**This Week’s Virtue is:** **HONESTY**

Honesty means telling the truth. It means not lying, stealing and cheating.

**This Week’s Road Safety Tip:**

Always remain seated when the bus is moving.

**PRINCIPALS REPORT**

This will be the last newsletter for the term and it is hard to believe that we are fast approaching the school holidays.

As I stated last fortnight there is a great deal happening between now and the end of term with the football gala day happening today, Netball gala day tomorrow (not 26th as stated in last newsletter), NAIDOC day Thursday, P-2 athletics day Friday and the school camp next week.

We had a pet safety show on Monday which the students really enjoyed and benefited from and our PBL Community Forum was highly successful with nearly 20 members of the business and local community attending. We thank them greatly for their attendance and input and a big thanks to the PBL committee and staff in general for making this such a success.

Teacher Hawaiian shirt day certainly drew some odd looks but was given the thumbs up from “The Chief” Paul Harrigon who made a surprise visit to the school. Janelle and Robyn took no time to get a photograph with him.

**Interviews**

Thanks to those parents who have been able to attend interviews regarding your child’s progress. It is always difficult to make times to suit everyone with people’s commitments and we hope that the flexibility of the staff to talk outside of school hours has made it convenient for you to get feedback.

I have been most impressed with the overall standard of the reports.

**World Cup**

World Cup fever is in full flight and Australia’s start was a great effort. With the many thousands of Australians in South America (including my daughter and Mrs Fernandez’s husband) some of our classes have taken on work around the World Cup and Brazil over the next few weeks.

Approaching learning in this manner brings relevance to our tasks as well as broadening student world knowledge and enlightening them as to how good the round ball code is!

**Facebook**

Many parents have commented that they really appreciate the newsletter being posted on Facebook. We continue to try to communicate through whatever means to meet the needs of the school community.

**Term 3**

Students return to school Tuesday 15th July.

Rick Budden
Principal

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**Important Dates to Remember -**

**Term 2**

- 18/06 Netball Gala Day (bus departs at 9.15am)
- 19/06 NAIDOC DAY
- 20/06 P-2 Athletics Carnival
- 23/06 - 25/06 YR 5/6 Camp
- 27/06 Last day Term 2

**Term 3**

- 15/07 Students return
- 16/07 ‘Sean Choolburra’ show
Term 2 Week 8

PSSA NETBALL

On Thursday 5 June, our PSSA Netball Team played Dudley Public School in the second round. Our girls played a fantastic game against a very experienced Dudley team. We lead at quarter time and at half time and by the end of the third quarter the scores were level. Dudley managed to get away from us in the last quarter, the final score being 13-9. Very well done to all the girls!

Also thank you to Mel Wilson for coaching the team and to Maree Crockett for umpiring on the day.

Hi Everyone,

This Thursday Windale Public School will be having our NAIDOC celebrations. The day will start with our opening ceremony at 10am, followed by lunch at 11am with the students. After lunch there will be 4 different activities around the school for all staff, students and community to participate in with activities finishing at 2pm. Please come along and spend the day learning about Aboriginal culture! The canteen will be having a sausage sizzle on the day so if you wish to order one visit the ladies at the canteen for a note. A selection of cakes will also be available. I look forward to seeing you all on Thursday!

Vanessa Edwards
Relieving AEO

Windale School P-2 Athletics Carnival

P-2 Athletics Carnival will be held this Friday (providing the weather is clear and oval is dry).

Parents/carers are invited to come at 11am and bring along a picnic lunch before the events get underway at 11.40am!

Age events will be run, followed by tabloid activities.

Looking forward to a fabulous day!

Fun Run Friday 13th June

PBL

PBL : We are respectful

In the Windale community we are respectful of others, of our property and of ourselves.

Notes to return

Interviews
Netball Gala Day
‘Sean Choolburra’ Show
3/4R Newsletter Item

Earlier this term, 3/4R learnt about Natural Disasters including earthquakes, tsunamis and volcanoes. We explored the causes, effects and functions of each and enjoyed viewing clips showing volcanic eruptions. We then conducted a scientific experiment, building a mini volcano and using vinegar, bicarbonate soda and food colouring to imitate a volcanic eruption. Our experiment worked and our volcano bubbled and flowed with red lava!
Uniform Shop

Now located next to the Reading Recovery Room (near Kindergarten)

Opening Days / Hours
Wednesday 2.30pm - 2.45 pm
Thursday 8.45am - 9.10 am
Friday 8.45am - 9.10 am

