



# Middleton Public School NEWSLETTER

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**WEEK 2 TERM 4**  
**21 October 2019**

## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

I'd like to remind everyone that roads around schools are very busy at the beginning and end of the day. Students need to use the pedestrian crossing when crossing the road. To use a crossing safely you must; Walk up to the crossing, Stop, Look, Listen, Think, Keep looking and listening whilst crossing and DO NOT run, ride or skate across the crossing.

Mini Middleton's continues to be a huge hit with our littlest learners as they experience classroom activities and fun play, preparing for their transition into Kindergarten. This program will continue to run until the end of week 4.

Year 3 had a wonderful excursion last Friday exploring the Wellington Caves and Burrendong Arboretum. Our students are often energised by the excitement and anticipation of leaving the school environment to participate in another form of learning.

Middleton Public School would like to Welcome Mr Luke Evans who will be completing a 4 week teaching practicum. He will be working alongside Miss Jones in KJ.

Have a great week!  
Mrs Nicole Livermore

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★ **Positive Behaviour for Learning - Student** ★  
★ **on Target** ★

*Oliver Nielsen*

**Focus for the Week**

*"We Always Speak Respectfully"*  
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## TERM 4 SCIENCE, K-2

The following items are needed for our science unit, light and sound, push and pull:  
Shoe boxes, small boxes, tissues boxes, cardboard rolls and plastic bottles.  
Thank you Mrs O'Donnell

## YEAR 4 RADIO SHOW

Tune into Valley FM 97.7 from 5- 6pm tomorrow, Tuesday 22nd October 2019. Maicey, Sharla, Chelsea and Elizabeth will entertain you live on air with happenings, events and music from Middleton Public School.

## KINDERGARTEN 2020

If you have a child starting Kindergarten and haven't enrolled your child, please contact the school office on 6862 1999.



## P&C

School Run 4 Fun colour explosion sponsorship forms were sent home last term. The School Run 4 Fun colour explosion is this term on Friday, 1 November.



## BOOK CLUB

Book club was sent home last week. Orders need to be returned to school by Wednesday, 30 October.

# Sport

## STAGE 2 SPORT

Please return permission notes and \$5.00 which covers the cost of swimming for sport for the term. This has been heavily subsidised thanks to a sporting schools grant.

## INTERSCHOOL SQUASH

Oliver Neilsen and Cooper Fliedner are representing Middleton at an interschool squash competition at the Parkes Squash Centre today. We wish them all the best and hope they have an enjoyable day.

## VISITING INTERNATIONAL LEAGUES PLAYERS

On Monday, 28th October there will be a visit by players from the French Rugby League team. A selection of players will visit Middleton at 2.15pm and address a whole school assembly.

## K-2 KITCHEN GARDEN

K-2 students will participate in kitchen and garden classes on Tuesday at 2.10pm. They will be cooking mini pizzas and pumpkin wontons using pumpkin, spinach and garden herbs all from our school garden.

# Awards

Congratulations to the children who were presented with Student of the Week Ribbons for their **effort last term.**

Lawson Roberts (KJ), Sierra Callaghan (K/1W), Mason Tanks (1/2L), Samuel Hunt (1/2S), Rigby Milford (3/4D), Hugh MacGregor (3/4O), Shanise Smith (4/5R), Nell Smith (5/6E), Ethan Moran (5/6H), Maicey McGuire (Mrs O'Donnell), Josie Jennings (Mrs Fisher), Kiarah Petrie (Mrs Standen) and Oriire Ola (Miss Matthews).

## MERIT CERTIFICATES: Citizenship

Noah Jayet, Riley Webb, Ruby Ford, Bobby Webb, Kallara Bradley, Jordii Ah-See, Jaxon Clarke, Ardian Sasmoyo, Kody Pabis, Marcus Skinner, Amarni Reidy, Kiarah Parker, Ashlee Trim, Lilly Callaghan, Riley Jones, Natalia Scherer, Shyla Logan, Isobel Cantrell, Meg Skinner, Hall'e King, Bridgett Dunn, Harper Johnson, Caylan Neilsen, Elsie Orr, Harrison Kennedy, Noah Webb, Amelia Ah-See, Lilly Gosper, Hayden Lamond and Natan Sadykov.

Well done!

**Infant Sport:** Isaac Tillman

**Primary Sport:** Cooper Fliedner

**Assembly Item:** 2-6 choir—Mrs Butler

# Canteen News

## WEEK 2, TERM 4

Monday, 21 October	Michelle Skinner
Tuesday, 22 October	
Wednesday, 23 October	Jody Swindle
Thursday, 24 October	Jody Swindle
Friday, 25 October	Debbie Thurtell

## WEEK 3, TERM 4

Monday 28 October	
Tuesday, 29 October	Joanne Onley
Wednesday, 30 October	Jody Swindle
Thursday, 31 October	Jody Swindle
Friday, 1 November	Debbie Thurtell, Ethel Pearce, Jody Swindle



## Special this week \$6.00

\* **NACHO's and flavoured poppa or milk (please specify drink)**

Thank you

Jodie Milne - Canteen Manager



## School Run4Fun Colour Explosion

\*\* MEAL DEAL \*\* - \$5.00

Sausage Sandwich and Poppa

Friday, 1 November



NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ CLASS: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Sausage sandwich (2 sausages with 2 pieces of bread) \_\_\_\_\_

Cost: \_\_\_\_\_

## TALENT QUEST 2019

Our Talent Quest Final at the end of last term was most entertaining and was a great success. All students at Middleton are to be commended on their behaviour and their support of their fellow students.



