BOOK Parade

Congratulations to all the students who came dressed in wonderful costumes for our book parade. The parade was very colourful. I would like to thank Mrs Rajapakse, Mrs Lal and Mrs Dyga for organising this event. A special thanks to all the parents who came to support their children.
Our Super Heroes!
We would like to wish Mrs Nielsen and Mrs Melia a happy and safe holiday. They will be on long service leave starting Monday 1st September and will return next term.

Congratulations to Mrs Lawrence and Mrs Watling who both celebrated a significant birthday.

Mr Liu has become a new father to Benjamin and we wish Mr and Mrs Lui all the very best as they start their new life as parents. I would like to welcome back Mrs Warda who has been on leave.

I would also like to welcome our Practicum students who will be with us for the next few weeks working on KD, 5/6L and 6A. I am sure they will enjoy their time in our wonderful school.
Stage 1 meet
Community Helpers
Kindergarten Planting
**Debating News**

On Thursday 21st August, Prairievale's debating team travelled to Bossley Park Primary school to compete in a debate. Our speakers this week were Desmond Hwang, Sheevali Ram, Sara Rhaima and Anthony Herrera. The topic was 'The best things in life are free.' Prairievale Public School won the debate! Congratulations to our debating team!

**Wakakirri**

On Wednesday 27th August the dance group performed at Wakakirri which was held at the Parramatta Riverside Theatres. The students were extremely excited as they had never participated in this event before. The item they presented was based on the fairy tale Jack and the Beanstalk. In the dance, Jack climbs a beanstalk and finds himself in a magical land. He sets out to find the Giant and the gold and along the way he meets a variety of fairy tale characters who are only too happy to help him in his quest. The students not only performed brilliantly but were beautifully behaved. For their efforts they were awarded the 2014 Best School in Public Award.
PPS 30th Birthday Party

The celebrations for the 30th birthday party will be held on

Wednesday 3rd September 2014.

10.30am- Assembly in Area A
11.00am - Birthday Cake
11.10am- Lunch and Sausage Sizzle
11.40am—Activities and food stalls start
1.40pm pack up
2.00pm back in class

The P&C has organised this celebration as part of the fundraising for 2014.
The students will need to purchase a $5 wrist band to participate in the activities
4 x Jumping castles
   Disco
   Lucky dip lollies
   Badge making
Sponge throwing Coloured hairspray
   Nail polish
   Face painting

Students will need to purchase tokens (1 token is 50 cents) to buy food items below

Fairy Floss 4 tokens ($2)
   Slushy 4 tokens ($2)
Cakes/sweets 1 or 2 tokens (50c to $1)
6M Investigate roller coaster designs
4H Focus
Class of
The Week

Students in 4H have all settled well into their new class and are all enjoying working together.

4H is looking forward to celebrating Prairievale’s 30th birthday. They have been writing about their fondest memories of their time at Prairievale and then recording them on their class ipads.

4H and 4A will be performing the Zorba dance on Prairievale’s 30th birthday.
Front Electric Gate—An important Message

The electric gate has now been in place for a few weeks. The electric gate is operated by remote. To enter the school you will need to press the buzzer on the outside of the gate. Once the buzzer has been pressed you must wait until the gate is completely opened. **At no time should you push or pull the gate as this will damage the mechanism that operates the gate.** We have had to repair the gate at least 3 times due to people not waiting and pushing or pulling the gate. The gate has cost the school $4500 and we need to ensure that everyone is patient and uses it correctly. I would also like to acknowledge Club Marconi who has donated $500 towards the cost of the gate.

Please read and follow the new signs which should be installed shortly.

P&C Fathers Day Stall

I would like to thank the P&C for their wonderful organisation of the father’s Day stall. The P&C raised $

Parent excursion to Darling Harbour to visit Madame Tussauds

A parent excursion to Darling Harbour. Has been organised for **Friday the 12th** September. We will be travelling to Darling Harbour and visiting “MadameTussauds” waxworks museum. The cost of entry is $28 which will need to be paid on the day at school. You will also need to bring money for lunch on the day. We will be leaving school at 9.00am and returning before 3pm. Mrs Warda our Assyrian CLO will be attending on the day. The places are now full and we apologise to anyone who has missed out.

Next P&C Meeting

**Wednesday 10th September 2pm in the staffroom.**
25 Nights Reading
KP
Crystal Salim
1SE
Tristian Dang
2M
Sandras Balyos
5S
Natasha Prasad
Rita Saleem

75 Nights Reading
KP
Mathew Noona
5S
Mattias Kena
Nansi Issa

100 Nights Reading

1SE
Leo Jebbo

125 Nights Reading
KP
Miranda Badal
Ela Cetinay
1SE
Berakah Vaituutuu
2S
Anderias Shamoon

150 Nights
2M
Andres Delaguila
5S
Luka Garovic
Shanelle Sharma

175 Nights
KP
Alisha Ung
1SE
Stephanie Matti
Week 8
Monday 1st September -
Tuesday 2nd September- Scripture
    - School Banking
    - Jump Rope for Heart demonstration 2pm
Wednesday 3rd September- 30th Birthday party Mufti Fun Day
Thursday 4th September - Dance 2bFit ES1 and S1
Friday 5th September

Week 9
Monday 8th September—Swim School starts week 1
Tuesday 9th September- Scripture
    - School Banking

Wednesday 10th September- Parks Festival Rehearsal
    & night performance
Thursday 11th September— Parks Festival Matinee
    & night performance
    - Dance 2bFit ES1 and S1
Friday 12th September— PSSA GALA day
    _ Parent excursion to Darling Harbour

Week 10
Monday 15th September—Swim school week 2