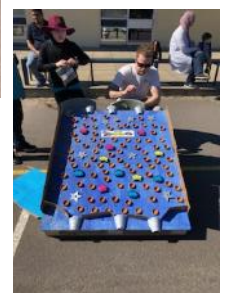
What a busy start to the term we have had! From cooking to yoga and EVERYTHING in between. We've already hosted an assembly this term, sharing our learning from our math investigations around chance and data. We have been conducting different experiments and investigations to collect data and then analyzing this data to see what it is telling us.



Our School Fair

What a huge success our camp fundraising fair was. We had beautiful weather and a fantastic turn out. Room 7 would like to thank everyone who supported us in one way or another, whether you helped on the day, came down with your families and friends or donated something, we appreciate it all very much. It was wonderful to see so many families there enjoying some time together.

This fair was not only about raising money to help pay for our camp, it has been an ongoing learning inquiry since the beginning of the year and the students have learnt many skills that they will carry through life with them. They worked so hard and were very responsible on the day - One EXTREMELY proud teacher right here!!



LITERACY AND NUMERACY FESTIVAL 2019

**PARENT AND COMMUNITY FORUM
22 AUGUST 2019**

PARENTS AND FAMILIES ARE THE DIFFERENCE THAT MATTERS

You make an enormous contribution to your child's learning development! Come along and learn more about how you can support your child's literacy and numeracy learning!

FREE COMMUNITY FORUM

Thursday 22nd August 2019, 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm
Education Development Centre, 4 Milner Street, Hindmarsh

[Click here to register](#)



KEYNOTE SPEAKER: PROFESSOR MARTIN WESTWELL

Professor Westwell is a world renowned educator with vast knowledge of early childhood education. He is currently Chief Executive of the SACE Board. He will talk about actions you can take to impact on your child's learning.



This free community forum is part of the annual Literacy and Numeracy Festival which is supported by the Department for Education, Catholic Education SA, the Association of Independent Schools SA, the SACE Board and major educator professional associations.



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Students have the opportunity to participate in a variety of unforgettable experiences. They are included in a number of different performances each year. Some of these involve special costumes, sets, lighting and are staged in professional theatre spaces.

Students are often invited to participate in additional optional events such as TV work, charity concerts, Adelaide Fringe events, Christmas Pageants, modelling and more!



Our school has its own **Skoolbag App** to help us communicate more effectively with our Parent community. All school notices will be uploaded to the app.

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