

# SCADDAN PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter 14 2017

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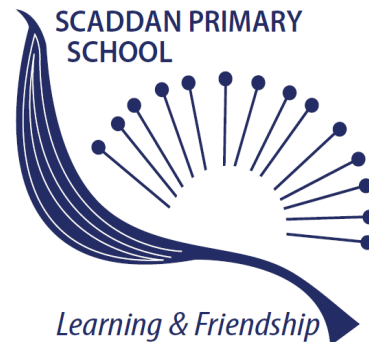
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## Important Dates

### FRIDAY 20 OCTOBER

School Development Day

NO students

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### THURSDAY 9 NOVEMBER

Constable Care Incursion  
@ 1pm

### TUESDAY 14 NOVEMBER

Kindy Transition Day

### FRIDAY 24 NOVEMBER

E.S.H.S & E.A.C.S  
Transition Days

### WEDNESDAY 13 DECEMBER

End of Year Concert @ 5pm  
at Scaddan PS

### THURSDAY 14 DECEMBER

Last Day Students

## From the Principal:

In the blink of an eye we have arrived at the final term for the year! Transition Days, Graduation and End of Year Concert are some of the big events we have on throughout the term.

### Swim Camp

In the final week of last term, our students spent a fun filled week on Swim Camp with the other Mallee Schools. Besides our normal swimming program the activities and opportunities provided to our students were diverse. Our senior students enjoyed Stop Motion, wheelchair basketball, cricket with the WACA and music workshops. Our junior students had lots of fun drumming, participating in an art workshop and visiting the museum. Well done to Munglinup for organising a fantastic camp and also to Mrs Rooney and Mrs Guest for staying overnight with our students.

### Nature Playground

I would like to say a big thank you to everyone for the amazing nature playground that is taking shape. The students are eagerly anticipating being able to use the area and once finished it's going to be an amazing space for our students to play, create and explore in. Jane Wandel has been a massive driving force in making the playground a reality and we thank her for her efforts. Check out a progress photo further on in the newsletter.

### School Performance Tours

Yesterday, students from Salmon Gums joined us for a fantastic show titled "A Slice of Vaudeville". Lots of laughs were had while watching magic tricks and learning about playing nicely and the importance of being a good friend.

### Jump Rope for Heart

As you all know, our students have been raising money for the Heart Foundation by participating in Jump Rope for Heart. At the end of last term, we all enjoyed our 'Jump Off' for an hour on the Thursday 14 September. The final amount raised was a whopping \$2930. Thank you to everyone who supported our students in achieving this and a big thank you to Mrs Guest for organising the event.

As the students exceeded their fundraising goal, in consultation with the Student Forum we will be determining a whole school reward. Parents will be notified of the event prior to it occurring.

### Friday 20 October

This Friday 20 October is a School Development Day. Students do not attend school on this day. Teachers will use this time to analyse NAPLAN and school based assessments to reflect on our achievement of whole school targets as well as identifying areas of improvement for individual students.

### Out of Office

Next Tuesday 24 October, Mrs Rooney and I will be attending professional learning on STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths) in relation to new resources commissioned by the Department. Mrs Guest will attend on Wednesday 25 October.

Kind regards,

**Reece Smith | Principal**

17 October 2017

**Pride ~ Excellence ~ Respect ~ Nurturing**



## VALUES STAR

Klaire



"For always displaying beautiful manners and respect for others"



## BIRTHDAY WISHES

Alby—3rd October

Lucas—7th October

## WHO HAS RECEIVED A VALUES TOKEN THIS FORTNIGHT?

### Pride

LUCY  
COOPER  
STELLA

### Excellence

Stella  
Bridie  
Maggie  
Kiana  
Ethan  
Sophie  
Oliver  
Aidan  
Lucas  
Lucy  
Cooper  
Oskar  
Klaire  
Liam  
Braxton  
Caitlyn  
Thomas  
Neela

OLIVER  
LUKY  
KLAIRE  
ZAIN  
BRIDIE  
MITCH  
OSKAR  
LIAM  
AIDAN  
BRAXTON  
CAITLYN

Lucy  
Maggie  
Mitch  
Ethan  
Braxton  
Stella

### Respect

### Nurturing