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# **Newsletter**



Week 4 Term 4 – Thursday 5th November 2020



Tuesday evening, I was invited to attend a dinner with Balgowlah Rotary. The night was a community awards evening of which I was privileged enough to receive the Pride of Workmanship Award. It is an absolute honour. Balgowlah Rotary has been a friend of Arranounbai for the past three years, since I was first asked to speak at a meeting. This has



been a very beneficial community connection and their support of our little school continues to grow. I look forward to working with them further. I did warn them that 2021 will be HUGE as we have been so restricted this year... I hope they will cope!

Stephanie Hopkins: Principal

#### **Chocolate Money**

Just a quick reminder that **all** chocolate money is to be returned **tomorrow**.

#### **After School Care**

Please find a letter accompanying this week's newsletter that is a link to a survey regarding Before and After School Care. This is an opportunity to raise the concerns and issues in regards to support outside of school hours.

## **Design Projects**

This semester each class has been set the challenge to design an outdoor activity board for use in an area of the school by all students. These designs will be presented by each class at assembly next week. I am looking forward to seeing what creative and sensory designs each class has come up with. (Can you see why Rotary may be very busy next year..!)

#### THANK YOU

Many thanks to Andy for the donation of some great chairs this week. We do like a company refurbishment every now and then. Thanks also to Louis for his donation of some costumes, books and lego. These are greatly appreciated.

# **Cricket Program**

Week 2 of cricket took place this week and already the students look like professionals. It is a great program and one we hope we can be part of again in 2021.













#### **Class Merit Award recipients- Week 4**

**1A** – Beau **3N** - Sarah

**1N** – Surya **4M** – Dylan

2C – Aaron 4K – Isabella

5S – Matthieu Music- Ava

Library – 4M

Kitchen Garden- Aaron Life Skills- Joe

Principal's Award- Evie

#### Arranounbai Attitude Awards

Congratulations to the following students, who gained their tokens to receive their Bronze, Silver and Gold Awards.



Isabella, Rylee



Grace, Gigi, Alex



Jatin, Jonah, Evie

#### Arranounbai Attitude Morning Tea with Mrs Golding

1A - Lucas

1N - Surya

2C - Aaron



# Class of the Week

Each week during assembly a 'spy' will watch each class, looking for those doing their best to follow the Arranounbai Attitude. At the end the spy will announce the class that has shone that week.

Week 4: Spy – Ms Malone Class: 3N



# This Week: 4K

This week in 4K.... we have been busy playing with sand to explore how a desert might feel and get us ready for summer trips to the beach. Kai really enjoys pouring the dry sand on his hands whilst Hannah likes to hide 'n seek in wet sand.

We had a bit of fun with spiders before Halloween, hiding them in the sand and playing jokes on the grown-ups. Some of the grownups got a big surprise when they found those spiders hiding in the sand and on our bodies!

This term we have had silk worms in the classroom, we discovered they can feel tickly and scratchy on our hands when we hold them. We have spent lots of time holding them, feeding them and painting them.









### **Dates for Your Diary**

13th November – Chocolate money due back to school

20th November- Playground Design Project, Assembly presentation

4th December - 'Zoom Sports Day'

7th – 11th December – Gingerbread House making week

10th December - Reports home

11th December - 'Virtual' Presentation Day 9:15am

16th December - Students final day

18th December - Staff's final day