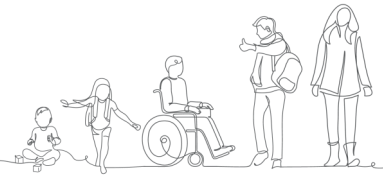




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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents/Guardians

Student Learning

We have had a great few weeks of learning at Scottsdale Primary School. I am always so proud of how excited staff and students are when they talk with me about the learning progress occurring in our school. My favourite times of the week are when stories are shared about the great progress being made and I always enjoy listening to students share about how much they are enjoying and improving in their work.

Reports and Student/Parent/Teacher

A reminder to families that mid-year reports will be distributed next Wednesday 28th June.

The report will show your child's learning achievement on a 9-point visual scale for students in Years 1 to 6 (and for Prep students at the end of the year).

The 9-point scale shows where your child's learning achievement is against the expected standard for their year level.

There will be no teacher comments in the report. This term student/parent/teacher conferences will be offered in Week 10 and 11. These are a great opportunity to discuss how your child is progressing with their learning.

We value the opportunity to discuss your child's learning progress and I look forward to seeing and meeting many of you over the coming weeks.

For more information about reports: · School Reports FAQs · Understanding the 9-point scale · Visit the Department's website at: [Reporting - Department for Education, Children and Young People \(decyp.tas.gov.au\)](http://reporting-department-for-education-children-and-young-people.decyp.tas.gov.au)

Bookings for Student/Parent/Teacher interviews are now open and close on June 28th.

Please book online or phone the School Office on 6352 0200 if you have any queries.

Uniform

As the weather gets cooler we are seeing some students wearing non-school uniform at school. As a school we take great pride in our uniform and encourage all students to consistently be in full school uniform. We have many items of warm uniform available and are happy to assist with options to keep students warm. If you need some support with uniform please let us know.

Regards

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UPCOMING EVENTS

JUNE

27—Prim All Schools Cross Cntry

28—Reports home

29—Netball/Football Trial Day

29—Parent Teacher

30—Assembly 5/6 A & P/I A

JULY

3—AFLW Trials 2pm

4—Parent Teacher

6—Parent Teacher

6—Hockey/Soccer trial day

7—Last day Term 2

24—Student Free Day

25—Students return Term 3

AUGUST

4—Gala Day 2

11—Gala Day 2 rain day

18—Assembly 3/4B & 1/2

Duty of Care: Parents are reminded that duty of care on the school grounds begins at 8:30 am

2023 Term Dates

Term 2—26 April to 7 July

Term 3—25 July to 29 September

Term 4—16 October to 21 Dec

'Beanie for MND' Fundraiser Day

On Friday June 9th The Scottsdale Primary School SLC group held a 'Beanie for MND' fundraiser day with all proceeds going towards fighting MND. We are very proud to announce that as a school community, we raised \$410 in total which is amazing as our goal was to raise \$250. As a result, Ruby S, Chloe S, Mr Milne and Miss Cashion all took part in the Big Freeze Ice Bucket challenge following line up assembly.

Well done to all who donated and wore their beanies. It was a fantastic afternoon.



Playground Award Winners

Asha, Sydney, Mahalia, Sophie, Libby, Tyreece.

Playground Token Winners

Cameron, Asha, Matilda B-B, Ava B, Charlie D, Cooper H, Sithuki, Micah Bu, Harley J, Fletcher, Lucas C-W, Hugh, Teddy, Bridie, Nethuka, Arzalia, Micah Bi, Libby, Kobey G, Cheston, Darcie, Tanner, Brax, Harley C, Jakobi, Patrick, Tommy, Sophie N, Fenix, Sydney, Freya G, Tyreece, Matilda M, Karta H, Mahalia, Lotte, Isabell, Addison Y, Cooper C, Bronte, Raven, Damon, Sophie B, Iris, Miles, Edith, Hunter B, Lemeki, Riley M, Xavier G, Zack, Rihanna, Savannah, Nethuki, Bailey K.

Primary All Schools Cross Country

Congratulations to the following students who have been selected to compete at the Primary All Schools Cross Country Championships, on Tuesday, June 27:



Zack, Karta H, Millie J, Oakley, Bentley, Archie, Bridget, Amarli, Addison H, Ethan, Jacob, Max, Laura, Brandon, Mackenzie H, Zoe, Lacey, Isabella. We wish them all the best!

Canteen News

Canteen special—Wednesday, 5th July:

Ham and cheese croissant—\$3.00

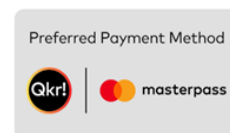


Week 9 focus - We are expected to do our best



Week 10 focus - We do what we know is right-model good behaviour

Don't forget to use the Qkr app for all your canteen and uniform orders & levy payments!!



East North East Cross Country



Grade 3/4 Excursion to Tasmania Zoo



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School Association – 2023

Mrs Alana Summers—Chair

Mrs Morgan Rice—Vice Chair

Mrs Hayley Heazlewood—Secretary

Mrs Tiki Button—Treasurer

Mrs Krystal Morice—parent



WHY IS TALKING SO IMPORTANT?

Talking and listening is a skill that we need for life.

Most of us can talk. We learn from birth. But not everyone learns how to communicate well.

- It's how we learn.
- It's how we share our thoughts and feelings.
- It's how we make friends.
- It's how we share our stories and ideas.
- It's how we get the job done when we move into the workforce.
- It's how we buy things at the shops.



If we can't communicate well, we might struggle with learning and with life.

TIPS FOR GETTING YOUR KIDS TALKING

CAR TALK

If you are having trouble talking to your teen – try a "side-car" conversation. Chatting can be easier when they don't have to look you in the eye.

You could be in the car. Or doing an activity together side by side.



TABLE TALK

Is there one night a week when your whole family can sit down and eat together? Why not make it a regular event? Everyone can share the best and worst thing that happened to them that day.



JOURNAL TALK

Sometimes kids and teens don't know how to start tricky conversations. Try setting up a "talk journal" so kids can write down what's bothering them. Parents can reply in writing. This can pave the way for a chat when you are both ready.



BEDTIME TALK

Some kids aren't ready to talk until the very end of the day. When they are tucked up in bed, ready for lights out, you might find they want to open up about their day. Take the time to listen.



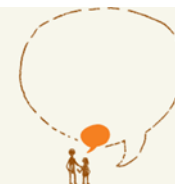
WALK AND TALK

Getting out and going for a walk with your kids can be a great way to get them talking. As a bonus, you are also exercising. Your dog might like to come too. Dogs can be great listeners.



BIG TALK

One of the best pieces of parenting advice I've been told is that "If you don't listen to the little things when they're young, they won't tell you the big things when they're older". To them, the little things are important. So, make sure you take the time to listen.



SCREEN TALK

If you can't get your kids to turn off their screens, turn off the Wi Fi so they have to talk to you!



SILENT TALK

You don't always have to be talking. Just being present and welcoming can be enough sometimes.





Gala Day 1 20th June 2023

