

## Issue 22

July 23, 2015

### Dates to remember:

**Friday, July 24**  
Assembly 2.30pm

**Monday July 27**  
**Pupil-free Day**

**Tuesday, July 28**  
School Photos

**Thursday, July 30**  
Bravehearts Show 11.30  
Year Levels Prep-2  
Parents Welcome

**Friday, July 31**  
Ned Show-Whole School  
2.30pm  
**No assembly**

**Thursday, August 6**  
Prep Dental Screening 2.30

### **Principal**

**Mr Barrie Speight**

### **School Council**

#### **President**

**Mr Eric Welsh**

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# News



## School Photos

Student photos have been booked for next **Tuesday, July 28**. Envelopes for payment have been sent home last week. **(NB: please have correct money in the envelopes as the school does not have change).**

**Family envelopes are available at the office.**

**Envelope must either be returned to the office on or before Tuesday.**

Please make sure your child is in correct school uniform.



## Reminder - Pupil Free Day

A reminder to all families that next Monday, 27th July will be a student free day. No students are required at school. Staff will be at school participating in some professional learning on whole school curriculum planning.

## Melbourne Museum & Imax Theatre

Yesterday the students from KL and JH went on an excursion to the IMAX Theatre and Melbourne Museum. To complement their current class work, the students saw 'Dinosaurs 3D: Giants of Patagonia' at IMAX. After the movie, the group went across to the museum to see the dinosaurs and dynamic earth exhibitions. All of the students and staff had a great day.



*Hailee - "The movie scared me, it was like they were jumping out at me".*

*Cambelle - "I thought I was eaten, but I walked out in one piece, Phew!!"*

*Masan - "The Pterodactyl came out of nowhere and stabbed me, I nearly died."*

*Tyson L - "I got scared because I thought it was real. It was fantastic!"*

*Jarrold - "Everything was jumping out at us! It actually felt like I was being eaten!"*

## Parent Opinion Survey

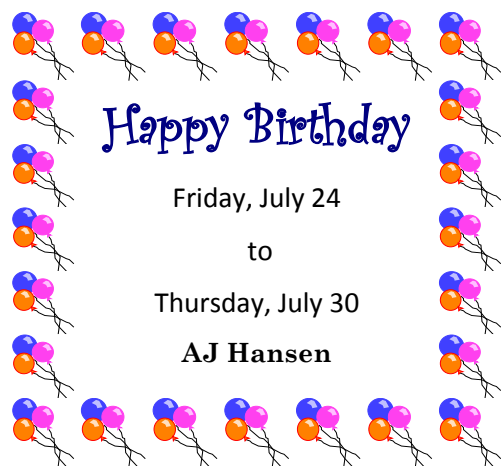
Each year, the Parent Opinion Survey is conducted to give parents the opportunity to have their say about what works well and what could be improved at school. Some families, who have been randomly selected by the Department of Education, will receive the survey in the mail on Monday. It is very important that if you receive a survey that you complete it and **return it to school by next Friday, 31st July**.

Your opinions and feedback are anonymous and are important to ensure that our fabulous school continues to improve. Each child who returns the survey to the office will get a chocolate frog and the family goes into the draw for a \$25 Woolworths voucher which will be drawn at next weeks assembly.

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# Newsletter





# Happy Birthday

Friday, July 24  
to  
Thursday, July 30  
**AJ Hansen**

## Earn & Learn Stickers

Our school is once again participating in the Woolworths Earn and Learn program. Stickers are now available to collect when you do your shopping at Woolworths (Safeway) and can be forwarded onto the school. This was a terrific fundraiser for the school and we received several boxes of resources for our teachers and students last time. Stickers are available until September 8.

## Book Club

Brochures for Issue 5 of the Book Club have been sent home tonight. If you wish to place an order, please have the order with the correct money back top school no later than Friday, July 31.



## Attendance Award

Katie and Lucian collected the trophy for their grade JM for the best attendance.



## Super Student Award

Congratulations to Cambelle Edwards, Zeth Farquhar, Riley Kennedy, Riley Spencer and Dylan Wilson for receiving the Super Student awards.



## Star Student Award



Star students for the week were Randall, Tyson and Hope. Congratulations and keep up the good work.

Don't forget that displaying behaviours from the matrix that show Respect, Responsibility and Safety earns you tokens.

## Principal's Award & Encouragement Award

Well done to Carter for receiving an Encouragement Award. Keep up the great work!

Congratulations to Cambelle who received a Principal's Award.



## MIAOW Words



Jake, Erin, Amelia, Tyson, Aaron and AJ all received certificates for knowing their MIAOW words. Congratulations.