

Singleton Heights Public School Newsletter

Term 3

Week 10

24 September 2020



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Principal's Report

Congratulations to our Mari badge winners for this term, who celebrated with a pizza lunch on Tuesday. I was so impressed by the joy and excitement that these students had, in having this special lunch, to acknowledge the exemplary behaviour that they continue to show in their classroom and across the school. Well done!

As a part of the pizza lunch, each term, one of these students is drawn randomly to participate in the Principal for a day initiative. This term, Emily H was selected, and accepted the responsibility of being the Principal for the day in early Term 4. Well done to Emily, who celebrated her second pizza lunch, with a **bronze Mari Badge**, as did **Bethany P, Ruth B and Patrick H**.

Mari Badge recipients

The following students received their Mari badge this week, as well as celebrating Tuesday with pizza!: Dade J, Harry L, Hayleyrose H and Cooper L.



Stage 1 Science Show

Well done to the students and teachers for setting a wonderful Science display of shelters in the hall on Wednesday. Some very creative minds coming out of Year 1 and Year 2. A great job!



Book Week Celebrations

Book Week is on in Week 2 next term. We will be holding a parade on Friday, 23rd October, with or without parents dependent on the restrictions at that time.

Our Vision: POSITIVE RELATIONSHIPS, HIGH EXPECTATIONS, AUTHENTIC LEARNING

Canteen Meal Deal day

The P&C Meal Deal Day, last Friday, was a great success, with plenty of much needed funds raised for the P&C to contribute to programs and resources in our school. I have plenty of ideas to put forward to the P&C at the next meeting!

Attendance awards Week 9

Well done to 2L and 1/2W, who shared the Attendance Award for last week, with only 2 absences in their classes all week. They are hosting the trophy and Mari for two and a half days each!



PBL Rewards Day

We will be holding our first PBL Rewards Day for the year today, as we celebrate all of the students who are striving for Excellence and are showing Respect and Responsibility every day. Each Stage will be participating in a choice of fun activities during the middle session of the day.

PBL videos

Our PBL team, including our student representatives, Sienna K and Paiton M, have been filming selected classes to be stars in the Mari Mic films about Classroom behaviour and the focus areas we have each week. These have been a real hit with the students. Well done team!



Dates for Kinder Orientation

Under the current health guidelines, Kinder Orientations are on hold. However, we are maintaining positivity that the restrictions may lift in Term 4. Current dates for scheduled face to face orientation visits are 4th November, 11th November and 18th November. Early in Term 4, we will determine whether these orientation sessions can be face to face, or whether we will have an online platform to connect with your child's teacher and classroom for 2021. Keep an eye out for more information on Facebook, Skoolbag, and our newsletter, which is also on our website.

Term 4 return dates

Students and Staff will return to school on Monday, 12th October. Please ensure your child will have a broad-brimmed or bucket hat and a water bottle to bring to school every day. The weather will certainly ramp up, in terms of heat, so these are two important factors in ensuring they stay safe at school.



Happy Holidays

I would like to wish you all a safe and exciting holiday break. This has been the first full term of face to face learning and teaching this year, so it has probably had more of a draining effect than it normally might. Provide your children with plenty of rest, have a break from the lunch box packing and uniform washing and enjoy some down time with your children. Keep them active and safe, in preparation for the final term of the year. Thank you for your on-going support this year.



Investigative learning in 1C & 1D

1D have been investigating materials that protect us from the wind, sun and rain. Using this information, we have designed and built teddy bear shelters. We have also been learning about multiplication and adding up money.



1C have been investigating 3D objects this week. They made their own 3D objects such as cubes, triangular prism and rectangular prism using marshmallows and tooth picks.



**Book Week
Friday 23/10**



CBCA Book Week CURIOUS CREATURES, WILD MINDS

October 17-23 2020

#CBCA2020

Registration & Information Days for 20/21 Season
Monday 12th & 19th October from 4 - 5.30pm at Singleton Gym & Swim

www.singleton.swimming.org.au

Main Objectives

- *Gaining confidence in the water & in racing
- *Developing a life skill
- *Building new friendships
- *Achieving personal bests
- *Enjoyment



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First Competition night is Thursday 22nd October
5.30pm for a 6pm start

Our club welcomes all abilities from our junior swimmers through to our national swimmers. We look forward to meeting new families and welcoming back familiar ones.

Our club offers two free trial nights for new swimmers.

Competition nights are now held Thursday evenings throughout school terms 4 and 1 from 6pm.

Last comp night is Thursday 18th March 2021.

KEEP CALM AND SWIM



Make friends, have fun and get active with Netball!

WHAT	Singleton School Holiday Clinic for 5-10 year olds	
DATE	Wednesday 30 September 2020	TIME 10:30am - 12:30pm
WHERE	Singleton Netball Association, Rose Point Park, Singleton	
DETAILS	For further information and to book your spot, visit web page https://nsw.netball.com.au/school-holiday-clinics	
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