



SUNSET STATE SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

“Co-operation and Commitment”



July 28, 2016

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

This week the following students were recognised as the Students of the Week in either behaviour or academic excellence for their class:

Prep A	Ryder Dempsey – Behaviour	Prep B	Myra Marshall – Behaviour
1A	Rashard Atar – Academic	1B	Syria Clark – Academic
2A	Lewis Richters – Behaviour	2B	Jessie Beauchamp – Behaviour
	Zeceal Dunne – Academic		Sydney Armstrong – Academic
3/4C	Dougie Callaghan-Toby- Behaviour	3B	Rhys Green – Behaviour
	Lakeeta Simmons – Academic		Brendon Clark – Academic
4A			
5A	Emily Luff- Behaviour	5B	Channeil Dunne – Behaviour
	Labrahn Page – Academic		Josiah Doodadgee – Academic
6A	Tatiana Smith – Behaviour	6B	Adriano Chong – Behaviour
	Myles Armstrong – Academic		Kirk Jacob – Academic
HPE Class of the Week	Shayne Payala – Behaviour		Ayitia Aplin – Behaviour
The Arts Class of the Week	Ebony Armstrong - Academic		Seth Gains – Academic
		5A	
		3/4C	



SUNSET will be holding a Science Themed FAMILY FUN NIGHT on TUESDAY 16 AUGUST from 4.30 pm to 6.00 pm

We are inviting all our families to celebrate National Science Week with a fun night of food and activities – so mark your calendar and don't miss out!



CAIRNS TIGGERS TRIP

On Thursday the 21st of July Sunset Tigers travelled to Cairns to play in the Sharon Finnan Development Cup. This competition was targeted at Indigenous players so they can be recognised by state selectors. We arrived in Cairns at 9pm on Friday night and had to be up at 6am the next morning to play two days of netball. Our girls did the school proud! There was not one player who didn't put in one hundred percent effort. The girls started off with two wins and ended up coming second overall in the competition. However, the under 10s didn't have a winner so all players received trophies. The smiles on their faces were priceless. I would like to acknowledge all the support from parents, staff and most importantly the players who all put endless hours into making this trip such a success.

Yours in sport,

Taylor McManus (Tiggers Coach) & April Bryan (Tiggers Manager)

DISTRICT ATHLETICS

Last Friday a number of Sunset students participated in the District Athletics carnival. All students were well behaved and were very competitive in their events. The following students placed in their events, which means they are the top 3 competitors in Mount Isa:

Jaxson M – 3rd Shot Put, 2nd Discus

Gerald – 2nd High Jump, 3rd 100m and 200m

Sela – 3rd High Jump, 3rd 800m

Layla – 2nd Shot Put

Tuqiri – 2nd 200m and 800m, 3rd 100m

Ebony – 2nd Shot put, 3rd 200m

Tiari – 2nd Shot put

Kirk – 3rd High Jump

Bill – 1st Shot put, 1st Discus

Congratulations to all these students on your excellent performance.

Thank You for a Fantastic PJ Day!

A big thankyou to all of the families that donated a gold coin and wore their pyjamas on Friday to help raise money for The Pyjama Foundation. We raised \$116 dollars which will now go to the foundation to help children in foster care. A **MASSIVE** thankyou to all of our Sunset Teachers and Teacher Aides who kindly cooked and donated muffins to our muffin stand. Our muffin sale raised a total of \$170 for our School P & C. Well done on another amazing Pyjama Day!



TUCKS HOP NEWS

Specials at the Tuckshop now include:

Pizza on Wednesday \$2.00

Cabbage Stew on Tuesday \$3.50

Spaghetti Bolognaise everyday \$2.50

We would like to advise that small Ham and Chicken Wraps are \$4.00

Volunteers are always welcome, just come and see Lisa or Kira between 8.30 am and 1.30 pm

P & C MEETING

The monthly P & C Meeting will be held tonight commencing at 6 pm in the Library. All parents are welcome to attend.



YEAR 2: STUDYING LIVING THINGS

Science is one of our favourite subjects in Year 2 and studying life stages of plants and animals has been the most fascinating by far. The students have been investigating the things that are needed to keep plants and animals alive, and the different life stages that they have. We have seen bean seeds spring to life with simply water and sun and light.

Once the seeds were germinated, we planted the seeds in our pots with potting mix. We will give them water each morning and keep them in the sun during the day. As the term goes on, we will measure their progress.



Year 2 also has a visitor for the term to help us study the needs and growth of living creatures. Jet HQ, the Siamese fighting fish, will be helping us learn about how animals are born and how they grow. We will be exploring the life stages from birth to adulthood.

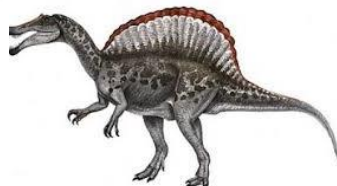


Ode to Dinosaurs

Noah  Bridge man

You have sharp teeth.
And you blend with a leaf.
You are part cuttlefish
You ate your sis and it was delish

You have a big spine.
But when you eat it is a dine.
You have a long snout.
And you can roam about.



Ode to caterpillar

Tieah  Mearns

Caterpillar hairy FAT
When you squish them they go SPLAT
They can be yellow or GREEN
But when you touch them they go MEAN!
They eat LEAVES
Because they are THEAVES
When they're FULL
They're fatter than a BULL
Then they go in a CACOON
And it rhymes with RACOON
They wiggle and JIGLE
And they H DLE
Then comes out the
BUTTERFLY!!!!