Prices
Shirts $17.00
Shorts $17.00
Skorts $17.00
Jackets $22.00
Sets consist of 1 shirt/ 1 pair of shorts or 1 skort $30.00

Milabah – Place of Fun

Active After School Sports Program
The last day for our SFON program is Wednesday 18th June and Monday 23rd June. The program will recommence Term 3 on Monday 21st July and Wednesday 23rd July. Our SFON program is run by community volunteers who give their time to our students; I would like to take this opportunity to thank them for the valuable time they spend with our children. I will be reviewing enrolments for Term 3, if your child wishes to participate, could he/she come to see me. I will be reminding children about our code of conduct as behaviour has been an issue this term. If your child does not want to be a part of the program, please don’t force them to come, SFON is a fun active after school program for children who want to be here.

Stories in the Street
Every Thursday at Windale Library, SITS is a free story time for you and your child, under 5 years. Stories, songs, puppets and felt boards are some activities you might enjoy. Come and enjoy the free WI-FI at the Library while your child enjoys story time!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Jarjums Playgroup
Lots of fun activities are planned for this year and we hope to see some new faces as well as those we already know and love. We ask for a gold coin donation for craft items and morning tea is provided. Tuesdays 9.30am – 11.30am.

Helping Kids Grow Strong
A Samaritans supported playgroup with a nutrition focus. Every Wednesday from 10am – 12pm. Come along and have some fun, learn new skills and try some yummy new recipes.

Free Legal Services
Our outreach solicitor, Pat, is at Milabah Tuesday mornings from 9.45. No appointment needed, just call in for any legal advice and referrals. Have you thought of making a Will, Power of Attorney and Enduring Guardianship, we are hoping to have a day for you to do this here at Milabah. Please call 49487786 if you are interested, as soon as I have names we’ll book the day.

Roselea
49487786
WINDALE'S QUALITY KIDS

Classroom Achievements

**KJ**
- Tara G: Her consistent efforts to keep the classroom tidy.
- Guy H: Improvement in hearing and recording sounds.

**KS**
- Ben S: A positive role model in class.
- Mathew L: A proud and enthusiastic reader.
- Nadia B: Outstanding independent reading and story writing.
- Keely G: Outstanding independent reading and writing.
- Kiana McC: Working hard in story writing.

**1/2A**
- Jeraki N-F: Valuable contributions in class discussions.
- Ruby S: Consistent effort in all learning.
- Jayden M: Improved effort in writing.
- Kiara J: Being a fabulous, organised group leader during reading.
- Brodie S: Improvement in writing.
- Ruby S: “Dancing Queen” at the school disco.

**1/2H**
- Taleisha D: Joining in whole group discussions with her own opinion.
- Jake K: Consistent effort during writing and reading groups.
- Leslie M: Showing kindness towards animals.
- Robert K: Trying his best in writing a letter. Keep up the good work.

**1/2R**
- Bindah D: Being a diligent and hard working student.
- Tallyn McP: Consistent effort in all key learning areas. Well done!
- Jaxxson W: Consistent effort in all key learning areas. Well done!
- Emily P: Excellent effort in literacy. Well done!

**3/4 D**
- Mason F: Staying focussed during class.
- Jessy S: Improvement in attitude and behaviour.
- Callan H: Beautiful handwriting.
- Zac R-W: Always being respectful to the people around him.

**3/4M**
- Loghan L: Having increased confidence when presenting public speaking.
- Lucy E: Presenting a well prepared and interesting speech for public speaking.

**3/4R**
- Hunter J: Super effort in spelling with rhyming words.
- Olivia K: An outstanding speech about imagination.
- Adam P: Always being enthusiastic and hard working in class.
- Chris S: Always being respectful and ready to learn.

**5/6C**
- Jayden G: Being ‘Mr Independent’ in class. A great attitude!
- Sayge S: An enormous improvement in attitude in class.

**5/6SF**
- Paris S: Consistently being a hardworking class member.
- Chloe L: Consistently producing quality work.
- Jarrod H: Working collaboratively in science groups.
- Summer M: Writing a well structured anti bullying exposition.

**5/6T**
- Peita O: Fantastic advertisement for a healthy food snack.
- Kobi H: Always having a positive approach to his learning.
- Jacinta F: Consistently being a hard working class member.
- Jessica B: Consistent effort in all areas.

Assembly Roster 2014
(Thursdays each week)

**Term 2**
- Week 8 - No Assembly due to NAIDOC Day
- Week 9 - Preschool