Congratulations to our Stage 2/3 winner, Indianna Kennedy, whose rendering of her original poem, "Breaking tradition with 4/5R" was very amusing. The judges were so impressed with the standard of entries that they awarded Highly Commended certificates to ALL performers! Congratulations to all of these children, they are all 'winners': Josie Jennings, Joselyne Folau, Ashlee Trim, Chelsea McMaster, Avi Sadykova, Meg Skinner, Indianna Kennedy and Hailie Onley.

At the Final, while the judges were conferring, our Stage 1 winners Jordii Ah-See, Aliza Roberts, Addison Wild and Oriire Ola also performed their winning dance "Havana".

The children who formed the crew for the Talent Quest (MC's, backstage and sound) were very professional and carried out their roles so well.

Our judges were most impressed with the performers, the crew and the audience, so well done Middleton! We are very thankful for the commitment and generosity of our judges, all talented community members - Mrs Alison Westcott, Mrs Kaye Lindsay and Mr Bill Jayet.

Now we can look forward to next year!

Mrs N Westgarth, Mrs Carolyn Butler, Mrs S Harris, Mrs O'Donnell

## FOR SALE BY TENDER

### Tender for sale of the school's Old Play Equipment

The school is offering for sale by tender our Old Play Equipment.

If you are interested or know of anyone who might have an interest in purchasing the Old Play Equipment from our school please contact the school office for further details. You can also request an inspection if required. Please understand that the play equipment comes as is and it will be up to the buyer to remove the play equipment at their own cost within a month of purchase.

Tender documents must be completed on the Tender Form available at the front office of the school or it can be emailed to you if requested. Once completed it must be returned to the school office in a sealed plain envelope clearly marked "**Tender for Sale of Old Play Equipment**" and be addressed to the Principal.

Your tender document must be returned before **2.00pm on Tuesday, 5 November 2019**. No documents will be considered if received after the due date.



# SCHOOL MAGAZINE

## 2019

Printed in  
**COLOUR!!**

Over 100 pages of  
awesome photos and  
articles from the  
school year!



Payment and order form to be returned by **Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November 2019**  
to the school office.

**NO PAYMENTS ACCEPTED AT PRESENTATION NIGHT!**  
Collected at the School Presentation Night or Week 9 of school.

### 2019 School Magazine

Child/Family Name \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to purchase  copies of the school magazine. Total = \$\_\_\_\_\_

This can be collected from the Leagues Club on Presentation Night in Week 9, or from the school office after this date.

**I have enclosed \$22 per copy with this order form.**

**MUST BE PAID TO SCHOOL OFFICE PRIOR TO FRIDAY, 15 NOVEMBER.**

**NO PAYMENTS TO BE MADE ON PRESENTATION NIGHT.**



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## Middleton Public School P&C School Run4Fun Colour Explosion Fundraising Event Friday, 1 November

Dear parent/carers,

It is our responsibility to seek permission for your child to participate in the School Run4Fun Colour Explosion. All measures have been taken to ensure that this event is safe for all students.

The colour powder used in the event is non-toxic, biodegradable and environmentally friendly consisting of 98% corn starch and 2% food colouring. It will likely washout of your child's clothing, however we recommend that your child wears a plain white shirt that you don't mind being coloured. That's what the event is all about!

Based on the toxicology profiles of the powders used, their concentrations in the formulation and the mode of use, the colour powder is considered safe for use. Students with lung issues such as asthma are advised to be careful in their decision to participate. A detailed Risk Management Plan is available at the school office if you wish to view it.

The staff will do their best to throw the powder at the torso, however wind and other factors can cause the powder to protrude on the face. You may wish for your child to bring their own eye protection such as sunglasses or goggles and a towel to assist with clean up.

The canteen has a limited number of bright coloured sunglasses that they will be selling on Tuesday, 29 October and Wednesday, 30 October for \$2.

Students will need to wear their sports clothes to school and bring a white T-shirt in a plastic bag to change into for the colour run. After the event if children are traveling home by bus they will need to change back into their sport shirt, clean shorts and rub colour off themselves.

We will be having a family picnic lunch before the colour run. You will be able to order your picnic lunch through our school canteen. Please see the newsletter on how to order.

Lunch will begin at 1.00pm and the colour run will commence at 1:40pm on the school oval.

This fundraiser event will conclude at 2:30pm. **Please don't forget to keep raising sponsorships.**

Could you please complete the permission note below and return to the class teacher by Friday, 25 October 2019.



Thank you

Middleton Public School P&C and Mrs Livermore

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### Middleton Public School P&C School Run 4 Fun Colour Explosion

I give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_ to participate in the Middleton Public School P&C School Run4Fun Colour Explosion Fundraising Event on Friday, 1 November. I understand that non-toxic powder will be used.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_