

# NEWSLETTER

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Edition 6

## FROM MANDY

Hi Everyone

Welcome back to term 3. There are many things happening this term, so please make sure that you keep an eye out for any notices coming home (this can be electronically or on paper).

For those of you that have students who sat NAPLAN this year, the results should be coming home at the end of next week. There have been changes to the way results are reported to families. From this year students results are reported by proficiency bands. The four bands are 'exceeding', 'strong', 'developing' and 'needs additional support'.

The results will be sent home with a letter explaining what each of these things mean for your child.

Mandy

### DIARY DATES - TERM 3

7th August - Science week entries due  
8th August - Governing Council  
10th August - SAPSASA Basketball  
11th August - 'Way too Cool' Incursion  
16th August - Assembly  
21st August - Book Week  
25th August - Book Week Parade  
28th-30th August - Year 4/5 camp  
30th August - Assembly  
31st -1st Sept - Father's Day Stall  
12th Sept - Governing Council  
13th Sept - Assembly  
22nd Sept - School Disco  
27th Sept - Assembly  
29th Sept -Be Active Challenge finishes  
Last day of term - 2pm dismissal



### *Congratulations Ace*

In the July school holidays, there was a Lego expo called Brixpo where I entered my exhibit. There were around 255 people who submitted a build including 55 children. I built a Masters of The Universe Preternia Map using approx. 7000 lego pieces and it took me about a year to construct. I thankfully came in 1st place and won an award. My dad and I built another piece where we created different habitats for a variety of mini figures.

Ace - C3

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## Premier's Reading Challenge

Congratulations to the following  
Early Bird Rewards:

- H 2 - Ben C
- H 3 - Albie R
- H 5 - Caleb R
- G 2 - Cohen M
- G 3 - Alfie K
- G 5 - Annabelle P
- I 4 - Linken S
- I 6 - Eloise B
- I 7 - Caleb R
- E 2 - Nicolas T
- E 5 - Darcy C
- C 2 - Abigail P
- J 1 - Azaria B

**Fantastic effort everyone**  
but we are not there **YET!**

Let's see if we can get the whole  
school to finish. You have until the  
**8<sup>th</sup> of September** so keep reading!!!

**SCHOLASTIC Book Fairs**

You're invited to our Scholastic  
**BOOK FAIR**

**AXOLOTL** \$10  
NO-ONE REALLY KNOWS AN AXOLOTL. You've never seen axolotls like this before!  
100125951 | PICTURE BOOK | AGES 3+

**BAA BAA BLACK BELT** \$12  
This sheep is aarate master! Or is he?  
100126000 | PICTURE BOOK | AGES 3+

**DOG MAN** \$10  
Twenty Thousand Fleas Under the Sea  
Piggy has a diabolical plan!  
100123795 | GRAPHIC NOVELS | AGES 7+

**NETBALL STAR** \$9  
Liz nervously tries out for the netball team.  
100123359 | CHAPTER BOOK | AGES 7+

**THE BAD GUYS** \$10  
EPISODE 17: LET THE GAMES BEGIN!  
Meet the real Dread Overlord Splaargh!  
100123357 | CHAPTER BOOK | AGES 7+

**I KNOW YOU'RE LYING** \$12  
Sasha wants revenge, but first she needs to find the truth.  
100124804 | PB NOVEL | AGES 10+

**DRAGON DIARY** \$15  
PURPLE AND SILVER  
Keep your secrets safe in this lockable notebook.  
100123927 | ACTIVITY | AGES 8+

**FAMILY HOLIDAYS DISASTERS** \$10  
CRASH LANDING  
The world's most embarrassing family goes on holiday, and it won't end well!  
100124139 | PB NOVEL | AGES 8+

Find these books and more at the Fair!

**EVERY DOLLAR EQUALS RESOURCES FOR OUR SCHOOL**

**SCHOLASTIC REWARDS**

**Hats Off to Reading!**

AUSTRALIAN MADE: AUSTRALIAN AUTHOR AUSTRALIAN PRINTED & PAPER AUSTRALIAN PRINTED

Opening Times of the Book Fair to purchase books  
will be:

**Fri 18th Aug**  
11:35am-12:05pm  
3:00pm-4:00pm  
**Mon 21rd Aug**  
11:35am-12:05pm  
3:00pm-4:00pm  
**Tues 22th Aug**  
11:35am-12:05pm

Books  
start at \$5

EFTPOS  
AVAILABLE

Place: **LIBRARY**

Hope to see you there!



# Jump rope for heart

**Jump Rope for Heart kicks off this term!**

Jump Rope for Heart is a fantastic physical activity and fundraising program that has been run by the Heart Foundation for over 35 years. It's a great way for your child to keep fit and learn new skills, but it also helps raise funds for vital heart research and education programs. Since Jump Rope for Heart started in 1983, schools like ours have raised more than \$75 million for the Heart Foundation's lifesaving work.

It's important you register your child online, so they can receive the full benefits of the program and participate in online fundraising. Simply follow this link to get started. [www.jumprope.org.au/parents](http://www.jumprope.org.au/parents), use the info pamphlet guide which will be coming home or the QR code on the back of the Jump Rope keychain.

Students will be skipping throughout the term in some PE lessons, fitness and/or during breaks. During this time you can share their online fundraising page with family and friends to help raise money for this great cause.

We will hold our school 'Jump Off Day' on 6/9/23 which will mark the end of the program and is a chance for everyone to further skip and show off their newly learned skills.

**Thank you for supporting the Jump Rope for Heart program!**

**Kylie Mechis (JRFH Coordinator)**



**Come dressed as your favourite book character !**

**Join us for our Book Week Parade  
Friday 25th August at  
9.00am on the  
Netball courts**

**\*weather permitting\***

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# For your info

## Cadbury Chocolate Fundraiser

Please return your chocolate money by Friday 11th August.  
If you have any problems selling your chocolates please return them to the school so we can allocate them to someone else.  
Thank you to everyone that participated.



# WAY TOO COOL!



## Senyszyn Science Competition

All entries need to be delivered to the Science room by Monday 7th August for judging on Tuesday and Wednesday.

As part of our Book Week celebrations, we are having an incursion from Perform Education an award winning in school performance group on Friday 11 August.

The performance is an educational and musical performance called “Way Too Cool!” and has been created to celebrate the Children’s Book Week 2023 theme “READ, GROW, INSPIRE.” This is a highly interactive musical adventure that leads students through twists and turns with the characters solving their differences using empathy, kindness and a strong sense of humour.

The troupe will perform two interactive sessions for our school in the Gym  
Reception - Year 2 students @ 9:00 am  
Year 3 - Year 6 students @ 11: 30 am

This is an incursion.  
Students will not leave our school site for this Performance.

Cost: \$8:50 (no gst inc.)

**Please return the consent form given out  
with payment by Tuesday 8th August**

